

Review: Researching

Name _____

Date _____



Answer the following questions.

- What is the difference between *triggering questions* and *pointed questions*?
 (Answers may vary.) A triggering question acts as the starting point for research. Pointed questions are more specific questions used for planning and organizing research.
- Which of the following categories cannot be used to search for a resource on a library's computer catalog?

a. Title	c. Author
<input checked="" type="radio"/> b. Page number	d. Subject
- True or false? An encyclopedia is a type of primary source.
- True or false? An interview is a type of primary source.
- True or false? A print magazine article is a type of secondary source.
- True or false? Information from a survey you conducted is a type of secondary source.
- Name two navigation tips for researching information on the Internet.
 (Any two of these) Work smart by using search engines effectively, be creative in your keyword searches, check many choices, take notes, stay on task.
- List one pro and one con about using electronic notes.
 Pro: (Any of these) Neat and easy to read; stored safely; easy to change and delete; links to related material
 Con: (Any of these) Difficult to do your own sketches and drawings; requires access to the right technology
- Which graphic organizer is used to record similarities and differences?
Venn diagram