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Short Research Projects

Ask → Find → Notes → Organize → Write → Sources

A. Choose a topic and ask questions.

My topic:

Question 1:

Question 2:

Question 3:

B. Practice: turn this sentence into a short note. *Leatherback sea turtles are the largest turtles on Earth, growing up to seven feet long and weighing as much as 2,000 pounds.*

My note:

C. Take notes. Write short phrases and the source.

Question 1 notes / source:

Question 2 notes / source:

Question 3 notes / source:

D. My sources.

1.

2.

3.

Answer Key

A. Choose a topic and ask questions.

Answers will vary. Questions should be specific enough to answer in a paragraph.

B. Practice: turn this sentence into a short note.

Answers will vary, such as "leatherback = largest turtle; up to 7 ft, 2,000 lb."

C. Take notes.

Answers will vary.

D. My sources.

Answers will vary. List the title and where it came from (book, website).