

## Individual Investigation – Research Proposal Action Plan

When you have thought about your research topic and what kinds of sources you will need to complete your investigation, it is helpful to develop these ideas into an action plan. This will allow you to think about any problems you might encounter in your research, and think about the key questions you will need to answer to achieve your project's aim. This is not a final version – the thoughts below may change as you conduct your research, but it's a useful exercise to help you think through the key issues.

**Proposed title (your main research question):**

**What are the aims of your project (2-3 bullet points):**

**How are you going to research your project? (archives, interviews, libraries...)**

**What are the key primary and secondary sources? (what books, websites, newspapers are you going to use...)**

**Are there any problems you may have with your research? If so how can you address them? (For example, how will you get to the library/archive you need to use?, what times are they open?)**