

# HOT TOPICS

Need help selecting a topic for a research assignment? Try some of these ideas!

## Check out what's in the news!

ABC News British Broadcasting Corp (BBC) Canadian Broadcasting Corp (CBC) CBS News Cable News Network (CNN) Discovery Channel Everything Michigan Fox News	<a href="http://abcnews.go.com">abcnews.go.com</a> <a href="http://news.bbc.co.uk">news.bbc.co.uk</a> <a href="http://www.cbc.ca">www.cbc.ca</a> <a href="http://www.cbsnews.com">www.cbsnews.com</a> <a href="http://www.cnn.com">www.cnn.com</a> <a href="http://dsc.discovery.com">dsc.discovery.com</a> <a href="http://www.mlive.com">www.mlive.com</a> <a href="http://www.foxnews.com">www.foxnews.com</a>	International Newspapers Google News Michigan eLibrary NBC News National Public Radio (NPR) Public Broadcasting System (PBS) WLNS News (Lansing, MI) Yahoo! News	<a href="http://www.ipl.org/div/news">www.ipl.org/div/news</a> <a href="http://news.google.com">news.google.com</a> <a href="http://mel.org">mel.org</a> <a href="http://www.msnbc.msn.com">www.msnbc.msn.com</a> <a href="http://www.npr.org">www.npr.org</a> <a href="http://www.pbs.org">www.pbs.org</a> <a href="http://wlns.com">wlns.com</a> <a href="http://news.yahoo.com">news.yahoo.com</a>
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## See what hot topics the library's research databases feature!

<p>The library subscribes to 100+ research databases.</p> <p>To locate the databases:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Go to the library's website at: <a href="http://www.lcc.edu/library">www.lcc.edu/library</a></li><li>2. Click on the Databases link.</li><li>3. Choose a database and click on the title link.</li></ol>	<p>Suggested Research Databases:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• CQ Researcher</li><li>• Issues &amp; Controversies</li><li>• SIRS</li><li>• Opposing Viewpoints Resource Center</li><li>• Michigan Newspaper Collection</li><li>• ProQuest Newspapers</li></ul>
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## Browse this list for ideas!

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| Affirmative Action                          | Homeland Security                             |
| Airlines – Safety and Security Measures     | Identity Theft (use also – False Personation) |
| Alternative Energy Sources                  | Immigration Reform                            |
| Animal Rights                               | Internet Privacy                              |
| Autism                                      | Juvenile Justice                              |
| Body Image                                  | Medical Use of Marijuana                      |
| Capital Punishment for Juvenile Offenders   | Middle East                                   |
| Childhood Obesity                           | Natural Disasters                             |
| Cloning                                     | Nuclear Weapons                               |
| College Athletes – Compensation & Benefits  | Online Games                                  |
| Digital Piracy                              | Post Traumatic Stress Disorder                |
| Disabled Veterans                           | Prison Reform                                 |
| Drug Testing for Athletes                   | Racial Profiling                              |
| Drunk Driving                               | Racism  |
| Eating Disorders                            | Reality Television                            |
| Endangered Species                          | Right of Privacy                              |
| File Sharing                                | School Violence                               |
| Gay Marriage (use also – Same Sex Marriage) | Smoking                                       |
| Global Warming                              | Substance Abuse                               |
| Globalization                               | Stem Cells                                    |
| Hate Crimes                                 | Tattooing                                     |
| Hazing                                      | Terrorism                                     |
| Health Care Reform                          | Vaccines                                      |
| Health Insurance                            | Women – Crimes Against                        |