Theme 01: Introducing Research

Where to begin

To begin at the beginning:

Use a search engine to identify your destination University home page.

If you have a university email, you should be able to setup or logon to your student account.

If you haven’t, you will still be able to log on as a guest.

Using the University search engine, try to identify the course (Major) you will be taking.

Hint You will find your particular course title on your offer letter.

Look through the modules offered on your course

Try to find out which are compulsory, and which are elective

Ask yourself which of these appear most interesting

Choose one and read the information about it

Consider the topics covered

Assessments

Timescales

Make notes about what you have found and repeat for 2 more modules

You are now able to discuss your chosen course with your group

Are there any others in the class studying the same course?

You are also able to consider what you would like to do your research on

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| Module Learning Outcomes Covered | Academic Literacies Covered |
| ML1 | AL3 |
| Choose an item. | AL4 |
| Choose an item. | Choose an item. |