Activity: Create YOUR own Concept Map (on a blank sheet of paper) using YOUR TOPIC.

Activity: Refine your Research Question
I am studying ____________________________________________________________

because I want to find out who/how/why ______________________________________
in order to understand how/why/what ______________________________________

This table is an example of how to organize the concepts from the map.

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Activity: Following the examples above and below, take the concept from YOUR MAP and narrow the topic to create a Draft Research Question.

Example
Broad Topic: Cell Phones
Restricted Topic (Angle): Environment
Narrowed Topic: Environmental Aspects of cell phone usage
Draft Research Question: What is the impact of e-waste when disposing of cell phones?

Now you try:
Broad Topic: ____________________________________________________________

Restricted Topic (Angle): __________________________________________________

Narrowed Topic: ____________________________________________________________

Draft Research Question:

____________________________________________________________________________

You may need to revise your Research Question based on what you find when you begin to search for information.