

What Makes a Good Library/Research Assignment?

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Selected Web Resources

[Focusing on Assignments](#)

This collaborative Information Literacy Project was developed by Colorado College and Cornell College. Follow the green 'button' to an excellent "Guide to Assignments for Library Research" page. Click on the Assignments button on the left side of the screen to find examples from both colleges. Assessment guidelines are also included.

[Creating Effective Research Assignments](#)

These tips from librarians at the University of Texas – Austin serve as important reminders of our students' abilities and needs, and how faculty and librarians can collaborate to create positive research experiences for students.

[Pierce College Core Abilities](#)

Pierce College, a two-campus community college in Washington State, has integrated five Core Abilities across the curriculum, including: Information Competency; and Critical, Creative, and Reflective Thinking.

[Muggles in the Media World](#)

OK, it's from the K-12 world, but don't be put off by this handout from a presentation by Ruth Hanks and Nancy English. The tips on pages 3 & 4 are what we would like to highlight.

Additional web resources for research assignments:

[Ideas for library/information assignments](#) – (Memorial University, Newfoundland)

[Keeping a Research Diary](#) – (University of Michigan – Dearborn)

[Writing an Annotated Bibliography](#) – (University of Minnesota – Crookston)