**Research Topic Exploration Worksheet – Natural Science**

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| **Prompt** | **Your Response** |
| A. What is the independent variable you identified in the Topic Selection Worksheet?  E.g. Digital Platforms |  |
| B. Topic Exploration   * Open scholar.google.com * Conduct a simple search using your independent variable as your search term. * Add the word “review”, and click on the search button   E.g. using my independent variable, I will search for *digital platforms review* | |
| C. Download and read about **three** of the most current review articles from the search results.  Identify and list three issues (that interest you) that the review is suggesting that future research should consider studying. |  |
| D. In which setting or context can you study the three identified suggested issues? |  |
| E. Do you know and have access to any individual / group/ organisation / society that exhibits the relationship between your independent and dependent variables? (Yes / No). If no, please select issues for which you can answer yes to this question |  |