

FINDING A TOPIC FOR THE UNIT 6 ASSIGNMENT

To begin the writing process, you will need to identify a topic you can write about. That means you need to first select a relevant change in your field of study that has already occurred. There are several ways you could go about finding a relevant change to analyze.

1. Think about what you already know. If you want to pursue a career in business, that means you know something about the field. You may not be an expert, but you watch and read the news. You talk to people in the field. You have thought about what goes on in this career field.
Take a sheet of paper and literally write down a list of changes you know have occurred in the last 10 years or so in your field of study. You might have a long list or a short list, and you may not ultimately choose something from this list, but this is one way to pick a topic.
2. Talk to others in the field. Ask them what they know about changes. If you are studying for a career in education, talk to other parents or your children's teachers. Ask them what they think are the most important changes to have occurred in the field.
3. Do a bit of research by doing a Google search. Use a search phrase like "important changes in legal studies" and you will very quickly be able to identify possible topics.
4. Select and read an article from the list provided in the Unit 6 assignment instructions. Each article in this list identifies a relevant change in a specific field.