

AS level Biology Summer Research Activity

The Big Question: *How have white western males appeared to have dominated science research by the late 20th and early 21st Centuries, is this a fair reflection of their contribution as practising scientists over the last 3 millennia?*

Produce a written report of 1500-2000 words giving your ideas/opinions to address both parts of the question.

What do I already know about this topic?	What do I need to find out? Micro-questions
Where will I find the answers? Sources	What new (extension) questions do I have?

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Use a word processing software package!

Your name must be visible as a header on the top RH corner of **every** page.

Line spacing must be 1.5

Click the Format drop-down menu, select paragraph and choose 1.5 in the line spacing box.

Text must be justified i.e both the right and left hand margins are aligned vertically (button on toolbar in MS Word called justify, surprisingly)

Any sources you use whether book, journal or website pages must be referenced in the in the text and then a bibliography produced following the instructions in the Harvard refs PDF document.

How you link the reference in the text to the bibliography is your choice, but the easiest way is [1] a number in the text linked to the relevant numbered source in the bibliography. You can refer to the PDF document called 'Producing a reference list'.

Always use headings and sub-headings to make your work follow a logical sequence and it also allows you to divide up the work you do into relevant sections.

Use at least 1 web based reference (not Wiki, if you use Wiki refer to the primary source that Wiki uses). Use at least 1 book reference/magazine that you have physically had in your hands. Use at least 1 journal reference.

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