Week 3 Planning Your Presentation

Complete the following sections either on paper or on the computer and bring to the next lesson (DD/MM/YY). Your mentor will help you put together a PowerPoint presentation and practise your presentation.

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| **Research topic and question**  Find out 3 facts about your research topic   * Remember to include references * These facts should make it clear WHY you are conducting your study and WHY your research question is so important   What is your research question?   * Your research question should come after your 3 facts | **Research design**  What research method would you use to answer your research question?   * Are you going to use quantitative or qualitative methods or both? * How many people will take part in your study? * How will you recruit participants? * If you are doing a questionnaire or interview, what will you ask about? |
| **Strengths and limitations**  What are the pros and cons of the research method you have chosen?   * Try to relate each pro/con to your specific research question. For example, if you are using interviews (qualitative methods) to hear about people’s experiences of depression, talk about WHY interviews might be the most appropriate method (e.g. open questions, in-depth information, participant insights). | **Ethical issues**  What ethical issues might you need to think about?   * Try to relate each ethical issue to your specific research question. For example, if you want to include under 16s in your study, will you need to gain parental consent? |