K-W-L Chart

Use this chart as you "dip" into information sources as part of the Explore phase of Guided Inquiry Research. Fill in the blanks below with questions, NOTES and ideas that might help you get a broader understanding of your topic.

What is your topic?_____

In the **K column**, write what you already know about your topic. In the **W column**, write four general questions you have about your topic. In the **L column**, write notes that you found in your database article that help answer your questions.

K - What I Know	W - What I Want to Know	L - What I Learned