

Web Search Tools page: <http://www.uni.illinois.edu/library/tools/webtools.php>

Name: _____

1. Select one of the following topics (circle it) and use it for all the questions below:

- Recession War in Afghanistan Nuclear power Health care
Seat belts Climate change Online privacy Autism spectrum

Conduct a search on your topic using *Blekko*.

Pick a term from the choices that appear under the search box (as you type) that will help you focus the topic:

Add (the slashtag) /date to your topic. How long ago was the most recent website posted?

Find the Blekko “Bill of Rights.” Write down your favorite one of the ten that are listed:

2. Try a search on your topic again using *Google Scholar*.

Would you find all of these sources using the regular Google search? _____

Describe the difference in the **types of sources** Google Scholar retrieves. Are they “regular” websites or are they something different? Be specific!

3. Try a search on your topic again using *Google Books*. Select a book that is in a library in the state of Illinois.

Title: _____

Full name of library: _____

4. Using the **Google Advanced Search**, find an **image** related to your topic that you are allowed to **use, share, or modify**. **Email the link** to the image's **real** location to Ms. Harris at francey@illinois.edu. The subject line should be **Google image**.

5. Search for your topic in *Sweet Search*:

Describe one new thing you learned about this topic just by scanning the summary text in the top entries:
