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SEARCH STRATEGIES WORKSHEET

Define Search Engine using your own words:

Give an Example of a Database: _____

What does a Database allow users to do? _____

How is a Subject Directory different from a Search Engine?: _____

Circle the correct answer:

Which type of search tool uses humans to categorize data?

Search Engine or Subject Directory

Which search tool allows a user to use common search words?

Search Engine or Subject Directory

Describe 3 search tips that will help you get ready to search or help you as you search:

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

List three different words that might show up if you typed **Cat** into a search engine: 1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

How could you search for the song **Home on the Range** (hint: Think about phrase searching) _____

Which Boolean word would you use to narrow a search? _____

Which Boolean word would you use to broaden a search? _____

Is it important to cite (include the name of your website and the web address) your sources when you work on a research project? _____