How To:

DEVELOP A RESEARCH QUESTION

“A research question is the fundamental core of a research project, study, or review of literature. It focuses the study, determines the methodology, and guides all stages of inquiry, analysis, and reporting.” (Research Rundowns)
Choose a topic that can be researched.

Make sure that the topic you choose is something you are interested in or care about.
Step Two

Narrow your focus.

Make a list of possible questions that you would like to find answers to.
Step Three

Stick with ONE major topic per essay in order to have a coherent piece of writing.
Step Four

After writing your list of possible questions, choose ONE that is neither too broad or too narrow.
References

https://www.esc.edu/online-writing-center/resources/research/research-paper-steps/developing-questions/

https://researchrundowns.com/intro/writing-research-questions/