

Name

Date

Period

Exploring Google Trends / Data Analysis Practice

Instructions:

- Please go to trends.google.com
- Enter an age-appropriate / school-appropriate search term. Try something that interests you.
- Answer the following questions for homework.
- I will check homework at the beginning of class tomorrow. You may not copy off another person. Please do your own work.

Assignment:

1. What is your search term?
2. What kind of graph is shown?
3. Describe the trend you observe in the last 12 months in the United States? (the default graph shown is 12 months). Has the interest in this search term gone up, down, or remained relatively the same in the United States? How do you know. Describe what you see.
4. Does the graph have a clear title?
5. Does this graph have the axes labeled (are the X and Y Axis labeled)?
6. Please describe what the dependent variable and the independent variable being graphed are. Use your notes to help you!