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## **Interview prompts**

### **Section 1 (Tell me about what happened)**

- What are you interested in at the moment?

Possible further questions: Child: What have you found out about it? What are your next steps? How did you decide what to do? Parent: What was your role?

- Tell me about the last time you wanted to find something out

Possible further questions: How did you go about it? How did you decide where to look/decide what was useful/did you share your knowledge?

- Tell me about the last thing you learnt

### **Section 2 (Tell me about your thoughts and feelings)**

- Tell me about a time when you think you used information effectively/ found what you wanted/expressed yourself well/ a project you're proud of
- When you found it difficult to find what you need/decide if something is useful?
- What are you good at? Where are you less confident?
- Tell me about someone who you think is a good information user/good at finding things out /a valuable source of information? Why?

### **Section 3 (Tell me how your views have changed)**

- Thinking about your current project? What would you have done anything differently/ what have you learnt for next time?
- Has home educating changed the way you think about/use information? Is there a difference between home and school learning (if relevant)?
- Is there anything else you want to tell me?

- Is there anything I should have asked?
- Is there anything you want to ask me?
- Is there anything you'd like to find out as a result of this research project?