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Introduction to the Research Process

L3 Research Methodology

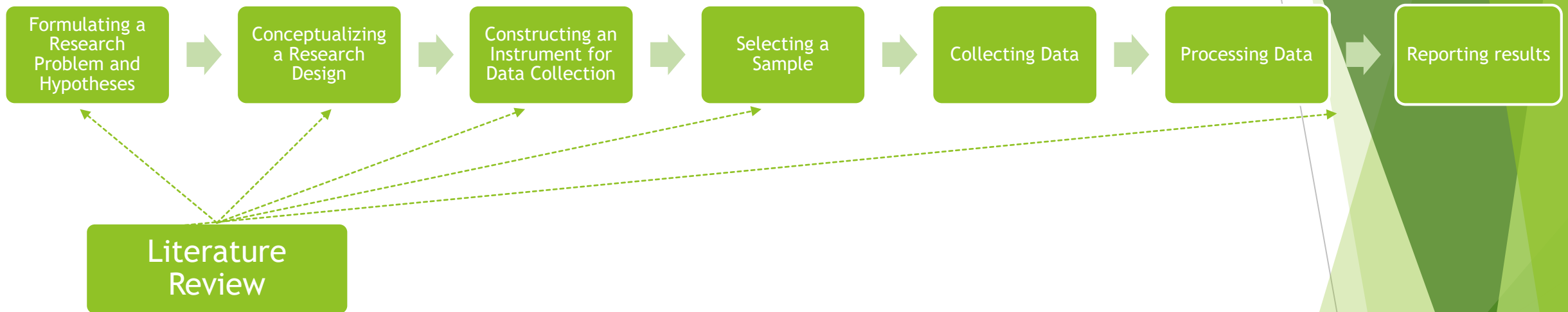
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A research process has three main phases




Phase	Phase I	Phase II	Phase III
Main Task	Deciding ↓ What questions you need to answer by your research	Planning ↓ How you are going to gather information and evidence to answer your research questions	Undertaking (Doing) ↓ Collecting data/ Analysing data/ Reporting results.

The Research Process



*Literature review refers to reviewing the existing works (theories, practices, researches...etc) done in the field for the aim of acquainting the researchers with the existing body of knowledge, establishing background for their work, developing appropriate research methodology and integrating their findings within their field of study. Therefore, this step accompanies other steps in the research process as suggested by the graph.

Can you identify the different phases of the research process? Complete the following table with the steps mentioned in the previous graph.

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Steps