CARD SORT ANSWER KEY

Research Method	Scenario
Participant Observation	A researcher immerses herself into a religious community, attending church services and getting to know other members.
Naturalistic Observation	A researcher observes the daily conditions for workers at a car manufacturing plant, but does not involve himself in their lives.
Library Research	A researcher studies a first-hand report about the way a small farming town uses computers. She uses that report as well as journal articles to develop her own argument.
Questionnaires	A researcher writes ten questions asking for opinions of a town's political leaders, and sends them to each person in the town.
Experiments	A researcher predicts that the presence of food will positively affect the way people interact with each other. She records group interactions with and without food in a laboratory setting.
Interviews	A researcher has a conversation with someone about an object in their house that is important to them.
Case Studies	To learn how young families navigate, use, and decorate small apartments, a researcher observes how one family interacts with their space and has several prolonged discussions with them.

