

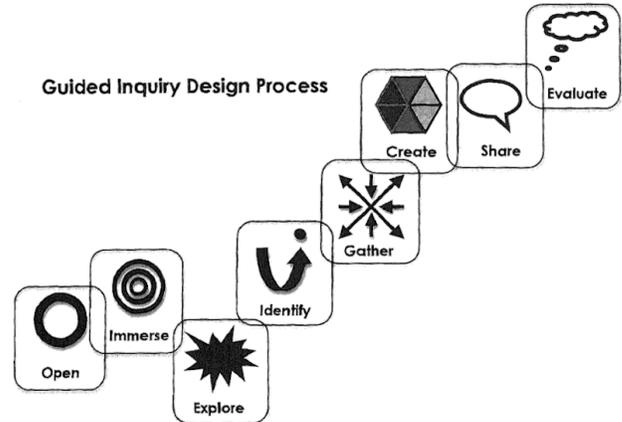
My Self-Guided Interest Project

Guided Inquiry Project

ASSIGNED: _____
DUE: _____

For this self-guided interest project, you will participate in a Guided Inquiry project. You will construct a personal knowledge using a wide range of sources of information and creatively share your learning with your fellow students and teachers.

You will select a topic that you want to learn more about and create a question about it. Using different sources, you will collect information and present your learned information to the class.



Here's what you need to do:

1. Identify **3 sources** (Internet and print) to learn more about your topic. **At least 1 source needs to be a book (print)**. Write these sources on your project organizer.
2. Research your topic and become an **EXPERT** on it! **Complete the PROJECT ORGANIZER**. No need to write in complete sentences, as these are just our notes as long as you give **PLENTY** of information.
3. Create a **poster** or **Google Slides presentation** showcasing what you found. Presentation must include:
 - Information answering each of the questions on the following pages
 - Images (your own or from sources)

What to **TURN IN**:

1. Must turn in **graphic organizer** with **project** to receive **FULL CREDIT**.
2. You may create a Google Slides presentation or poster.

PARENT ASSISTANCE: Your parents are welcome to assist you with this project, but they are not allowed to **DO** the work for you! You can ask them for help and advice, but all the work must be done by **YOU!**

Please sign and return to your teachers

I have read over the project requirements and know my child _____ has a long term project due .

Date

Your Topic: _____

INQUIRY STEPS:

 <p>Open</p>	<p>What are you curious in learning more about?</p> <p>Why are you interested in this topic?</p>
 <p>Immerse</p>	<p>What do you already know about this topic?</p> <p>How will you go about learning more about this topic?</p>



What are some places (books, Web, etc.) you will explore to learn more about your topic?

Identify your 3 or more sources (title/author, book, Internet, website)

Source #1 _____

Source #2 _____

Source #3 _____

Other sources:



Now that you have an idea about your topic and what you want to learn more about. State the topic as a question. This is known as your INQUIRY QUESTION.



What information did you collect about your topic? Be specific and give examples.



What type of media are you going to use to present your inquiry question?
How are you going to organize your information and research?

What are the most important points you want to communicate to your class?



What are the most important findings of your question? What results did you gather?

What do you think your classmates will learn from your inquiry question?

How does this connect to students' lives?

	<p>How does this question relate to school or your daily life?</p>
	<p>What did you learn in this guided inquiry process?</p> <p>What did you learn about yourself as a researcher?</p> <p>What other questions do you still have about your topic?</p>

Take on the role of a researcher and explore the world around you!