Transitions to High School
Career Research Project - Piktochart

Name: _____

Career I will research: _____

Due Dates:

Activity		Due Date	Points Possible	Points Earned
Journal 1			5 Participation	
Journal 2			5 Participation	
Journal 3			5 Participation	
Journal 4			5 Participation	
Career Approval			5	
Career Information WS			15	
Sources			5	
Works Cited WS			10	
Piktochart Draft	Use the back of Journal 4		10	
Piktochart Draft Approval			5	
Piktochart Final			30	

* This packet of work cannot leave school. It must be turned in for credit at the end of class.

Date: _____   Journal 1

I understand the research process.   Yes   No   Somewhat

I made good use of my time today by:

One thing I learned about a bibliography is:

Next class, I plan to:

1.

2.

Date: _____   Journal 2

I completed the Career Information Worksheet.   Yes   No   Somewhat
I completed the Works Cited Worksheet.   Yes   No   Somewhat

I made good use of my time today by:

I feel I found enough information to start my Piktochart.   Yes   No

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Date: _____   Journal 3

I completed and teacher approved my draft.   Yes   No
I started working on my Piktochart.   Yes   No

I made good use of my time today by:

Career Information

<u>Job Description</u> <small>Write the source number you used to get the information</small>
__ What do you do in this job?

__ What are the responsibilities?

__ What kind of physical condition do you need to be in?

__ Can you be promoted? What would you be promoted to?

__ Do you travel a lot? Where?

__ What type(s) of benefits do you receive?

<u>Skills</u>
__ Hard skills (actual skills you need to do the job)

__ Soft skills (personality traits, habits, interpersonal skills)

<u>Working Conditions</u>
__ Indoors or Outdoors?
__ Work alone or with others?

__ Noisy?
__ Regular hours or shifts change?

__ Is this job found in the city (urban) or country (rural) area?

__ Do you wear a uniform? If yes, what is it?
__ Can you find this job in Hawaii? USA?

__ Is it a casual workplace or a formal/serious workplace?

__ What would cause you to be fired?

__ Interesting facts about this career:

Salary
__ What is the starting pay?
__ Hourly or salary?

__ Do you get vacation or sick leave?

__ What is the minimum you can earn?

__ If you do a good job, can you get raises?

Education and Training
__ High School?
__ Trade school or Community College degree?

__ 4 year University?

__ More than a bachelor's degree?

__ How many years after high school does it take to be trained?

__ After getting the job, do you still need to take classes to keep up with the latest things going on in the job?

__ What are the chances of getting this job?

__ What courses can you take now in high school to prepare you for this job?

__ What do you like about this job?

__ What do you not like about this job?

Sources

Complete the information below for the source you are using. Number each source you use. Then write that number next to the information you find on the Career Information Worksheet.

Book Source
Author's Last Name, First Name: _____
Title of Book: _____
Edition of Book: _____Volume Number: _____
Publishing City: _____Publishing Company: _____
Year Published: _____Page Numbers Used: _____

Author's Last Name, First Name: _____
Title of Book: _____
Edition of Book: _____Volume Number: _____
Publishing City: _____Publishing Company: _____
Year Published: _____Page Numbers Used: _____

Reference Book (Encyclopedia)
Author's Last Name, First Name: _____
Title of Article: _____
Title of Work: _____
Edition of Book: _____Volume Number: _____
Publishing City: _____Publishing Company: _____
Year Published: _____Page Numbers Used: _____

Web Document (Webpage)
Author's Name as listed in the Title: _____
Title of Webpage: _____
Title of Website: _____
Date Published or Last Revised (dd Month yyyy): _____
Publishing Organization: _____ Date Retrieved: _____
Web URL: _____

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Works Cited

Book Format:

Author's Last Name, First Name. *Title of Book.* Edition. Publishing City:Publishing Company,
      Year Published. Page number. Print.

Reference Format:

Author's Last Name, First Name. "Title of Article." *Title of Book.* Edition. Volume. Publishing
      City:Publishing Company, Year published. Page number. Print.

Web Document Format:

Author's Name, "Title of Webpage." *Title of Website.* Publishing Organization, date published.
      Web. Date retrieved. <url>

*Make sure citations are listed in alphabetical order.

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Piktochart

Piktochart is an infographic (digital poster). After you complete your research, you will be creating a Piktochart. Your Piktochart is an infographic that promotes your chosen career.

Instructions for Piktochart:
1. Go to piktochart.com.
2. Create an account (you may use your school gmail account).
3. Click on infographic and scroll down to select a free template to use.
4. Input your content and graphics.
5. When your infographic is complete, hover over (or click on) SHARE in the top right corner.
6. Click on PiktoCard under Share via Email.
7. From: Enter your full name
   To: Mrs. Kameoka
   Recipient's Email: vkameoka@mules.k12.hi.us
   Personal Message: Enter your period number
8. Click SEND PIKTOCARD NOW.

Piktochart Requirements:

▪ Is due by 11:59 pm on the due date. If you do not complete Piktochart in class on the last day, you may still email it. Email needs to be sent before midnight, it will be time stamped.
▪ Must have a clear and visible title (career).
▪ Must have your name.
▪ One sentence about the job description.
▪ One sentence about skills needed.
▪ One sentence about working conditions.
▪ One sentence about salary or education and training.
▪ One sentence should be an interesting or important fact.
▪ One appropriate picture for EACH sentence.

Piktochart Rubric

Grading Category	Yes	No	Comment
Submission (x3)			
▪ Piktochart is submitted correctly by 11:59 pm on the due date.			
Submission Total			
Content (x2)			
▪ Title			
▪ Name			
▪ Contains all required sentences			
Content Total			
Spelling and Grammar (x3)			
▪ Contains little to no errors.			
Spelling and Grammar Total			
Graphics (x3)			
▪ All required pictures match sentences and are appropriate			
▪ Picture sizes are appropriate			
▪ Pictures are not watermarked or pixelated			
Graphics Total			
Aesthetics (x3)			
▪ Font size, style, and color are appropriate			
▪ Minimal empty space			
▪ Overall Piktochart effectively promotes the career			
Aesthetics Total			
Overall Total			

Journal 4

Date: _____ I am DONE with this project!!

What I learned about research:

How did you like using Piktochart? Explain.

Would you rather have written a paper for this project? Explain.

What I learned about creating a Works Cited page:

Advice I would share with next year's 9th grade students doing this project: