

2014 I-Search Calendar

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| Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday | Sunday |
| 20 | 21  Intro to I-Search  HMK: Questions about the world | 22  *Instruction - Car Simulation -* Intro to Research  Problems in the world that need fixing | 23  *Instruction -* Pacing Guide  Writing Process  Requirements  Exploring Topics | **24**  *Instruction -* How to determine if topic is researchable | 25 & 26  *Over the Weekend*  Have conversations with your parents about possible topics; Explore topics on your own; come to class with 5 possible topics of interest | |
| 27  *Instruction -* How to determine if topic is researchable  Choose a topic | 28  **Parent Letter Due**  *Instruction -* What I Know – Requirements, notes, models, self/peer edit, rubric  draft 1 of WIK | 29  *Workshop –* Draft 1, self-edit | 30  *Workshop* – Draft 2 of WIK; Peer edit, 3rd Draft  , | 31  **WIK Completed (Hold)** *Instruction -* WIWK - Developing your Guiding Question, Requirements, notes, models, self/peer edit, rubric | 1 & 2  *Over the Weekend*  *Generate a list of questions you have about your topic complete form and then analyze for redundancy Eliminate redundant questions* | |
| 3  *Workshop* –  Write Guiding Questions, Categorizing your questions under specific lenses  **Question approved by end of class today**  Draft WIWK, self edit, 2nd Draft | 4  *Workshop* –  *Workshop –* WIWK peer edit, 3rd draft,  Workshop – Pulling WIK and WIWK together - Polish both; Compile packet: both rubric and submit tomorrow | 5  *Instruction -* RJ – Expectations, Requirements, Notes, Model, Content, Outline  Exploring Topics | 6  *Parent Conferences* | 7  *Parent Conferences* | 8 & 9 | |
| *Over the Weekend*  Polish WIK / WIWK to be submitted at the start of class on Monday.  Find and list 5 -6 possible credible sources for your topic, Vet 1 for credibility, List potential Interviewees | | | |
| 10  **WIK due** & **WIWK due**  Review: *Instruction – Finding Sources: Christina Kellam - Search engines primer/ search terms*  *Chris Abbott – Easybib:* keeping track of sources accessed MLA Works cited sheet Exploring Issues – Chris Abbott – ABC/CLEO database | 11  *Instruction –*  Evaluating sources  How to summarize information and take notes on sources,  Research | 12  8th Grade Field Trip to see West Side Story at GBW Interview  *Workshop –* Begin Researching; finding credible sources; Seeking answers to your questions | 13  *Create annotated bibliography in Easybib*  *Workshop –* Researching:  Write 1st Draft, self-edit | 14  *Workshop –* Peer edit RJ #1;  Work on 3rd draft  Begin drafting RJ#2 | 15 & 16  *Over the Weekend*  *Draft and Polish RJ #1 Due Monday when you enter class* | |
| 17  **RJ #1 Due**  *Instruction-* The Art of Interviewing; arranging an interview, Requirements, Format,  Make a list of possible interviewees; complete interview outline; | 18  Workshop – Draft RJ #2; Self-edt, draft 2  Establish Interview date | 19  Peer edit RJ #2  Schedule and prepare for Interview if you have not already | 20  Polish RJ #2  Prepare for Interview/Conduct Interview and draft notes. | 21  Draft Interview | *22 & 23*  *Over the Weekend* | |
| 24  **RJ #2 completed**  Conduct Interview | 25  *Workshop*  Draft Interview  . | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 & 30 | |
| *Over the Weekend*  Draft, and polish Interview | | | | |
| 1  *Workshop – self-edit, peer edit RJ #3*  *Instruction -* What I Learned – Writing Guide, in-text citation, explanation, requirements, What I Learned –  Organizing by big ideas NOT SOURCES  models,  Draft WIL | 2  **RJ #2 & #3 Due**  *Workshop – 3rd draft, polish edit/draft, rubric*  *Continue work on WIL -* | *3*  *Workshop – Draft WIL,* | 4  *Workshop – self-edit, 2nd draft Peer-edit* | 5  *Workshop – self-edit, 2nd draft Peer-edit* | 6 & 7  *Over the Weekend*  Begin polishing your WILand WC | |
| 8  Polish WIL | 9  **WIL & WC due**  *Workshop – rubric WIL compile Works Cited Sheet* | 10  *Draft reflection* Drafting Reflection on I-Search process | 11  **Reflection Due**  Complete final touches on WIL and construct WC page. Check that in-text citations match your Works Cited sheet. Polish Reflection. Submit paper | 12 | E:\01 - Hadley 2014 - 2015\I-Search\I-Search 2014\isearch.jpg | |