

YouTube Life After High School Lesson Plan

Overview

In this lesson, students will start to prepare for life after high school. This lesson is designed for 11th grade students. It will focus on preparing for post-secondary education, vocational training, or searching for a job after high school.

Materials

Computer lab large enough to accommodate students
Printer

Instructions

1. Instruct students to choose a topic pertaining to preparing for life after high school. Each student needs to choose a different topic. Examples of topics: Completing the FAFSA, Choosing the right College, The Differences between 2 year and 4 year colleges, Preparing a Resume for a job, etc.
2. Students will search www.youtube.com/edu for an appropriate video relevant to the topic they chose.
3. Students will create a flyer or pamphlet highlighting the tips and tricks they learned about their topic. The flyer or pamphlet needs to include a short introduction to the topic and 5 tips, tricks, or suggestions for how to successfully complete this topic. The flyer or pamphlet will be create in GoogleDrive and shared with the class.
4. Students will present their topic to the class, including the YouTube video and Information flyer. This presentation should be 5-10 minutes in length and will include a question and answer session at the end.
5. Instruct students that they will be awarded points for participation during the question and answer session. Provide students with note cards so that they can write down relevant questions about presentations. They can turn in these questions for points if they don't get a chance to ask during the Q&A.

Resources

www.youtube.com/edu

[K-12 Comprehensive School Counseling Program](#)

Rubric

	Outstanding	Satisfactory	Needs Improvement
Topic	Student chooses a topic relevant to preparing for life after high school	Student chooses a topic somewhat relevant to preparing for life after high school	Student chooses a topic not relevant to preparing for life after high school
YouTube Video	Student chooses an appropriate YouTube video relevant to preparing for life after high school	Student chooses an appropriate YouTube video somewhat relevant to preparing for life after high school	Student chooses a YouTube video not relevant to preparing for life after high school
Presentation	Student presents their video and flyer in 5-10 minutes	Student presents their video and flyer in under 5 minutes or over 10 minutes	Student does not present
Flyer	At least 1 page 1 paragraph introduction to topic At least 5 tips or tricks	Less than 1 page Less than 1 paragraph introduction to topic Less than 5 tips or tricks	Less than 1 page No introduction Less than 3 tips or tricks
Participation	Student asks at least 3 questions or provides 3 comments during Q&A	Student asks at least 2 questions or provides 2 comments during Q&A	Student asks less than 2 questions or provides less than 2 comments during Q&A

Standards

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11th Grade, Academic Domain, Standard 2.1, 3.1

11th Grade, Career Domain, Standard 1.3, 3.3



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