
Activity 3

You may complete this activity individually or in groups.

Activity 3: Review the “2010 Creative Writing Project and Publication Schedule Log” below. Next, identify a subject, content knowledge, or skill that can be measured by a showcase portfolio. Write a set of portfolio procedures to help students select a variety of work samples that address that subject, content, knowledge, or skill.

2010 Creative Writing Project and Publication Schedule Log

Student Name _____

Grading Scale for PUBLISHED Pieces: 9=A-, 8=B, 7=C, 6=INC or Withdraw from College or HS Credit

1. Project Piece 1: Write about how a particular animal—fictional or real—got its name
REQUIRED: ASSIGNED Monday June 7 DUE Wednesday June 9 (3 days)
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2. Project Piece 2: Write a short story involving an animal
REQUIRED: ASSIGNED Wednesday June 9 DUE Monday June 14 (4 days)
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3. Project Piece 3: Construct a found poem from *Marley and Me* or a poem about an animal
REQUIRED: ASSIGNED Monday June 14 DUE Wednesday June 16 (3 days)
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4. Project Piece 4: Write an informational, analytic, or persuasive essay about an animal, environmental conservation of endangered species, cultural and social aspects of animal husbandry, OR create a Children’s book that presents some aspect or issue of animal life, an animal fable, a real or fictional experience
REQUIRED: ASSIGNED Tuesday June 15 DUE Monday June 21 (5 days)
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5. Project Piece 5: Write a biographical sketch of a famous or favorite animal; or favorite animal, vegetable or insect monster; or persuasive essay
REQUIRED: ASSIGNED Monday June 21 DUE Thursday June 24 (4 days)
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6. Project Piece 6: Literary Magazine Submission #1 short story, poetry, essay, drama REQUIRED
ASSIGNED Tuesday June 22 DUE Thursday June 24 (3 days)
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7. Project Piece 7 Magazine Submission #2 short story, poetry, essay, or drama
REQUIRED: ASSIGNED Friday June 25 DUE Tuesday June 29 (3 days)
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8. Project Piece 8 Magazine Submission #3 short story, poetry, essay, or drama
REQUIRED: ASSIGNED Tuesday June 29 DUE Thursday July 1 (3 days)
SUBMISSIONS
PUBLISHED

NOTE: For Publication, ALL submissions for the Magazine are due to the Editors Friday, July 2

9. Project Piece 9 Portfolio Reflection Essay
REQUIRED: ASSIGNED Thursday July 8 DUE Friday July 9 (1 day)
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