s Choices

for Informational Writing Assignments

TRADITIONAL **ESSAY**

In this assignment choice, you will type a well organized multi-paragraph essay following MLA format. You will want to thoroughly answer the teacher's prompt and include evidence from your class resources.





NEWSPAPER ARTICLE

In this assignment option, you will transform your prompt response into a multi-paragraph newspaper article which reports facts about events or problems. You should also include photographs and headings.





PHOTO

In this assignment choice, you will explore your topic or prompt by arranging found or original photographs in a specific order. The photos will be accompanied by captions to provide context.





INTERVIEW

You will assume the roles of both interviewer and questions and providing answers that explore the teacher's prompt. The interview may be audio or video. A written transcription is expected as well.





TOP TEN LIST ARTICLE

For this blogging assignment, your writing will include 10 different sections that explore your topic. Unlike a traditional essay, this type of writing informs but can also include some wit, so be creative while being informative.





PODCAST

For this choice, you will write a script and record a reading of it using technology. Podcasting requires careful planning and organization. You may include music and sound effects and, if permitted, it is a great partner project.





SCRAPBOOK

For this choice, you will use a collection of documents to demonstrate an answer to your teacher's writing prompt. These documents should be bound together and organized into a book, folder or binder.









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BROCHURE

This choice requires you to create a visually appealing brochure which thoughtfully responds to the teacher's prompt. It should give enough information to grab the reader's attention through concise writing and careful design.