Introduction

For most of us, animals are a part of our lives. Whether you enjoy reading about them, watching tv shows about them, going to the zoo, or living with them you know they can be amazing creatures. The world is filled with many different animals throughout the world. You are about to go on a journey of discovery about one animal. Think about all the things you want to know about one type of animal.

Tasks

During this exploration you will research an animal using various websites. You will take notes on the animal. You will then present your animal that you researched to the class. Keep in mind that you will be writing a paper on the animal, as well as creating a visual presentation.

Process

1) Choose an animal that you want to learn more about and research. It can be any animal of your choosing.
2) Find the answers to the questions given in the handout while you are researching.
3) Once you have answered all of the questions in the packet, you will start planning your research paper. Remember, you have to include all of the information in the packet.
4) Type your research paper. It needs to be double spaced, with size 14 font. If you do not know how to do this ask your teacher.
5) Choose an option for a visual aide. You can either choose to create a diorama, or you can build the animal.
6) You are now ready to present your paper and your visual aide.

Evaluation

You will be graded on each section of the handout. Also, you will be graded on your paper, oral presentation, and paper presentation.

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Conclusion

Congratulations!! You have completed your research project. Make sure you have everything on the rubric finished!!

Teacher Page

This webquest focuses on researching a specific animal for student to then write a research paper about. Also targeting technological skills. The students will generate all of their own work and research. I was unable to attach the handout to the webquest however it is
available from a different lesson plan I found online. Go to
http://www.gvusd.k12.ca.us/webster_elem/teachers/kristi_forshee/Documents/3rd%20Grade%20Animal%20Report.pdf for the
complete document.

Standards

Credits

Other