Teachers Room

STRUCTURING A GROUP PROJECT

Group projects are a great way to bring energy to your classroom! The combination of autonomy, creativity, and competition inspires healthy productivity.

Criteria for Success are crucial when introducing the project. List the requirements with a clear and authoritative header, such as, "Your Project Must Include." When outlining your project criteria, ensure it includes a list of nouns rather than verbs. Supply oak tags and markers to inspire artistic students and allow them to express their creativity.

Criteria for success are clear, specific standards used to evaluate whether a school project achieves its intended objectives. They guide students and teachers in assessing the project's quality, effectiveness, and completeness.

SAMPLE GROUP PROJECT: YOM TOV

YOUR GROUP'S SUBMISSION MUST INCLUDE:

1. A summary of the story/**timeline** of the Yom Tov - 5-10 sentences
2. A major **theme** of the Yom Tov, and explain in 3+ sentences
3. Five **key facts** about your category - ideas, significant details such as names, locations, timelines, or notable Pesukim.
4. 2-4 **Sources**, as is age-appropriate (Pirkei Avos, Kitzur Shulchan Oruch, Midrash, Rashi, Sefer Hatodaah, etc.)
5. One **Limud** L'maaseh that you can incorporate into your life now
6. Written in **full sentences** [specify language]
7. A list of your **group members and their role** (such as Researcher, Editor, Designer, Presenter)

SAMPLE GROUP PROJECT: CHUMASH/NAVI

YOUR GROUP'S SUBMISSION MUST INCLUDE:

1. **Title**
2. **Picture**
3. **Why?** A claim/reason for the event (support it with a passuk)
4. **What?** Give an overview of the inyan using 3-4 key passukim
5. **What?** 4-6 important words that encompass the inyan
6. **Who?** People
7. **Where?** Places
8. **When?** Create a timeline
9. **Takeaway/Limud**

אחלוקת קרח

איפה?
האמכן
פתח אוהל אואד

מי?
משה
אוהרן
קרח
דתן
אבירם
און בן פלת

ביבע מילים
תתנשאו
חאישים
ואאתים
אשכן
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