

IT AND ME—GRADE 9 CURRICULUM

Standard: Final Project

Time: Varies on time and depth of project

Objective:

To have students utilize skills learned throughout this course and apply them in a visual and oral presentation.

Assignment to Students

Each student will prepare an individual PowerPoint presentation entitled “All About Me”. Examples of information to include: points of interest about the student—birthdate, physical makeup, hobbies/activities, family, friends, likes, dislikes, favorite music, TV shows, pets, clothing styles, teachers, childhood memories, most embarrassing moment, professional goals (college, post-high school career), personal goals (marriage, children, etc), pet peeve, holiday traditions, etc. These are just a few ideas for consideration as it will be up to the students to be creative and use his/her imagination to depict themselves in a clear, concise manner.

Specific requirements of the presentation are:

1. 15 slide minimum
2. clip art/graphics used from either internet, WP program, or scanned—depending upon availability. You may want to limit the number of pictures to be scanned and the number of pics/graphics per slide as students get too involved in this and it takes away from the actual content
3. animation effects implemented
4. backgrounds used
5. sound (if machines are capable)
6. use of effective slide transition from slide to slide
7. creativity in setup to give entertainment/interest to the reader
8. the slide show must be orally presented to the class/teacher

School to Career Connection:

Students may use a mentor whether it is family, or a coach, or an industry person to gather information for portions of their project.

Grading

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| Overall layout design/15 slide minimum | 20% |
| Appropriate use of clip art/graphics | 10% |
| Backgrounds used | 10% |
| Animation effects used/slide transition | 10% |
| Entertainment/interest value/content | 20% |
| Oral presentation | 30% |
| Total | 100% |