

Substitute Teacher Activity Grid

<p>1. Create a poster (Google Drawing) titled, "Choosing a Computer! Communicate:</p> <p>Why it is important to compare features of a computer before making a purchase?</p> <p>What cloud computing is, and what it allows us to do?</p> <p>Write a 1/2 page paper using Google Docs describing your poster.</p>	<p>2. Create a four minute announcement that would be communicate the risks of using technology. How can people reduce those risks especially when it comes to protecting their privacy and online identities? A script must be handed in, via Google docs.</p>	<p>3. Create a poster (Google Drawing) in support of keyboarding! Write a 1/2 page paper using Google Docs describing your poster and provide examples why the skill of keyboarding is important for EVERYONE.</p>	<p>4. Find a business article that you believe could have a second side. Write a 1/2 page letter to the editor explaining your side of the story. Be sure to include the article you chose.</p> <p>http://www.usatoday.com/money/</p>
<p>5. Identify three skills or habits that you feel are the most important for middle school students to learn in order to be successful in their future. Write a 1/2 page paper explaining how these skills/habits will make them successful.</p>	<p>6. Create an adventure story book for an elementary schooler that is related to computers/digital literacy. Your book must have a minimum of at least 5 screens/pages.</p> <p>http://www.toondoo.com/</p> <p>https://www.common sense media.org/</p>	<p>7. Create a 30 second radio ad promoting Google Docs. (A written script must be turned in, once I return.) Please use Audacity or similar program. Creativity is a MUST and include some type of music selection in the background.</p>	<p>8. Create a 1 page brochure outlining wireless communication.</p> <p>Communicate: Is owning a cell phone a big responsibility?</p> <p>What are the dangers of using a cell phone while driving?</p> <p>What can people do – either as passengers or drivers – to prevent texting while driving?</p>
<p>9. Design a billboard on how to prevent cyber-bullying.</p> <p>Communicate one of the following: What should a person do if he or she is cyberbullied? What can you do as a friend if you see someone being cyberbullied? How can people your age help put an end to cyberbullying?</p> <p>Write a 1/2 page paper using Google Docs describing your billboard.</p>	<p>10. Create a poster promoting the future of technology. Communicate: What are some ways that technology has changed various professions and careers? What is STEM? What are STEM careers, and why are they important?</p> <p>Write a 1/2 page paper using Google Docs describing your poster.</p>	<p>11. Write a minimum of one page explaining the "perfect" workplace. Be sure to include examples, either fictional or personal.</p>	<p>12. Create a one page brochure for the _____ School. Items that could be included: classes offered, class descriptions, benefits/advantages, importance of vocational/career classes.</p>
<p>13. Many important products have been invented throughout history. Write a 1/2 page paper discussing the importance of some of those inventions and tell me which one you feel is the most important.</p>	<p>14. Create a song or poem. The theme of your song/poem needs to be on digital literacy. Your song/poem must be a minimum of one page.</p> <p>https://www.common sense media.org/</p>	<p>15. Write a 1/2 page news article for the school newspaper, Free Press! Choose from the following topics: Internet Resources and credibility, how to make safe passwords, or how to use keep yourself safe on-line.</p>	<p>16. Write a one page letter thanking someone who has had a positive influence in your life, using a form of technology. Google Docs, Word, Ipad app, etc.</p>

In order to give you some freedom and choice in your activities during days that I am absent, I have created a substitute teacher activity grid! Whenever I am absent, you should choose one of the assignments below to complete during your class time. The next time I am absent, you may choose another BUT it must be in the same column, row, or diagonal (think BINGO). If I am absent more than four days, your next assignments should begin in another row. When you complete your assignment, be sure to include the number of the assignment you chose. When an assignment is completed, circle it on your grid.