

Grade 12 Communications Technology

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An Independent Project Proposal

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Overview

The purpose of the independent project is to offer some flexibility with regards to course content. The project must meet the set terms and conditions and cannot be done without the teachers approval.

Terms and Conditions

Doing the independent project is a privilege, not a right. Therefore, you must meet the following conditions to do such a project:

- It must meet curriculum expectations. (Ask the teacher)
- You have finished a project from both Group A and B **and** both projects have been finished on time.
- You are consistently punctual; have good class attendance; and are respectful your peers and classroom procedures.
- The technology must be available at the school.
- The project proposal is complete and thorough.
- The marking scheme for the project is negotiated with the teacher ahead of time (See Evaluation)
- You have the teacher's approval.

Project Proposal

Copy and paste the following questions in a word processor and answer them in complete sentences using proper grammar.

Proposal Questions

What communications technology skills will you be using in this project?

How will this project be significantly different from the current projects listed? Make direct comparisons?

What technology is needed to complete this project?

What kind of preparation work is needed for this project? Include research

What is the scope of the project?

How many people are needed to meet the scope of the project?

Describe pre-production work needed to prepare for this project.

What will you do during production?

What kinds of things will you be doing in post-production?

What will the final product look and sound like when it is done? Describe with regard to scope, difficulty, output medium (print or screen, with or without sound)

Be descriptive and specific.

Very Important: Describe criteria in which the project can be evaluated? For each criterion you have to answer the question, “What make this a well done _____?”

Evaluation

This will be negotiated with the teacher before you commence any preproduction work. It must include the evaluation categories of Communications, Thinking and Inquiry and Application.

You may borrow from other marking schemes if they apply. Included in the thinking and inquiry mark is the proposal

It may include your work on the project proposal as a Thinking and Inquiry mark.

Rubric for Project Proposal

Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Level 4
Sentences are limited in their proper structure and grammar	Sentences are somewhat well structured and grammatically correct	Sentences are considerably well structured and grammatically correct	Sentences are well structured and grammatically correct
Paragraph have limited structure	Paragraphs are somewhat well structured	Paragraphs are considerably well structured	All paragraphs are well structured
Investigation is limited in its scope	Investigation is somewhat thorough	Investigation is considerably thorough	Investigation is thorough and addresses the design challenge