

Minnesota State University Moorhead College for Kids - Talented and Gifted [TAG] Edition

A MYSTERY IN HISTORY

COURSE DESCRIPTION:

CALLING ALL HISTORIAN AND JOURNALIST RESEARCHERS!

WE NEED YOU IN OUR "A *Mystery in History*" TAG COURSE! THIS COURSE IS FOR THE LEARNER WHO IS INTERESTED IN INTERPRETING THE PAST AND SOLVING OUR WORLDS' SOCIETIES LONGEST-STANDING ANALYTICAL QUESTIONS. BRING YOUR INVESTIGATIVE SKILLS WITH YOU AS WE ENGAGE IN DETECTIVE WORK REGARDING HISTORICAL EVENTS, INFLUENTIAL FIGURES, AND EVEN DETERMINE WHAT OF TODAY'S EVENTS WILL BE IMPORTANT IN FUTURE HISTORY BOOKS.

TAG COURSES THROUGH MSUM'S COLLEGE FOR KID'S PROGRAM ARE DESIGNED THROUGH A PROJECT- AND PROBLEM-BASED APPROACH

Inquiry-Based Approach to Learning

CREATIVE THINKING + NON-TRADITIONAL INTELLECT + SPECIFIC APTITUDE + PSYCHOMOTOR SKILLS + LEADERSHIP + VISUAL AND PERFORMING ARTS



Understanding

SELECT THE TOPIC YOU WANT TO INVESTIGATE

FAMILIARIZE YOURSELF WITH YOUR TOPIC AND DISCOVER QUESTIONS REGARDING IT

CLARIFY YOUR FOCUS

POSE A RESEARCH QUESTION

Planning

PLAN YOUR PROJECT

FIND MODELS AND EXAMPLES TO HELP PREPARE YOUR DESIGN

DESIGN YOUR PROJECT

GENERATE STEPS TO SOLVE YOUR PROBLEM/CREATE YOUR PROJECT

PLAN YOUR HYPOTHESIS

Investigating

TEST YOUR HYPOTHESIS

IMPLEMENT YOUR PROJECT PLAN

GENERATE YOUR PRODUCT TO ANSWER YOUR RESEARCH QUESTION

DECIDE ON A PRESENTATION/ PERFORMANCE PLATFORM

Deliberation

PRESENT YOUR FINDINGS

REFLECT WITH YOUR PEERS AND MENTORS

ENGAGE IN METACOGNITIVE REFLECTION STEPS

DECIDE ON WAYS TO EXTEND YOUR PROJECT

WHICH TAG COURSE IS RIGHT FOR ME? TAKE OUR **INTEREST QUIZ!**

MSUM TAG Courses are built for learners who:

- ✓ ARE INDEPENDENT
- ✓ ARE COMFORTABLE USING RESOURCES
- ✓ ARE COMFORTABLE WORKING WITH ABSTRACT CONCEPTS
- ✓ ARE GOAL-SETTERS
- ✓ ARE USED TO MAKING DECISIONS BASED ON DATA
- ✓ ARE ABLE TO PROBLEM-SOLVE
- ✓ ARE COMFORTABLE DRAWING CONCLUSIONS
- ✓ ARE EAGER TO LEARN
- ✓ ARE WILLING TO TEST DIFFERENT THEORIES
- ✓ ARE ADVENTUROUS AND CREATIVE

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