# If ran the school

# AN INTEREST INVENTORY

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Name		
Grade	Teacher	

If I ran the school, I would choose to learn about these ten things. I have thought about my answers very carefully and I have circled my best ideas for right now.

I am really interested in:

### **Science**

- 1. The Weather
- 2. Birds
- 3. Fish
- 4. Ocean and Life in the Ocean
- 5. Trees, Plants and Flowers
- 6. The Human Body
- 7. Animals and Their Homes
- 8. Space, Astronauts, and Rockets
- 9. Electricity, Light, and Energy
- 10. Volcanoes and Earthquakes
- 11. Insects
- 12. Reptiles
- 13. Rocks and Minerals
- 14. Machines and Engines
- 15. Medicine and Diseases
- 16. Chemistry
- 17. Inventing/Invention Process
- 18. Dogs, Cats, and Pets



# Technology/Audiovisual

- 1. Learning Something on the Web
- 2. Finding Information You Need on the Web
- 3. Designing a Web Page
- 4. Creating a Presentation for Others on the Web (Hyperstudio, Powerpoint, etc.)
- 5. Writing a Computer Program
- 6. Using a Digital Camera
- 7. Computer Animation
- 8. Editing Video on the Computer
- 9. Photography
- 10. Making a Film/Videotape
- 11. Creating or Editing Electronic Music
- 12. Designing Posters on the Computer

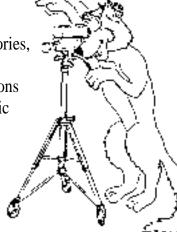
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### **Social Study**

- 1. My Family History
- 2. The Revolutionary War
- 3. The Civil War
- 4. World War I and II
- 5. The Korean War
- 6. The Vietnam War
- 7. United States History
- 8. The History of Other Countries
- 9. The beginning of Our Life on Earth
- 10. Famous Men
- 11. Famous Women
- 12. Explorers
- 13. History of My Town/City
- 14. Problems in Our Town/City
- 15. History of My School
- 16. Transportation in the Present, Past, or Future
- 17. Communication
- 18. Different People (Hispanics, Native Americans)
- 19. Cultural Differences (Language, Holidays, Food, Stories)

### Arts

- 1. Drawing
- 2. Illustrating Stories, Books, Poems
- 3. Making Cartoons
- 4. Creating Comic Strips
- 5. Painting
- 6. Sculpture
- 7. Digital Art



# Language Arts

- 1. Writing Stories
- 2. Writing a Book
- 3. Writing Poems
- 4. Writing a Newspaper
- 5. Writing Stories About Someone's life (Biography)
- 6. Writing the Story of Your Life (Autobiography)
- 7. Giving a Speech
- 8. Reading Favorite Books
- 9. Reading Challenging, New Books
- 10. Telling Stories
- 11. Making Cartoons or Comics
- 12. Learning Different languages (Spanish, French)
- 13. Learning Sign language
- 14. Creating a Game or Puzzle
- 15. Learning About Authors and Poets
- 16. Reading poetry
- 17. Drawing/Illustrating Stories or Poems
- 18. Writing Plays
- 19. Reading True Stories
- 20. Reading Biographies or Autobiographies
- 21. Reading to Learn How to Do

  Something

You forgot to list some of my very special interests. They are: