

If I 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

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)



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

Arts

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



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