

An inquiry originates with a question, problem, issue or exploration that is significant to the discipline and provides opportunity to create or produce something that contributes to the world's knowledge.

Authenticity

Academic Rigor

Students have opportunities to build deep understanding and create or produce high quality products and performances that mirror the disciplines.

Ongoing assessment woven into the design of the study guides students' learning and teachers' instructional planning.

Assessment

Elaborated

Communication

Students have opportunities to choose forms of expression appropriate to the task, and communicate what they are learning with a variety of audiences.



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Beyond the School

Students are encouraged to explore issues or problems with a focus on competencies expected in high performance work organizations, such as teamwork, organization, problem solving, communication, decision making and project management.

Connecting

with Expertise

Students are given opportunity to observe and interact with adults with relevant expertise and experience in a variety of situations.

Students are engaged in real (authentic) investigations using a variety of media, methods and sources.

Use of Technology

Appropriate

Technology is used in a purposeful manner that demonstrates an appreciation of new ways of thinking and doing.

Active Exploration

