

WebQuest Lesson Planner

Teacher Instructions

Use this WebQuest Lesson Planner to create your instructional plan for implementation of the WebQuest including the learning objectives, Internet resources, task list, instructional strategies, and assessment notes.

Basic WebQuest Guidelines

Before creating a WebQuest, decide what type will meet the needs of the learner. In a WebQuest activity, students read a plan you have designed and then research sources, primarily from the Internet. The WebQuest may be simple or complex, and cover 1-3 class periods or a more extended period of time.

Next, write your objectives for the WebQuest. Most are designed to take students to higher levels of thinking. Choose the content that must be mastered and the thinking skills to be practiced. As you research and plan the WebQuest, refer back to the objectives to make sure students will be focused on the required learning.

Research the kinds of resources that are available on the Internet for your content area. There are many sites with lists of links that have already been previewed by other educators. Choose the sites that address your objectives for the WebQuest. By including the site addresses in the WebQuest itself, students spend less time searching and more time on the actual topic and activity.

Assemble the components of your WebQuest:

- Introduction
- Resource list
- Task
- Strategy
- Conclusion

As part of the strategy, students may work individually or as part of a cooperative learning group. Write out the WebQuest on paper; make notes on possible graphics, color, and formatting styles. Then transfer the WebQuest into a document that students can access.

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Topic:

Content:	Concepts:	Skills:
Objectives:		
1.		
2.		
3.		

Plan for Assessment:

Resources	
Web Addresses:	Other Resources:

Task:

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Strategy	
Individual / Group Roles:	Steps--Break the task into sub-tasks:
	1.
	2.
	3.
	4.
	5.

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