



TAKE
NOTES

ENGLISH 4 FINAL SEMESTER 1

LIFE PLANNING

Name
Period



SEMESTER 1 FINAL RESEARCH PRESENTATION

- Create your own Google Slideshow by Duplicating **each** slide and answer EVERY question.
- Every answer must have a source for how/where that information was gathered (50% deducted for an answer without a verifiable source)
- If a question does not apply to you (i.e., “car payment expense” explain *in detail* for that question how/why it does **not** apply)
- This project will be due Wed. 12/13/17 and each will be presented by the student in class.
- Pictures accompanying the slides to add more visual interest will help improve the grade.
- Inaccurate answers, incomplete answers, or answers where the source is unreliable will be deducted 50% or more.
- This project is worth 200 points.
- You will have time in class each day to work on this. Blocks (the teacher’s ability to check what you are using the computer for) will be used each day to check on whether the student is working or wasting time. A 50 point participation/research grade will be given during the research time preparing for this project.

RESUME

- Full Name
- Contact Information
- Seeking:
- Education (high school name, address, year graduated)
- Extra curricular Activities
- Work and or volunteer experiences related to work with specific places, time (month/year - month/year) and Description of duties
- Special Skills
- References - names, contacts, titles

POST HIGH SCHOOL EDUCATION - CITE SOURCES WITH EVERY ANSWER

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- What colleges/universities/trade schools have I considered?
- Where are they located (city & state)?
- What program of study am I interested in at the schools I have chosen? (be sure they have such a program)
- What are the costs for classes or degree program?
- How will I pay for this education?
- When will I begin the program of study?
- When do I expect to be finished with this schooling?
- TOTAL SCHOOLING COST PER MONTH \$ _____

LIVING EXPENSES – RESEARCH & CITE SOURCES

- MONTHLY COST ESTIMATE (sources for each answer)
- Where will I live?
- What will housing cost me (rent)?
- Utilities Expense (electricity; Gas/heating; water; trash; cable, internet; cell phone)
- Car payment?
- Gasoline Expense?
- Car Insurance Expense?
- Grocery cost per week and month?
- Entertainment Expenses (movies, fast food, dates, etc.)
- Clothing & Self care expense (clothes, hair cuts, deodorant, razors, hair products, etc.)
- TOTAL ESTIMATED COST TO EXIST EACH MONTH: _____

REALITY CHECK

- Take the total cost of your living expenses per month \$ _____ and add in schooling costs \$ _____
- MY total monthly living expenses will be \$ _____
- This is how much I need to make each month *working* to afford to live on my own, go to school, and survive? \$ _____
- What job will allow me to make that amount each month by working? What job pays enough per hour?
- How many hours do I have to work at \$ ___ per hour to make that much money each month?
- IF I am going to school for 10-15 hours per week, can I work enough hours to go to school AND pay living expenses?
- What if my school hours interfere with working hours?
- Unexpected expenses! The solution must be to have some savings - (unexpected meaning, sickness, birthdays, special dates, flat tire, driving too many miles and needing more gas money, etc. - what other unexpected expenses?
- How much savings should you have? \$ _____
- How much do you have to set aside per month to have that much savings in 6 months? Show the math (if I save \$ _____ per month, over 6 months I will have \$ _____, and a new tire would cost \$ _____.)

INTERVIEW WITH AN EXPERT

- whatever the job/area you intend to see yourself working in the future, you must find at least 1 person who you will interview.
- full name and title
- work place
- work experience (how long in this field and job)
- education/training specific for how this job was acquired
- advice to one seeking to work in this field.

REVISED PLANS AND WHAT I LEARNED

- Have I had to revise my plans or expenses? (the answer is yes). What specific areas or expense or work or school have you revised?)
- What have I learned that will help me plan ahead - be VERY specific - 1 paragraph minimum.