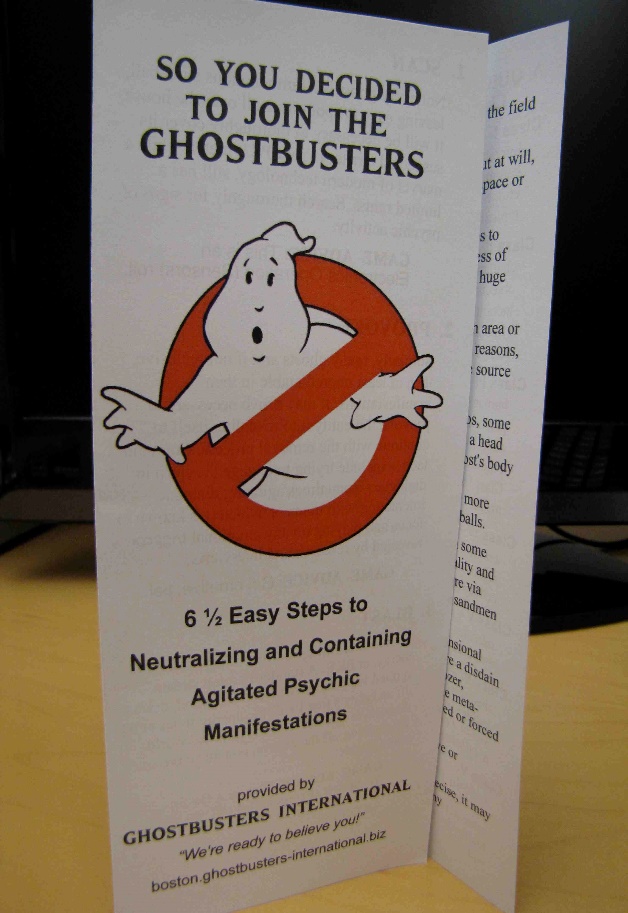
**Grade 5 Independent Research Mini Project**

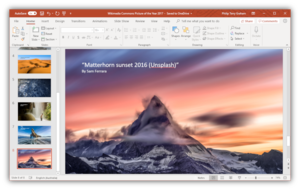
Starting last fall, as a class, we gathered information about Oceans. We read books, watched videos, and searched the internet for facts and details. After everyone was given a more specific topic about oceans, we made notes from these sources and picked the most important information and started writing a descriptive report in paragraphs. Some even had an illustration(picture), map or chart to label to go with their topic.

Now, you get to choose **any topic** you are interested in – to learn more about or to share with me if you wish. Once you have gathered all your information, you can choose to share it in a:

* Poster- with a title and labeled facts and details and illustrations (drawings)/graphics (pictures).
* Descriptive report – put all your facts and details in full sentences in 3 paragraphs: an introduction, middle and conclusion.
* Pamphlet – fold your paper in three. The first page is like a title page, the other 5 sides can be filled in with information and graphics.
* Power point – a mix of images and facts/details on 3-5 slides.



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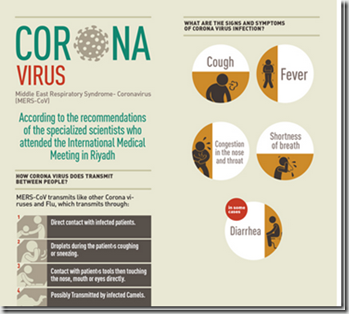
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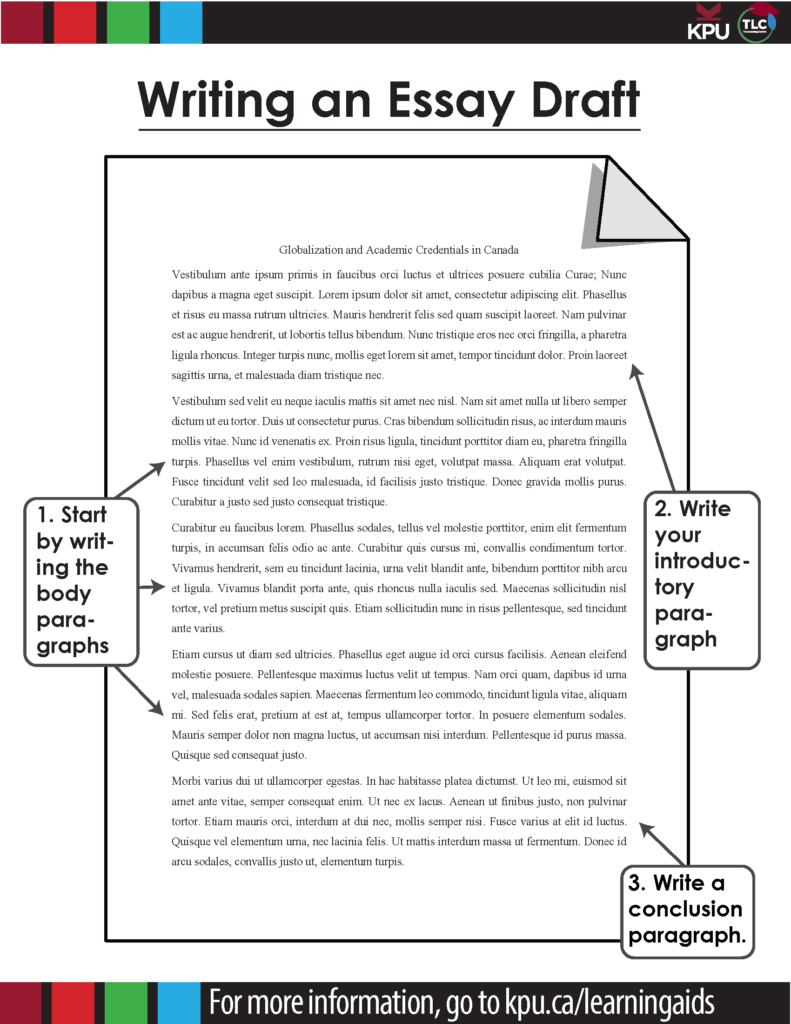


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Descriptive report



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Once you are finished, ask a parent to take a picture of it (poster/report) and send it to me, or send me your power point to my email: [christina.savoy@nbed.nb.ca](mailto:christina.savoy@nbed.nb.ca).

Don’t forget to **source** your facts/details by listing the URL address of the sites where you got some good information. If you used a book, list the title and author. If you found a great video to help you out, list the title and URL. It is **always important** to show where you found your information!

Here are some sites from class that may help you out:

1- kidtopia 5. kidrex  
2- GoGooligans 6. Fact monster  
3- Kiddle 7. cybersleuth  
4-kidzsearch