

Lesson Plan Outline

Week 1 – Follow Your Dreams

Theme: Career and Life Goals

Skills: Researching, planning, relating cause and effect, analyzing maps

Week 2 – Preparation

Theme: Vision and Motivation

Skills: Designing a model, calculating speed, mapping, using a log, research

Week 3 – Environment: Water & Air

Theme: Resource Impacts

Skills: Converting fractions and decimal percents, calculating ratios and proportions, making a model, persuasive writing, graphing, reading maps

Week 4 – Forces of Nature

Theme: Natural Forces

Skills: Collaborating, mapping, research

Week 5 – Science & Technology

Theme: Technological Development

Skills: Researching, sketching, interpreting data, graphing, calculating, statistics, predicting

Week 6 – Invisible Places

Theme: An Understanding of “Place”

Skills: Using maps, letter writing, using empathy, orienteering (using a compass), research

Week 7 – Teamwork & Perseverance

Theme: The Team’s Commitment

Skills: Making decisions, collaborating, showing respect, research

Week 8 – Decision-Making

Theme: Making Decisions

Skills: Making decisions, reading maps, collecting data

Week 9 – Wildlife

Theme: Adaptation and Interconnectedness

Skills: Brainstorming, graphing, identifying cause and effect, calculating, research

Week 10 – What I’ll Miss/Defining Success

Theme: Defining Success

Skills: Mapping, drama, creative expression, setting goals, planning, making decisions, writing