CAPSTONE PROJECT Name:

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BRAINSTORMING SHEET #1

The following questions are designed to get you thinking about your interests and priorities. Use this as a method to discover a Capstone Project you will feel passionate about.

1. List 3 things you are interested in:

a)

b)

c)

1. List 3 things that are important to you:

a)

b)

c)

1. List 5 of your favorite activities (i.e. drawing, playing soccer, listening to music, playing the piano)

a)

b)

c)

d)

e)

1. List 3 places that make you feel safe, happy and content. Be specific. (i.e. your family room couch with your dog sitting next to you. Your grandmother’s cottage)

a)

b)

c)

1. List 3 places that make you feel uncomfortable, tense, or anxious (i.e. a foreign country, in a large group of people, in the dark basement)

a)

b)

c)

1. List 3 individual pieces of music or songs you like. For each explain what visual images come to mind while you listen to it and what mood each creates.
2. title/performer/description:
3. title/performer/description:
4. title/performer/description:
5. List 3 films that have influenced or inspired you. Explain how it influenced or inspired you. Be very specific.
6. Film 1: title and explanation:
7. Film 2: title and explanation:
8. Film 3: title and explanation:
9. 8) List 3 books or stories you have read and have influenced you in some way. Explain how it influenced or inspired you. Be very specific.
10. Book 1: title, author, and explanation:
11. Book 1: title, author, and explanation:
12. Book 1: title, author, and explanation:
13. List 3 memories from your childhood that stand out in your mind.

a)

b)

c)

1. List 3 artists or photographers whose work appeals to you and briefly explain why.
2. artist 1 name and description:
3. artist 2 name and description:
4. artist 3 name and description:
5. List 3 art movements/styles, historical or contemporary, that appeal to you and briefly explain why. (For example: Surrealism, Pop Art, Pop Surrealism, Impressionism, SuperFlat, Manga, Abstraction…)

a)

b)

c)

1. List 3 art or photography trends that appeal to you and briefly explain why for each. (For example: Levitation, Light Painting, Double Exposure…)

a)

b)

c)

1. List 3 graphic design or photography related careers you are interested in and briefly explain why for each. (For example: Photojournalist, fashion photographer, children’s book illustrator, graphic designer for company branding, sports photographer, National Geographic photographer, animated movie illustrator…)

a)

b)

c)

1. List 3 digital art or photography skills/techniques you feel very confident and successful with.

a)

b)

c)

1. List 3 digital art or photography skills/techniques you would like to learn more about.

a)

b)

c)

1. List 2 of your favorite or most successful projects you completed this year in class and explain why for each.

a) project 1 and explanation:

b) project 2 and explanation:

1. List 3 things/topics/activities/dreams/goals you are extremely passionate about and explain why.

a) passion 1 and explanation:

b) passion 2 and explanation:

c) passion 3 and explanation: