

“Find the Prize Inside of Every Child”

2013 - 10 Day Passion Challenge

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This year as part of our Identity Day and Genius Hour Project, I will be hosting our 10 Day Passion Challenge on Edmodo from May 6 - May 17. I am inviting other interested classes to join us. Decide which level of involvement you and your class want to do and then let their passions shine.

Directions for Teachers

There are three levels of participation.

Level 1

- Add your information to [this Google Form](#).
- Before May 6, request permission to join the 2013 Identity Day Edmodo group.
<http://www.edmodo.com/home#/join/1abef6b7de2780883f2b54bd73f32a85>
Once I add you to the group, I will make you a co-teacher, and then you can share the group code with your students so they can join the group.
- Each day from May 6 - May 17, I (or another teacher) will post the day's Passion question (see list below). Your students will login to Edmodo each day and respond to the question. Hopefully they will respond to others in the group also.

Level 2

- Complete the Level 1 steps.
- Invite your student to create a way to share their passion with others. This could be in the form of a tri-fold display board, a multimedia presentation, a Glogster, a blog post, a video, etc.
- On the afternoon of May 17 (or another date that works for you) your students will share their passions with your class.

Level 3

- Complete the steps for Level 1 and Level 2.
- Connect with a couple of other classes (refer to [this Google spreadsheet](#)) to do a Google Hangout (or Skype group call) to share your passion presentation with other classes.

The 10 Day Passion Challenge Questions

Day 1 What is your passion?

Day 2 When did you realize this was your passion?

Day 3 Do you know anyone else who shares your passion? Tell us about them.

Day 4 How much time do you spend a day, a week, or a month pursuing your passion?

Day 5 What or who helps you pursue your passion?

Day 6 What things do you own or would like to own to pursue your passion?

Day 7 What interferes with you pursuing your passion and why?

Day 8 If you could interview an expert about your passion, who would you choose? Why?

Day 9 "Nothing great in the world has ever been accomplished without passion." [Georg Wilhelm Friedrich Hegel](#) How do you feel about this quote?

Day 10 What do you think might cause your passion to change as you get older?

Directions for Students

We are participating in Level ____ of this 10 Day Passion Challenge from May 6 - May 17 (and maybe beyond).

Level 1:

- Use the code your teacher provides you and join the Edmodo Identity Day group on or before May 6.
- Each day from May 6 - May 17 you will logon to Edmodo and respond to the Passion question of the day. You might also like to respond to others who are part of this group.

Level 2

- Decide on how you want to present your passion to your classmates. It could be a trifold display board, a multimedia presentation, a Glogster, a blog post, a video, etc. You decide.
- Work on your Identity Day presentation and be prepared to share it on May 17 (or another date your teacher will announce).

Level 3

- Your teacher will let you know if you are taking your Identity Day Project to this level.
- If your class is participating in Level 3, then on the scheduled day, be prepared to share your Identity Day Project with other classes via Google Hangout or Skype.

Resources

- [Google Form sign up](#)
- [Participants on Google spreadsheet](#)
- [George Couros's Reform Symposium](#) (be patient this might take awhile to load - drag slider to 20:00 to start hearing George's presentation.)
- [George Couros's Diigo links](#)
- My blog post - Identity Day - [Let Your Passion Shine](#)
- Wendy Eitlejorg's blog post - [My Version of Identity Day Update 1](#)

***Note - if you like this project but are not an Edmodo user, feel free to remix this project to suit your needs. You can go to File>Make a copy> and then edit to your heart's content.