

Capstone Poster Requirements

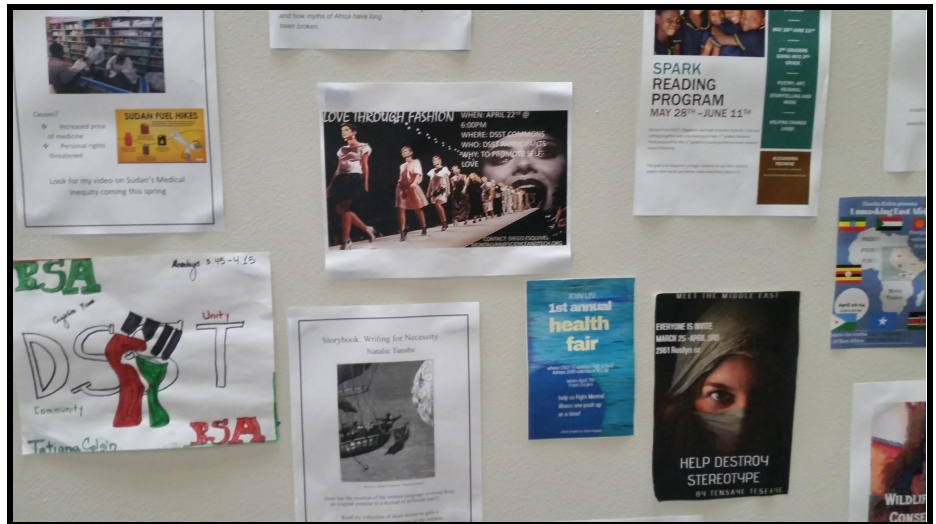
This assignment is an opportunity to publicize your capstone project to students, staff, and the public. These posters will be on display in the hallway for the entire school community. They are public displays of your commitment to and your interest in your project topics. Please adhere to the following guidelines in order to produce a professional, understandable, and attractive poster.

Content:

- ☐ Your full name on the front
- ☐ A title for your project and description of your product
- ☐ A picture of some kind that relates to your topic
- ☐ No spelling or grammatical errors

Organization:

- ☐ Must be neat, clear and legible
- ☐ Information must be understandable and easy to follow
- ☐ Sized to fit a 8.5"X11" sheet of paper
- ☐ Saved as a .jpg



Design:

- Be creative. Make a poster that is a unique, artistic reflection of your topic.
- Computer generated posters are encouraged but hand-drawn posters are acceptable.
- Take pride in your work.
- Use color and design to showcase your topic in an eye- catching and attractive manner.
- If you would like to design a Facebook banner in Canva instead, talk to your site coordinator.

Resources:

- Try a free poster-making app, like one of these:
 - Posterini (www.posterini.com)
 - Canva (www.canva.com/)
 - Adobe Spark (<https://spark.adobe.com/>)
- For a great selection of FREE stock photos, go to www.pexels.com
- Canva Tips - Before you start designing, go to "custom dimensions" in the top right of the screen and enter 8.5X11 **INCHES** not pixels. Also it is important that you do it in the right order - first select **INCHES** and then enter the values (8.5 X 11)
 - Design your poster and save/download as a **JPG** file
 - You should be able to find your downloaded poster in your Files on your chromebook. You might need to click "All Apps" to find it