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Inquiry Based Research Project Outline.
Level

Staff Involved:

Big Idea / Concept:

(What is a major concept/big idea you want the children to grasp?)

Understandings and skills to be developed:

*(What are the understandings you want the children to have about this concept/big idea?
What are the skills the children need to explore this concept/big idea?)*

Exploring existing understandings of children:

(Question and type of response e.g. written, drawing, conversation, forum)

(What are the children's current theories about the concept / big idea? How will you explore and document these theories?)

Documentation Methods:

Immersion Experiences: (e.g. workshops, LA activities, PD, excursion, incursion, guest speakers, discipline knowledge covered)

(How will you broaden the children's understandings to see the possibilities for further exploration? How will you further unpack their theories?)

Documentation Methods:

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Research Question:

(What is a deep, purposeful research question for the group to investigate? Does the research question match the understandings and skills you wanted to achieve?)

Outline of research: (e.g. workshops, LA activities, PD, excursion, incursion, guest speakers, discipline knowledge covered, timeline)

(What are the steps needed to answer the research question?)

Documentation Methods:

Project :

Theory / theories to be presented:

(At the conclusion of the research, what are the children's theories which are to be documented in the project?)

Presentation Form:

(What is the appropriate presentation form?)

Outline of project outcome development: (e.g. workshops, LA activities, excursion, incursion, PD, guest speakers, discipline knowledge covered, timeline)

(What are the steps needed to achieve the project?)

Documentation Methods:

Exhibition of Project :

(What is a suitable means of exhibiting the project to the community?)

Exhibition Type:

Date :

Venue:

Audience:

Documentation Methods:

Reflection on the overall project:

Final Documentation:

(How will the project be presented to the whole school community i.e. panel, display book, film documentary?)