

TOPICS AND QUESTIONS FOR 20TH CENTURY GROUP PROJECTS IN HEALTH

Topics relate to body parts and body systems. See chapters 2 and 4 in the health text for ideas:

CIRCULATORY SYSTEM (HEART)

RESPIRATORY SYSTEM (LUNGS)

DIGESTIVE SYSTEM (STOMACH, INTESTINES, AND BOWEL)

URINARY SYSTEM (KIDNEYS)

LIVER

SKELETAL AND MUSCULAR SYSTEMS (BONES)

SKIN, HAIR AND TEETH

KNOWLEDGE

What system is it?

Write an introductory paragraph describing the system.

Define terms and make a diagram labeling parts.

Provide statistics.

COMPREHENSION

How might making good/bad choices about this system affect a person's health?

Write paragraphs to explain.

Show pictures to illustrate consequences of good/bad choices.

APPLICATION

What should you do to stay healthy?

Show how to keep this system healthy.

Demonstrate exercises.

ANALYSIS

How does this body system affect other systems of the body?

How might making good/bad choices about this system affect a person's physical/mental/emotional health?

Write paragraphs with illustrations.

Create and videotape a puppet show or skit.

SYNTHESIS

How can you teach a person to make good choices to help keep this body system healthy? What arguments could you use to convince them?

Write a persuasive ad, song, essay, letter to the editor, pamphlet or brochure. Make sure you include several compelling reasons developed in detail.

EVALUATION

How important is the system? How much of an impact does it have on a person's overall health on a daily basis/in an emergency?

Write paragraphs including your conclusion.