Questions...

"You can tell whether a man is clever by his answers. You can tell whether a man is wise by his questions."

Naguib Mahfouz

"Curiosity is part of the cement that holds society together."

Robertson Davies

"Adults ask questions as a child does. When you stop wondering, you might as well put your rocker on the front porch and call it a day."

Johnny Carson

What do you want to know about Mr. Morgan?



Cold Questions:

- 1. Questions that usually have a simple answer maybe even one word.
- 2. Answer is just facts (maybe a long list, but just facts, no thinking).
- 3. The answer can be found just by research or reading no thinking.
- 4. There is only one right answer.
- 5. Possibly only need one or two sources to answer the question.

Cold Questions



Hot Questions:

- 1. Questions usually have longer, more detailed answers.
- 2. The answer is based on facts but includes interpreting the facts, drawing conclusions, making inferences, and lots of thinking.
- 3. Answer can only be found by combining information from several sources and thinking about it or making inferences not written in a book somewhere.
- 4. Could be many possible right answers or perspectives.
- 5. Relies on many sources of information.



Hot Questions

How can we make these questions more meaningful?

Egypt Project Steps:

- 1. Ouestions
- 2. Book Notes/Outline/Citations
- 3. Online Notes/Outline/Citations
- 4. Bibliography
- 5. Presentation

Assignment 1- Major/Hot Questions:

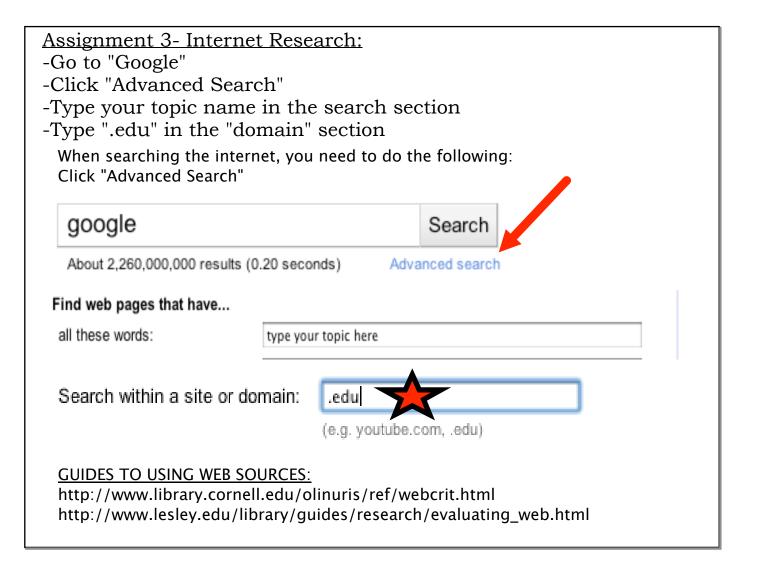
- 1. What do you want to know about your topic?
- -Come up with as many questions about your topic as you can
- -Come up with 3-5 HOT/MAJOR questions (these will guide your research)

Assignment 2- Outline of Notes:

- -Get a book from the cart and look for information on your topic (type the title and author of the book in your notes)
- -Using your questions, take notes that help you answer these questions

EXAMPLE:

- I. Why did the Egyptians mummify?
 - A. To preserve the body for the afterlife
 - В. ...
 - C. ...



Assignment 4- Bibliography: LOOK FOR:

- 1. Author (last name, first name, middle initial)
- 2. Title (capitalize the first letters of each word)
- 3. Publisher (this is the company that printed the book)
- 4. Publishing City and State
- 5. Copyright Date (C)
- 6. Pages You Used

Book Example:

Morgan, Darren R. Taming Wildlife: The Story of a 7th Grade Middle School Teacher. Morgan Publishing: Joplin, MO. 2009. (pgs. 102, 134-140).

- 1. Find the author/maker of the website (may be a company)
- 2. Find the title of the website
- 3. Find the date it was last updated or copyright date
- 4. Put the date you last accessed it (today)
- 5. Put the URL (website address/www.)

Website Example:

Garrett, Steven A. Six-Toed People. 13 August 2007. [accessed 21 October 2010]. <www.sixtoedpeople.edu>.

*WHEN YOU HAVE ALL OF YOUR SOURCES YOU WILL NEED TO PUT THEM IN ALPHABETICAL ORDER BY THE AUTHORS' LAST NAME

Assignment 5: Presentation

Presentation Options/Requirements:

- -You may use PowerPoint, Smart Notebook, Weebly, iMovie, etc.
- -Cover your questions and answers in the presentation (aim for 3-5 minutes if you have tons of info.)
- -Presentation must have a bibliography (a place/slide where your source citations are all together and in alphabetical order)
- -You need to have visual aids (pictures, make something/build something, poster board, etc.)