Our Local Natural Resources





LESSON 3: Creating a Class Google Site

OVERVIEW & PURPOSE

Students will work in pairs or teams and edit a page assigned to them on the class site. You can use the "Our Local Natural Resources" template and give page level permissions to groups of students.

CONTENT STANDARDS

NGSS: MS-ESS3 Earth and Human Activity

CCSS Math: Math Practice Standards

OBJECTIVES

Students will edit and post the information they researched in the previous lesson on the class site.

Students will create a resource for the class to learn about the resource they have researched.

Students will learn how to create and manage a web page/site.

VOCABULARY

Terms will be specific to each group

MATERIALS NEEDED

Internet access & Google Drive

TEACHER PREPARATION

Use the template created called "Our Local Natural Resources" and modify it to meet the needs of your class. Use the gear icon and "manage site" to create page level permissions and allow students to edit the site. You will need to spend some time with the site ahead of time. You may want to assign teams a "lead editor" who has access and the team can edit as a group. Be sure to address copyright issues and making their entries visually interesting.

Link to template: <u>Our Local Natural Resources</u>

ACTIVITY

Student teams will work together to post their information and edit their page on the class site. You may want to have them write one or two questions about their research to be added to a scavenger hunt that each student will complete to learn about all of the resources before the culminating field trip.