

Lakeview High School

Senior Project Paper Reference Interview

All seniors must complete this form and meet with their capstone advisor before finishing the research necessary to write their Senior Project Paper.

Name: _____

Senior Project:

Research Paper Topic:

A BIG6 plan for completing the research necessary for a successful research paper. Following this process will help you keep organized and reduce the time it takes to finish a quality paper. Use the space provided to write notes about the steps in the process.

1. Task Definition

1.1 Define the information problem

1.2 Identify information needed in order to complete the task (to solve the information problem)

2. Information Seeking Strategies

2.1 Determine the range of possible sources (brainstorm)

2.2 Evaluate the different possible sources to determine priorities (select the best sources)

3. Location and Access

3.1 Locate sources (intellectually and physically)

3.2 Find information within sources

4. Use of Information

4.1 Engage (e.g., read, hear, view, touch) the information in a source

4.2 Extract relevant information from a source

5. Synthesis

5.1 Organize information from multiple sources

5.2 Present the information

6. Evaluation

6.1 Judge the product (effectiveness)

6.2 Judge the information problem-solving process (efficiency)

Fill in this form with your advisor (teacher).

Advisor Comments:

Advisor Signature: _____