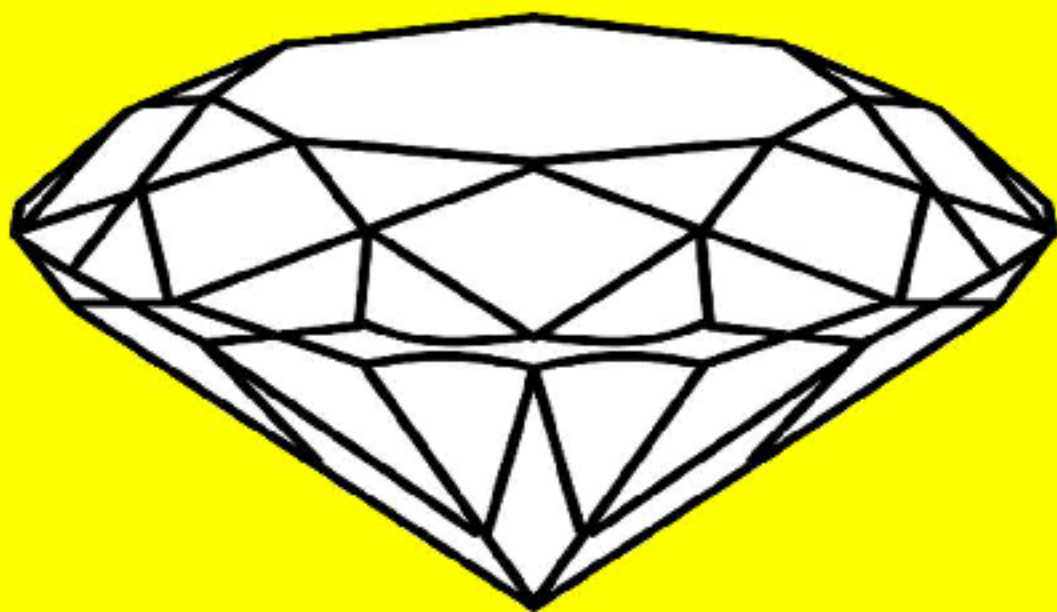# What's the Question?

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Mendez Fundamental Intermediate

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Criteria:
The project must focus an **essential question with the criteria below**:

6th /7th grade: Topic + Universal Theme
8th grade: Topic + Universal Theme + Content Imperative
                            AND
Must end with an essential question with the same criteria

Students must be GATE identified, VAPA, or an Honors student in good standing within your class.

The project must be multi –media and display novelty.
(ex. Science project and notebook, poster and art , music and technology, live demonstration and handouts etc.)
The project must be cross-curricular:

Math		any other subject
Language Arts		and
Science	+	current events/happenings
History		
Technology		
Art		

The project should be presented orally, and should incorporate technology within the process.

The project should be no more than 5-10 minutes.

What's the Question?

Hello Mendez inquiring minds! This year our focus is Unanswered Questions. All great projects start with what you what to find out, and after research, end with more questions about what more you may want to know about the subject. *Your project must start with a question and end with a question. Both questions must be prominently displayed on your project.*

6ᵗʰ and 7ᵗʰ grade In order to create a question, make a theme and turn it into a question. Ex:

<u>Universal Theme</u> (Great for science, math , history, societal questions, physical education, current events)

Change is constant.   Is **change** constant?

<u>Literary Theme</u>   *Topic + Verb* (Great for literature, history, societal questions, art, music, current events)

Love requires **risk**.   Does **love** require **risk**?