

# ***Foods 11/12 Synergy Inquiry***

This semester, you will be introduced to a number of topics that critique our modern food system. Through this exploration, it is our hope that you will identify your curiosities and create a driving question. You will search for the answers to your driving question through connecting with people in our community that work with food. Learning the skills, needed to create a movie, will be taught throughout the course thus providing you a medium to you tell your story. The technology you will access to support this project is a Macbook Pro with iMovie. Additionally, the class will have access to 2 Hero 5 GoPros. Learning will be celebrated at a film festival at the end of May.

- You will work in groups of 3-4
- Each group will have access to a Macbook pro with iMovie
- Students will have access to GoPros for filming (many students will prefer to film using their phones).
- You will be supported throughout the semester during class time and focus blocks to allow you to be successful.

## **Why make movies?**

- Students will retain what they learn
- Helps students better express their deep understanding of core classroom content
- Promotes creativity
- Student engagement
- Improve technology and problem-solving skills
- Potential Authentic Audience
- Skill set that is desirable in the workforce
- Making meaningful connections and networking within our community

## **Skills that will be supported through the Project:**

- How to construct a driving question for research
- Interview skills
- Research- support with cold-calls, to learn more about your topic
- Basic Filming skills
- Storyboarding
- Critical Thinking/Creative Thinking
- Editing

## **Output:**

You will be expected to produce a short film that tells a story about food from our region and the people that work with it. You will have an opportunity to submit this film to a film festival at the end of May. More info to come.....

## **Assessment:**

This project will be worth 40% of your final grade. Ms. Ruff will provide you with a grading rubric.

Additionally, you will be engaging in feedback that feeds forward.

- Self Reflection
- Peer Review
- Teacher Review
- Experts Review