

Where I Am From High School/Elementary Project Outline

This project will combine writing poetry, digital photography and working with Adobe Photoshop/Premiere Elements. High school students will first learn the skills and knowledge in their Digital Imaging class and then have the opportunity to teach a fourth grade students what they have learned. Both groups will travel to each others classrooms which will build a relationship between the students and make the elementary students more comfortable with the idea of eventually going to the high school.

Time Line

Stage One: Writing

- Elementary students work on poetry unit and write “Where I am From” poem
- High school students work on digital photography and photo editing, then write “Where I am From” poem.
- High school student visit elementary school to share and edit poems



Stage Two: Digital Photography

- High school students take photographs to go with their poem and then create their personal slideshow/movie.
- High school student visit elementary to teach digital photography through a scavenger hunt activity
- Elementary students take photographs to go with their poems

Stage Three: Digital Story Telling

- Elementary students visit high school, watch high school student movie and download and organize their own slideshow
- Elementary students spend two more days editing, selecting music and adding narration to movies

Stage Four: Celebration

- High School students visit elementary school to watch and celebrate the elementary movies

