

Book Planner

Product Description	Instructional Value	Planning Considerations
Book with Preface and Table of Contents with student-designed cover and one article from each student	motivational, skills development, content mastery in specific areas.	
Accompanied by student illustration	increases motivation and ownership, addresses visual learners' needs.	
Organized into sections by themes	provides example of knowledge as a system, invites students to apply systems thinking to their work.	
Thematic Sections introduced by essays explaining the themes and describing the relationships between the themes and the stories	provides some opportunities for differentiation, reinforces connections among broad concepts and individual topics, reinforces systems thinking	

Other Topics/Issues of importance represented in an Appendix (as a glossary, atlases, maps, graphs and charts, illustrations, resources. etc.)	multiple opportunities for differentiation, multiple opportunities to include different learning styles, increases opportunities to include other disciplines	
Indexed by topics, countries, themes, historical events, historical figures, etc.	supports deep systems thinking, deepens opportunities for differentiation, develops the skills of real book makers/editors, increase literacy skills with print media.	