How to Choose a Topic

Consider the following types of topics for your digital story.

1. A digital story that uses images to illustrate the interconnections between people and the natural world. For example, you might:
    - Think of a situation in which you see people interacting with nature—for example, teenagers working in a garden or children playing in a forest. Do these interactions appear to be positive or negative? What types of emotions are displayed, if any, and how do you think the interactions impact the people involved?
    - Think of a situation in which you see a conflict between people and nature, such as a person leaving trash in a park or a factory releasing waste into a stream or river. How does this conflict impact people and the natural world? Can these conflicts be resolved? Why or why not?

2. A digital story that shows how decisions by one person or group can impact others. For example, you might:
    - Identify and comment on how rules in your school impact different students or student groups.
    - Identify and comment on how laws or regulations in your community impact different groups of people.
    - Identify and comment on how one person's decision to act (to help someone in need, to initiate a community project, etc.) can impact the wider community.

3. A digital story using images to focus on the choices we make—in our personal lives, in school, in our community, or in the larger world. For example, you might:
    - Identify and comment on the choices you and your peers make about how to spend your free time (which electives and extracurricular activities you choose at school, how you spend your weekends, what you do with your friends, etc.).
    - Identify and comment on the choices your community has made about setting aside green spaces, choosing the locations of various public services, making laws that regulate pets, etc.
    - Identify and comment on the choices people make about media, such as what music to listen to or what television shows to watch.

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