

**FUQUAY-VARINA HIGH SCHOOL
GRADUATION PROJECT RESEARCH PAPER/TOPIC PROPOSAL**

Name: _____ English Teacher: _____

Section I: Explain your research project

Topic for project:

Tentative Essential Question or thesis statement to be developed in your research paper:

Rationale/reason for topic selection:

Justification of topic as a learning stretch (Learning Stretch: the art of making great demands upon one's abilities while gaining knowledge, comprehension or mastery through experience or study):

Section II: Explain the product idea you have at this time (final determination will be made upon completion of your research paper)

Check one: certification of skill physical product demonstration of acquired skill to a third party

Tentative product description: _____

Student Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

To be completed by Junior English Teacher (upon consultation with Advisor and/or Graduation Project Committee, if deemed necessary by English Teacher)

Your topic has been

Approved **Denied *** **Clarification Needed ***
* see reverse for more information

Jr. English Teacher (Print Name)

Jr. English Teacher (Signature)

Date

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After careful review of your Graduation Project Research Paper/Topic Proposal and the guidelines governing the Project, the following decision has been made on your topic proposal:

_____ Clarification is needed in one or more of the following areas:

- Not a significant learning stretch*
- Topic too broad
- Topic too narrow
- Other: _____

Comments:

_____ **Denied** as specified below; please resubmit proposal by the following date: _____

- No apparent learning stretch*
- Creativity is lacking
- Not worthy of academic research
- Violates WCPSS policy
- Other: _____

Comments:

Product Suggestions:

- likely to require less than 15 hours work
- description unclear
- product is only a presentation
- product considered dangerous
- weak product

Comments: