"Unsolved Mysteries" WebQuest   **Name:** _____

A **WebQuest** is an inquiry-oriented lesson format
in which learners gather information from online resources.

Getting Acquainted With This WebQuest: Scavenger Hunt!

Directions: Answer the following questions about this research project WebQuest to

What role are you going to play for this research project? (**Hint**: Read the "Introduction.")

What are the two 9th Grade Literature Standards you must master with this project?
(**Hint**: Check the "GPS" tab.)

Standard #1: _____

Standard #2: _____

Your Report: (**Hint**: Check the "Task" and "Process" tabs for this information.)

How long will it be? _____ Pages   How big will your margins be? _____

What font will you use? _____

How many major research questions must you answer in your report? _____

What is the first research question you must answer?

_____

Which research question will require you to write <u>persuasively</u> about your topic?

_____

What size are source cards? ____ x ____ inches   What size are note cards? ____ x _____ inches

How many source cards do you have to have? _____   How many note cards? _____

What 3 major written components will be turned in for your written project?

  1) _____ 2) _____ 3) _____

How many mysteries total are there from which to choose your research topic? _____

Under which tab can you find resources for completing this project? _____

WebQuest WebSite: UNSOLVEDMYSTERIES.WEEBLY.COM

The Research Process

Stage 1: Choosing a Topic

What is Research?
- Discovering more about a topic in which you are interested by searching for answers from different sources
- Gathering facts
- Finding examples
- Organizing ideas
- Combining words and ideas from other writers and thinkers with your own

TODAY'S GOAL: SELECT A TOPIC.

Directions:
1) Go to the WebQuest: **UNSOLVEDMYSTERIES.WEEBLY.COM**
2) Click on the "Mysteries" tab.
3) View the images and read the information for **all 12 mysteries** on this page.
4) Decide which topics interests you the most and label it below.
5) Respond to the questions below.

The topic I have selected is "_____."

I am most interested in this topic because _____

_____

_____

_____.

Some questions I have about this topic are

1) _____?

2) _____?

3) _____?

Some things I learned about my topic today are

1) _____

2) _____