

HBCU SELFIE FRAME PROJECT

Objectives:

- Students will acquire a better understanding of the unique educational and cultural opportunities that exist at Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCUs)
- Students will acquire a better understanding of researching utilizing various resources
- Students will acquire a better understanding of college exploration and the application process
- Students will construct an HBCU selfie frame for a selected HBCU utilizing the research acquired

Pre-Project Work

Source: You Tube

Title: Black College Anthem by Griot B

Link: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ozjeMavhvdQ>

Source: CNN

Title: United Shades of America w. W. Kamau Bell, Season 3, Episode 6

Link: <https://www.tvguide.com/tvshows/united-shades-of-america/episode-6-season-3/hbcus/919198/>

Source: You Tube

Title: Tell Them We are Rising: The Story of Black Colleges & Universities

Link: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Cgmri7VBzpA>

Recommended Resources

Books

Brooks, F.E. & Starks, G. Historically Black Colleges and Universities: An Encyclopedia. Greenwood. 2011.

Websites

The Hundred Seven <http://www.thehundred-seven.org/>

*This site also contains the list of HBCUs and their websites

Procedures

1. Complete the pre-project work
2. Select a 4-year Historically Black College/University to research
3. Answer the Questions for Research
4. Create a selfie frame that incorporates the responses

Questions for Research

1. What is the name of the institution?
2. In what city and state is the institution located?
3. When was the institution founded?
4. What was the institutions original name and founding purpose?
5. What type of institution is it? (Public/Private) (Co-ed/Single Gender)
6. What is the website and social media handles? FB/IG/Snapchat/Twitter
7. What are the official colors (should be evident on the frame) and mascot?
8. What are the degree programs offered? *Be sure to indicate if Master's Degree or Doctoral Programs are available
9. What is the name of the marching band? (if possible)
10. What are the academic schools within the institution? (Ex: College of Education, School of Business, etc.)
11. What is the cost of tuition (In-state and out-of-state) Are there tuition waivers? If so, what is the criteria?
12. What are the admissions criteria? (Minimum GPA/Test Score)
13. What is the institution most known for? (There are academic programs that may be highly reputable. Ex: Xavier is known for their medical programs)
14. What are the ROTC programs available at the institution? (if any)
15. What are the sports teams available at the institution? (if any)

Reflection

Please type the responses to the following on a separate piece of paper.
Use complete sentences.

- Using the Hundred Seven find your best HBCU match. Search for the academic program (Major of interest and list which institutions offer that major. Please also list the city and state)
- Name three things that you have learned because of this project.
- Now that you have thoroughly researched this institution would you consider this as a viable post-secondary option? Why/Why Not

Frame Requirements:

The frame opening must be at least 10x13 inches (see example)

The opening must not be covered.

Questions 10-15 should be typed on an index card and then affixed to the frame

Anything affixed to the frame must be typed and pasted onto cardstock before gluing it to the frame

Five colored photographs (print on cardstock) must also be affixed to the frame

SELFIE FRAME EXAMPLE



This frame can be purchased at Michael's Arts & Crafts for \$8.00

DUE DATE: