**Lesson Plan Title:** My Timeline Project

**Subject area:** Family & Consumer Sciences

**Recommended course (s):**

Parenting & Child Development
Tween Life

**Aligned to NASAFACS Standards:**

Analyze principles of human growth and development across the life span.
Analyze conditions that influence human growth and development.
Analyze the effects of life events on individuals' physical, intellectual, social, moral, and emotional development.

**Objectives:**

Recognize that events that occur in your life span will affect the type of person you become.
Recognize how choices affect your degree of development.

**Materials needed:**

Poster Board
Markers/Paint/Colored Pencils

Optional items:
Construction Paper
Decorative Items

**Resources:**

Parents
Family Members
Friends
Teachers

**Lesson Summary/Outline:**

Create a poster demonstrating 15 events that have occurred during your life that have had an impact on who you are today. List the events in chronological order, sharing whether the event affected your physical, social, intellectual or emotional development. Add pictures and decorations to grab the viewer's attention and make the poster interesting.

**Motivator/Opening:**

Learning to walk and getting a driver's license earned you a new level of independence but also a new level of responsibility and expectations from parents and peers. Think of 15 things that have shaped your life and share them with me.

**Activities:**

Use the internet to look at poster ideas on Pintrest

**Assignments:**

Day 1
Create a list of 15 events on paper
Number the events 1-15 chronologically

Day 2
Sketch an idea for the timeline layout
Look for design ideas on the internet

Day 3
Begin penciling information onto poster board.

Day 4
Color pencil designs with pencils, crayolas, markers, paint, etc..

Day 5
Finalize poster with pictures, stickers, etc...
Add name and class hour to back of poster in the top right corner.

**Evaluation:**

Students will be evaluated on content, neatness, and overall presentation.

**Notes:**

Students loved this assignment and went above and beyond. I was blown away with the information they shared and the events they felt were important to their development.

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