

Communicate Procedures

VariQuest™
Visual Learning Tools

Tools to Define and Communicate Clear Expectations

The following activities are designed to aid in creating an efficient and effective classroom with clear expectations and procedures. Incorporating these activities and instructional tools into your classroom will help with classroom management, specifically when students are expected to work independently. These activities are especially useful when working with students with emotional and/or behavioral disorders and students diagnosed with autism, who will benefit from consistency in the classroom and throughout the building, along with increased visual supports. You will also find extension ideas that include how you could use other VariQuest templates and shapes to enhance each activity and/or bridge it to connect to other curriculum areas.

NOTE:

For all Cutout Maker e-Dies, cold laminate the construction paper prior to cutting out to create longer-lasting manipulatives that can be re-used or sent home for additional reinforcement.

For all posters, cold laminate and use dry-erase markers to write on and wipe off to re-use and foster interactive learning with students.

TARGET AUDIENCE

K-12

OBJECTIVE

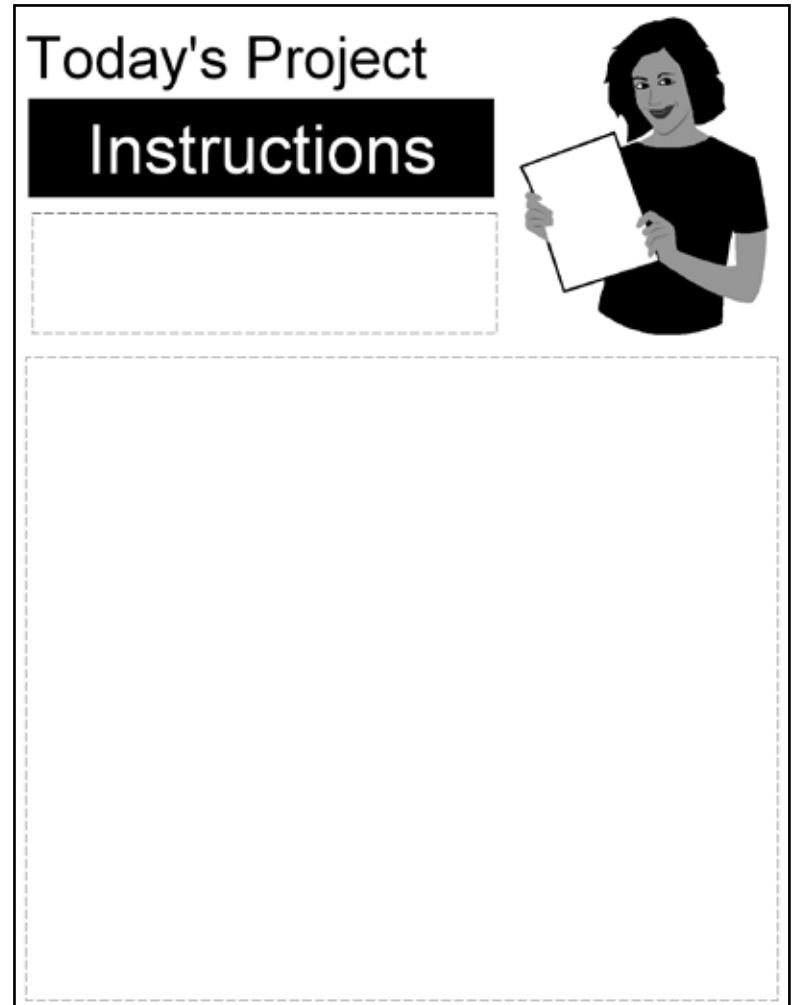
Create a step-by-step chart for multi-step projects/tasks, such as science investigations or long-term projects.

MATERIALS

Instruction chart
Copies for each student

PREPARATION

Use Poster Maker template (shown) to create customized instructions for multi-step projects.
Make enough copies for each student or groups.



Today's Project
VIS030

ACTIVITIES

- Introduce multi-step project to students. Preview each step as you model the appropriate procedure with the large group.
- Post this chart where students are working as a visual reminder of the appropriate procedures.
- Print student copies and hand out to students to keep with their notes.
- Encourage students to check off each task as it is completed to help guide them through the process.

ENRICHMENT

- Use Poster Maker Step Chart or Step Chart Spanish templates.
- These charts can be utilized in centers, where students are expected to work independently, to reduce the number of teacher interruptions.

Step-by-Step Chart	
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Steps	Details
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Step 2:	<input type="text"/>
Step 3:	<input type="text"/>
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Step 5:	<input type="text"/>

Step Chart
ORG026

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Step Chart Spanish
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