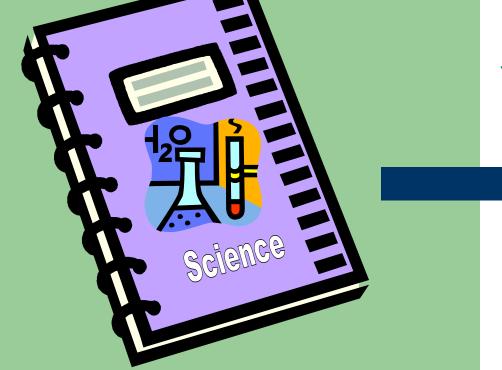
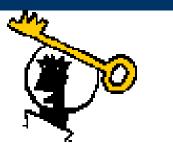
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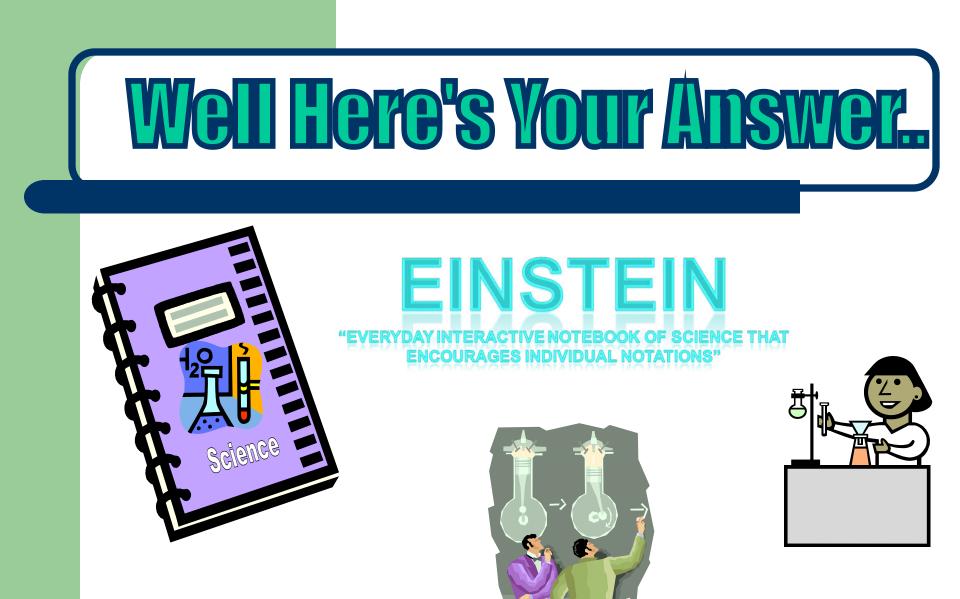
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What is EINSTEINP

EINSTEIN stands for "Everyday Interactive Notebook of Science That Encourages Individual Notations". (But, I don't expect you to remember that!) Just know that it is your own personalized DIARY of learning about

science.





Sooooo... How can EINSTEIN help you?



- EINSTEIN will help you keep your work in ONE convenient spot...all you need to study for upcoming quizzes & tests!
- A great way to stay ORGANIZED!
- You can look back and COMPARE what you thought you knew, with what you've learned!
- EINSTEIN provides "formal" space for teacher info., AND "informal" space for YOU!

- EINSTEIN gives you permission to be PLAYFUL & CREATIVE in your responses without "messing up" your notes.
- POP quizzes & other open EINSTEIN assignments are possible any day at any time! (Some tests may even be open EINSTEIN...but those will always be a surprise!)
- You will be working like a REAL SCIENTIST!

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Cotober 1: Yesterday Nemaye found Group 4 in the middle of the wide 4.50 slope before Swallow Slopes under a large Hagenia at that point. We found their track descending acorss our path in nettles and went higher, to edge of Swallow Slope to make sure it had been their track before returning near Kuanguka tree to descend into nettles to find last night's nests. They were spread out over 130' with U.B. nested near Papoose, (some 4' off ground) and Simba in little nest by his side and all under shelter of Hypericum - it had poured rain the previous night. Ca the way we had found Amok's tracks on our troil beneath the. The biggest pussle was the finding of a female's nest with infant dung of a omm and a half, or approximately less than 2 months. The dung and nest appeared to be only one day older than the other nests, but that's not for certain. My final conclusion is that Maisie has given birth even though the nest that must have been Samson's didn't have large enough dung in it. The rail then went into the Hypericums and uponte the base of Honey' Man's Ridge. He found the group feeding on the opposite slopes - i.e. Ambassador's Ridge, I did not take notes for the first half-an-hour in hopes of at 12:30. I did not take notes for the first half-an-hour in hopes of logating Old Cost to see if she had an infant or if Maisie had rejoined the group. During that half-an-hour U.B. was in a huddle with Simba, Papoese, Tiger and Augustus nearest him; Petula next; Flossie and Cleo slightly below on log with Flossie feeding; Old Goat to left of my screen with Digit above her - both the furthest animals from the group bulk. There was grooming between U.B. and Pot. and Papoose and play with youngsters. My notes begin at one o'clock, Old Goat moves into day nesting spot bigh above group which had in part been feeding up until now (semi-sunday); Digit at first lower than she but also ay same time settles into day nest spot. U.B. self-grooming on inverted lobelia top which served as his nest at this time. There laying against Papoose with Augustus between them and U.B. Plossic esting a few set further on (she had climbed up to group bull with Cleo playing behind her with foliage. Tiger uphill from her about 6' only apart from his mother a good 140' and Simba is above him some 6'. One animal heard coughing a great deal. Digit moves off uphill and Tiger moves up abit to feed before Plonnie Approaches him with Cleo dorsal and takes over Tiger's nest. He only moved a few feet away and looked at her with a grin expression - open mouth and playful. Cleo goes directly over to Tiger and plops on his lap for a mild play Dession. Simba moves away from them at this point. Simbs then further uphill alone and feeding. Papaone and Petula still laying flat. After some to minuted Flossie goes uphill with Cleo grabbing onto her neck and lying half-dorsal as she moves off. Flossie follows Simba's route. U.B. "again" grooming Papoose. Petula, above them, sits up as though thinking about feeding. Cleo up with Plossic tookling a small Vermonia sapling for play and feeding. U.S. still grooming Papesse's rump. Flossic feeding at 1:16. U.B. occasionall looking over in our direction very intently. Tiger and Simba begin tussleing together quite strenuously with Simba holding her own well. U.B still self-grooming at 117 Gleo mwinging above with a smile face from a small Vernonia. Tiger and Simba still tusseling at 4:20 U.B. wearing his soppy expression all day long. Much group harmony in evidence today despite overcast and eventual rain. Tiger and Simba rest abit. Below Petula is huddled over Augustus grooming him. At 1:21) Tiger and Simba

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The notebook is divided into TWO sections.

The Left (T-shirt) Side:

The Left Side "LOVES" student work & is more "informal". (The "T-shirt" side!) This is the side that you can use to show off your <u>creativity</u>. This is your output or product side. (Sometimes you will have choices of how to express yourself, other times it will be more specific.)





The Right (Tux) side

 The Right side is "RESERVED" and is "formal". (The "Tux" side!) This side contains only information given by Mrs. Showalter or done during class time.







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WARMUP #1 Fill in the missing word. Decomposer Producer Consumer Plants are _____. Lions, tigers, and bears are Worms and mushrooms are



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Flow of energy through food webs

All organisms are part of a food web. Several food chains, which are linked, make up a food web. A food chain identifies the roles organisms use to get the food they need to survive. The sun, which is the source of energy, is the start of food chains. Food chains also contain producers, consumers, and decomposers. A producer is a plant. Plants use sunlight to make food. The greatest amount of energy in a community is in the producers. Primary, first-level, consumers are animals, that eat plants. Secondary, second-level consumers, eaton mach an animal for their food source. You have heard these called herbivores, carnivores, and omnivores. Do you remember the difference? Decomposers are organisms that break down wastes and dead plants or animals. The sun's energy cycles through ecosystems from producers through consumers and back into the nutrient pool through decomposers.

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For example, a simple food chain might be the sun, grass, mouse, fox, and maggots. In this food chain what is the producer? What is the decomposer? What is the source of energy? This food chain is part of a larger food web. Can you see that changing the mouse to a rabbit makes a different food chain but in the same food web? What other chains in this food web could we create? Can you identify which are primary/secondary consumers, producers, and decomposers?

LEFT SIDE : YOUR SIDE

- The LEFT SIDE belongs to you. The "what did you learn" or "show what you know" side.
- This side will include diagrams, cartoons, drawings, poems, foldables, etc.
- Let your CREATIVITY go wild!
- Often, homework questions will be completed on this side.

So, the Informal/Creative (T-shirt) side will always be on the left and EVEN PAGES = 2.4.6.8. YOU GOT IT??!



Left Page – Output Student Involvement (Showing Understanding and Creativity)

- Brainstorming
- Concept maps
- Questions
- Character descriptions
- "Wanted Posters"
- Finish this...
- Flow charts
- Venn diagram
- T-charts
- Cartoons

- Graphs
- Riddles
- Metaphors/Similes
- Analogies
- Analysis writing
- Reflection writing
- Poetry and songs
- Quick write
- Foldable
- Lab reports
- Concept attainments
- KWL charts
- Current events
- Newspaper articles



Warm-up: 1/1/2011 Fill in the missing word. Decomposers Producers Consumers

Plants are _____. Lions, tigers, and bears are _____. Worms and mushrooms are

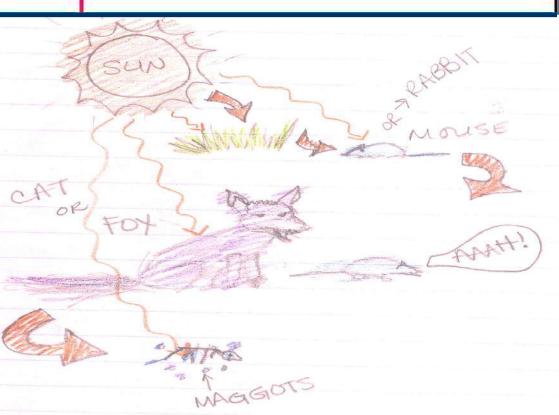
A food web is made up of several linked food chains. The energy source flows through all the parts of the food web. The **DAY'S ACTIVITY** is placed on the **LEFT** side of EINSTEIN.

INCLUDES:

1. WARM-UP: Goes in the upper left corner—EVERY day. If one isn't posted on the board, write a summary of a concept from the previous lesson or any question you may have about the topic.

2. Lesson Activity ("Show what you know")

-This will often be your "ticket out the door", or for homework.



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The TOP of the left side is where the daily **WARM-UP question is** written & answered. ALWAYS put the date!

This "warm-up" is either on the whiteboard or on the Promethean Board. **If there is not warm-up posted**, you should AUTOMATICALLY know to make a statement about what you learned the day before, or ask any questions you currently have. This should be completed in the first THREE minutes of class!



the parts of the food web.



Your understanding/ reflection/ summary/ of the day's activity is placed on the LEFT or OUTPUT side of the notebook. Look at the example shown. Notice how this entry acts as a **reinforcement** for the **RIGHT or INPUT side.** Most days, this will be your evening's homework!

Examples of Left Side Assignments

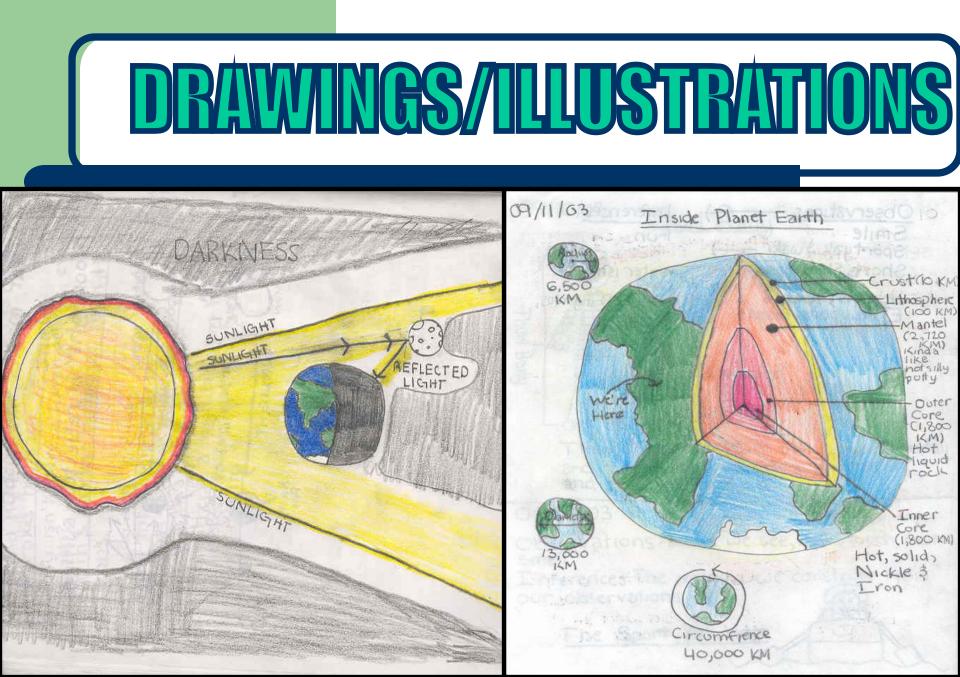
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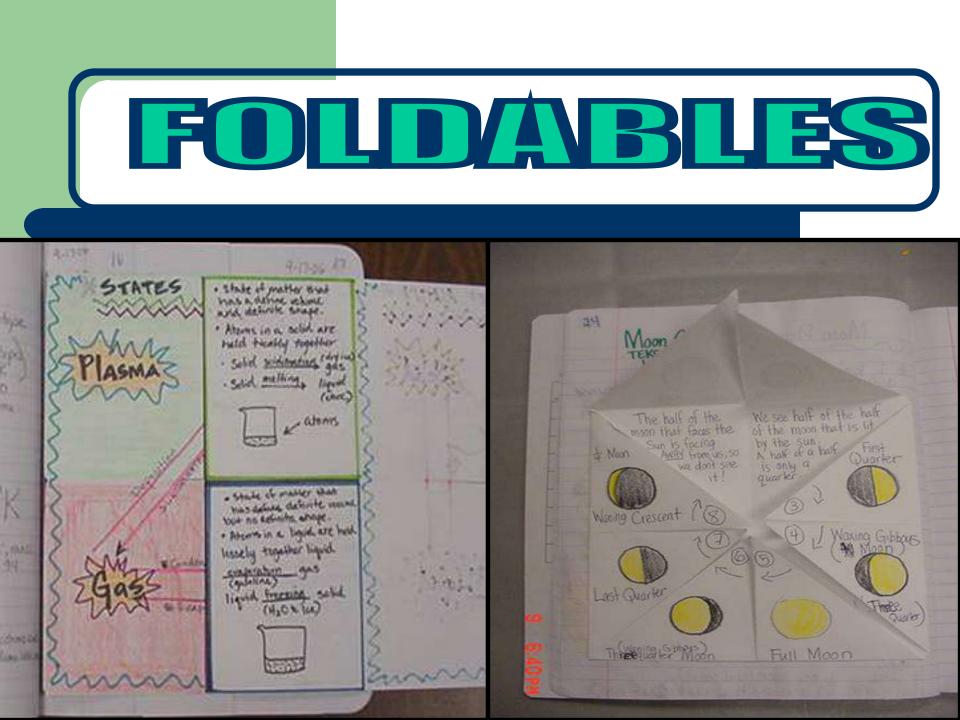
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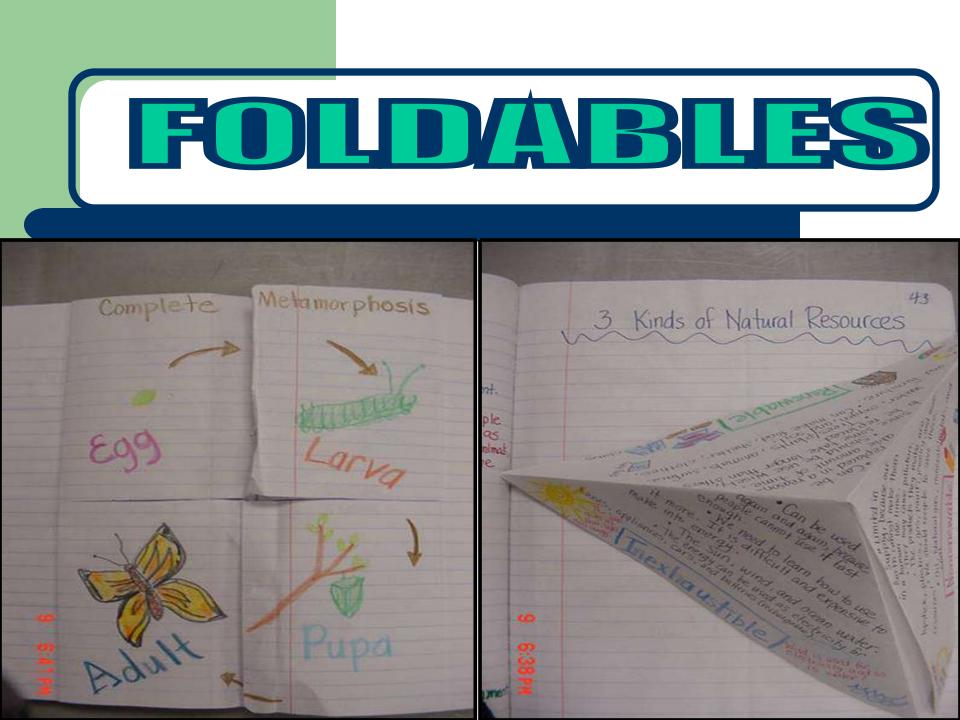
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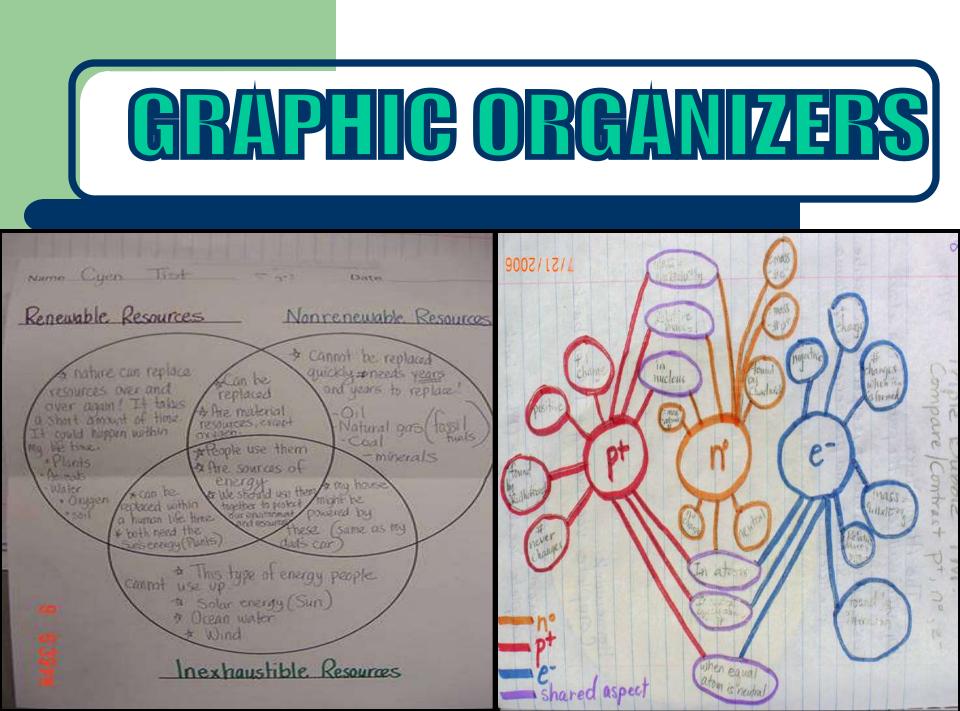
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- Science Warm-Ups
- Graphic Organizers
- Drawings/Illustrations
- Poems, Rap Songs
- Cartoons/Comics
- Lab Analysis
- Teach Your Parent
- Homework connection
 - WS. Workbook pa. text auestions, etc.









RIGHT SIDE : My SIDE



The **RIGHT SIDE** belongs to me and should only contain **information given or "input" from Mrs. Showalter**. This can include notes, class work, handouts, study guides, etc. Nothing else should be placed on this page!

• The **RIGHT SIDE** contains (most) all **TESTABLE material**.



So, the Formal/Input (Tux) side has only material from me and is on the odd Pages = 1,3,5,7...YOU KNOW IT.

BIGHT SIDE 4.5c

Flow of energy through food webs

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The **RIGHT** side of EINSTEIN contains information given to you by Mrs. Showalter. An example is shown to the right. This is the **ESSENTIAL**

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Example of Right Side "Input"





- Notes from Promethean
- Notetaking Guides
- Movie/Video work
- Article/Textbook Readings
- Research
- Lab procedures/activities
- Study Guides
- Class work

Example of Right Side "Input"

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Moon Phases (Cycles)

t I know the moon looks different, but I don't know why or when it changes. I learned obout the words full moon (all the moon shows), half moon (only half shows) and a crescant moon (only a g shows).

Moon Notes

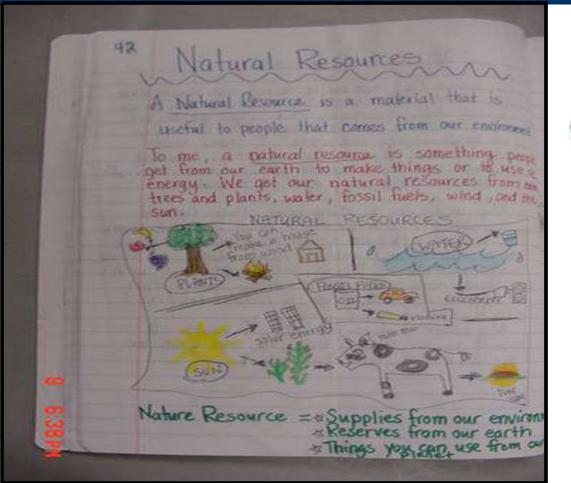
the moon rotates around the earth the earth the earth the of the moon always faces the sun. the sun changes, which changes the hight of the moon as the sun hits it. A The moon does not make (produce) its own light. The phases or positions of the moon we see depends on where the moon, sun, and earth the moon we see depends on where is a new moon (carl see f), Thist quarker, full moon, and third quarter chalf mon).

Facts of a gas: to the particles move fast and away from each other. or The tempresonature bailing Facts of a liquid: ar The particles of a substance are father apart and slide by each other (It cun climi) or the molecules more faster. The temperature increases. * Notecules take the shape of their container. * Liquids are denser than a cas. Inel fine Facts of solids: Particles are close together * Molecules move slow. The knoeroture of the substance decreases. The substance contracts. * A solid keeps it shape + volume. The particles are locked togethat

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Example of Right Side (?) "Input"



OOPS! IS ANYTHING "WRONG" HERE?



Left Side Student Output Lots of Color

DYK that your brain remembers things in color better?

- Concept Maps
- Drawings
- Reflective Writing
- Questions
- Data and Graphs
- Songs
- Poems
- Data from Experiments
- Cartoons or cartoon strips

Right Side Teacher Input/Content Blue or Black Ink/pencil

Good Idea! Use colored pencils, highlighters, a key, etc. to group, accent, or categorize ideas!

- Information given in class
- Lecture Notes
- Lab Activities
- Video Notes
- Summaries
- Textbook Notes
- Procedures for experiments
- Classroom Specific Information



- "...easy to do and can REALLY help your grades!"
- "Always update your table of contents so papers don't get messed up - or in case of a notebook check or pop quiz!"
- "It's a great tool, keep it organized!"
- "You have to spend quality time on it to make it good...you'll be proud of it!"

- "Keep up with everything every day. That way you don't leave important things out. What if you get to use it on a test? "
- "Colorize things. It looks so much better that way & is easier to study."
- "Keep it in order, because you never know when a notebook check or pop quiz might come up!"
- "You can go back later and see how much smarter you are!"

Science Notebook Supplies









SCissors

Composition books



HIGHLIGHTERS





Erasable pens & pencils

Glue stick or tape

(blue or black only)

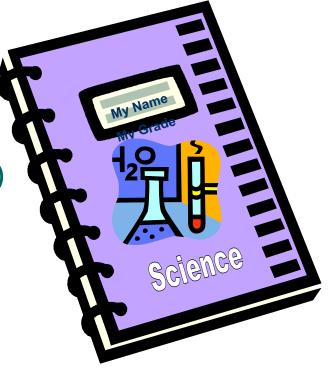


colored pencils

Let's Get Started!

• Title:

- So & So's (first name) EINSTEIN
 For ex: "Alaina's EINSTEIN"
- Your name: So & So (first & last)
- Name of the course:
 - 7-1 Science: Mrs. Showalter
- Sience Class period (1st 9-wks):
 - 2nd, 3rd, 6^{th,} or 7th
- The school year: 2010 2011







This will be the first page for each unit...always starting on the RIGHT hand page.

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(This will be the upside down back view)

Glossary or Key Terms

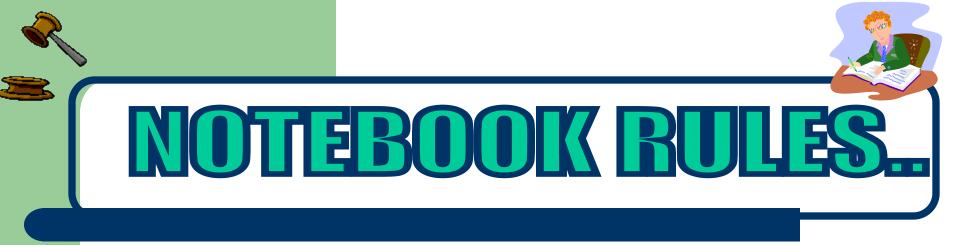
- Flip your notebook over
- Start from the back page
- There will be a separate glossary for EACH Unit...it does not have to be ABC order.
- •Here is an example for one of our units:

Unit Glossary/Key Terms: Cells & Heredity

Term:Definition

Cell: The basic unit of structure and function in living things

Nucleus: The control center of the cell



- No **RIPPED OUT** pages or torn corners
- No DOODLING that doesn't relate to science...in particular the topic we are studying.
- Notebook should only be used for SCIENCE
 CLASS and should be brought EVERY day!
- DATE AND NUMBER each page

All entries must go into the Table of Contents
 BE COLORFUL & YOUR NOTEBOOK





- Many thanks to these wonderful teachers for creating wonderful POWERPOINT slides used in this presentation:
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