

## Extra Credit Inquiry Project

Your inquiry project should focus on something you'd like to explore about the psychology or behavior at CAPA. Is there something unique to this school you've always wondered about? Is there a trend you see in certain majors you'd like to explore? Now is your chance to do some real scientific research on the subject and earn *up to 20 points* of extra credit under *performance based assessments*.

In order to receive full credit, you must begin by following each step below.

1. **The Inquiry:** Submit the question you want to explore and your hypothesis about the topic.
  - This ***must be approved*** by me before you continue to the next steps.
2. **Design the Survey:** Create a survey with *at least 5* questions. You must have one copy with an explanation of how each question gets you closer to answering your inquiry. You must also submit the answered surveys at the end.
  - Surveys can be given digitally (through Google Forms, Survey Monkey, etc.) or on paper, or taken verbally (this needs to have a written record).
3. **Choose Your Sample:** Decide on your sample population. You must explain why you chose this sample for your research.
4. **Conduct Research:** Give the survey to your sample population!
5. **Analyze the Findings:** Provide a paragraph explanation of what you discovered. Did this answer your question? Did the results support your initial hypothesis?

**How to submit:** This must be submitted in a neat, cohesive report all at once. It can be assembled in 1 Google Doc or Google Folder that has all pieces included and properly labeled, or it can be a printed and assembled report.

### Due Dates:

- Step 1 must be submitted and approved by **Monday, October 1st.**
- The final project must be submitted by **Monday, October 22nd.**