

# I don't know what to do... yet... for Genius Hour

## Questions to Get You Thinking about What YOU Want to Do

What are your hobbies? \_\_\_\_\_

What are you really good at?

1. \_\_\_\_\_ 6. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_ 7. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_ 8. \_\_\_\_\_

4. \_\_\_\_\_ 9. \_\_\_\_\_

5. \_\_\_\_\_ 10. \_\_\_\_\_

What do you love? \_\_\_\_\_

What breaks your heart about what you love? \_\_\_\_\_

What do you hate? What REALLY upsets you? \_\_\_\_\_

What are five everyday problems that bother you?      What can you do about them?

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_

4. \_\_\_\_\_

5. \_\_\_\_\_

What do you do when no one is telling you what to do? \_\_\_\_\_

What do you do when you are "supposed to be doing something else"? \_\_\_\_\_

What types of information do you read and watch? \_\_\_\_\_

What television shows do you watch? \_\_\_\_\_

What television show do you wish existed? \_\_\_\_\_

What are you crazy excited about? \_\_\_\_\_

What do you wonder about?

1. \_\_\_\_\_ 6. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_ 7. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_ 8. \_\_\_\_\_

4. \_\_\_\_\_ 9. \_\_\_\_\_

5. \_\_\_\_\_ 10. \_\_\_\_\_

If you could take any class in school, what would it be? \_\_\_\_\_

If you could plan a field trip, where would you choose? \_\_\_\_\_

What do you never have time for, but would love the extra time so you could get better? \_\_\_\_\_

What do you hope to be when you grow up? \_\_\_\_\_

What is your favorite vacation spot? \_\_\_\_\_

What do you like to do at home? \_\_\_\_\_

If you could interview anyone in the world (living or dead), who would it be?

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Where do you dream about visiting some day? \_\_\_\_\_

What is something you are terrible at, but still enjoy doing? \_\_\_\_\_

If you were given one million dollars, but had to donate it, what charities would you donate it to and why? \_\_\_\_\_

What is something you think should be invented? \_\_\_\_\_

What is something you've always wanted to do, but were too afraid to try?

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Who do you admire the most, and why? \_\_\_\_\_

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If you could go back in time to any time period, where would you go, \_\_\_\_\_  
and why? \_\_\_\_\_

What would you work on if no one was watching over you? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_.

What is your perfect day? (You are already well-rested.)

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_.

I would like to learn to change \_\_\_\_\_.

I would like to learn about \_\_\_\_\_.

I would like to learn to test \_\_\_\_\_.

I would like to learn to do \_\_\_\_\_.

I would like to learn to create \_\_\_\_\_.

I would like to learn to make \_\_\_\_\_.

It really bugs me when \_\_\_\_\_.

I think a lot about \_\_\_\_\_.

When I \_\_\_\_\_, it gives me a  
deep satisfaction and sense of accomplishment.

Every time I see \_\_\_\_\_, I want to figure out how it's done!

I cannot stop talking about, thinking about, dreaming about \_\_\_\_\_.

I would do \_\_\_\_\_ for free!

When I'm (doing) \_\_\_\_\_, I'm the happiest I can be.

When I'm (doing) \_\_\_\_\_, time flies!

I wake up thinking about \_\_\_\_\_.

Create your own ["March Madness" bracket](#) of your likes and dislikes.

**See “Explore Options” document on Google Classroom for the links to ideas listed:  
Websites for You to Explore**

30-Day Challenge -

[http://www.ted.com/talks/matt\\_cutts\\_try\\_something\\_new\\_for\\_30\\_days](http://www.ted.com/talks/matt_cutts_try_something_new_for_30_days)

100 Happy Days - <http://100happydays.com/>

Animation and Stop Motion - [Resources Here](#)

Arduino (must purchase kit/parts) - <http://arduino.cc/>

Coursera (MOOCs) - <https://www.coursera.org/>

Curiosity.com - <https://curiosity.com/>

Digital Photography - [Challenges Here](#)

Digital Video - [Challenges Here](#)

DIY - <https://diy.org/>

DIY Science & Math - <http://howtosmile.org/>

Howtoons (DIY) - <http://www.howtoons.com/>

Educational YouTube Channels -

<http://kidsactivitiesblog.com/64556/10-educational-youtube-channels-kids>

The Fun Theory - <http://www.thefuntheory.com/>

Snapguide DIY - <http://snapguide.com/>

Game Making - [Tools Here](#)

GeoSettr - <http://geosettr.com/>

Give It 100 Challenge - <https://giveit100.com/>

Innovation Challenges - [See them here](#)

Instructables - <http://www.instructables.com/>

Jewelry Making - [Tools/Ideas Here](#)

Know More in 60 Seconds - <http://www.knowmoreinsixtyseconds.com/#/>

Learn Guitar - [Resources Here](#)

Legos - [LegoMaster Challenges](#)

Made With Code - <https://www.madewithcode.com/>

Photo-A-Day Challenge -

<http://fatmumslim.com.au/photo-a-day-challenge-lists-see-them-all-here/>

Pixar In a Box (free class!) - <https://www.khanacademy.org/partner-content/pixar/start>

Podcasting - [Challenges Here](#)

Programming - [Resources Here](#)

Quirky - <https://www.quirky.com/>

Sodaplay - <http://sodaplay.com/>

Spoken Word/Poetry - <http://www.poetrysoup.com/>

tackk Genius Hour Activities / Challenges - <https://tackk.com/bsmsgenioushour>

Teach Yourself Anything -

<http://www.webdistortion.com/2011/10/02/60-educational-resources/>

The Kid Should See This - <http://thekidshouldseethis.com/>

The Tinkering Studio (must purchase a kit) - <http://tinkering.exploratorium.edu/projects>

TinkerLab - <http://tinkerlab.com/welcome-tinkerlab-makers/>

WonderBox App - <http://www.wonderbox.io/>

Wonderopolis - <http://wonderopolis.org/>

**Introduce yourself to new programs and tools to spur your interest:**

1. [Scratch](#)
2. [Raspberry pi](#)

3. [Squishy circuits](#)
4. [LEGO Mindstorm](#)
5. [Sploder](#)