



# Senior Project

Newsletter

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## Progress Reports March 5th

Time goes by so fast. Can you believe that on Friday, March 5th, we will be halfway through the 3rd quarter? We only have three seminar periods left before the final copy of your I-Search paper is due. Please make sure you organize your time wisely.

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### I-Search Paper

**The FINAL COPY** of your I-Search paper for your portfolio is due on or before March 23rd. Therefore, you must make sure all revisions are completed on or before March 23rd.

**No draft copies of your I-Search will be accepted on March 23rd.** You receive support during senior seminar, senior project department night, and were required to hand in two drafts. All I-Search papers must be proficient. Please refer to the criteria needed to meet proficiency on the rubric in your handbook.

### Oral Presentations

Within the next few weeks your mentors, business community members, college professors, parents, and other Scituate community members will be asked to volunteer to serve as your panel judges. If you haven't done so already, you need to start working on the product evidence component of your presentation. Practice oral presentations begin on Tuesday, April 13th.

### Fieldwork

Don't forget that all fieldwork must be completed **on or before** Monday, March 22, 2010. You must have the verification of fieldwork log sent or faxed to the high school before the March 23rd seminar class. Also, remember that your mentor agreed to write you a letter of recommendation after your fieldwork hours are completed. You must be sure to give your mentor sufficient time to write the letter. The letter and fieldwork log are part of your Senior Project Portfolio.

### Senior Project Portfolios

All portfolios must be completed by April 6th. If your portfolio does not meet proficiency, you are not allowed to complete the oral presentation component of your project on Thursday, May 27th. The 180th day of school is the day scheduled for oral presentations for any senior who is not eligible to present on May 27th. Senior Project is not offered in summer school. As part of the Scituate School Department's graduation requirements, you must successfully complete a senior project to participate in the graduation exercises and to receive a diploma.



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