



MISD GT PROJECT

Expectations and Guidelines

STUDENTS

Students in MISD who are identified as Gifted & Talented are required to complete an annual project according to the Texas State Plan for Education of the Gifted and Talented.

Expectations:

- Students will complete project during the school day.
- Students are to complete the project according to tasks assigned and individual project guidelines.
- Students will present their projects at the Annual MISD GT Showcase.
- Students will complete the **Project 101 Lessons** prior to beginning their self-selected project from their grade-level options.
- Students will complete **Project Presentation Skills Lessons** to prepare for their presentation at the showcase.
- Students will work in a variety of settings including groups, one-on-one with teacher, or independently.

PARENTS

MISD Annual GT Projects are for identified GT students to gain valuable skills and experiences. Students will complete their projects at school during the school day.

We do encourage parents to ask their child about their project and what they are learning. Please refer to the **Questions for Parents to Ask** document on the website under "Parent Resources" tab for guiding questions to help facilitate conversations with your child about their research projects.



TEACHERS

Teachers should follow the MISD GT Project Pacing Guide that is provided. This will help to keep everyone on track and prepared for success at the MISD Annual GT Showcase.

Teachers should use the documents and handouts provided by the MISD GT Department for projects. The grade-level projects are listed on the district website.

MISD GT Projects are not to be additional work for our GT students but incorporated into their school day. If a student has shown mastery in a particular skill elements of the project may take the place of that assignment/grade.

Teachers are to facilitate small groups as directed in the project Teacher Directions and Teacher Notes documents.