

Selecting a Topic Worksheet

Instructions: Print out a copy of this worksheet for each team member. In 3-4 minutes, have each team member quietly think of four ideas for a Mission Folder topic and write them down next to the #1 light bulbs on their worksheet. When the allotted time is up, pass the sheet to another team member, have them review your sample topics for inspiration, come up with four new ideas, and write them down next to the #2 light bulbs. Pass the sheet to a new team member and repeat the previous step, writing four new ideas next to the #3 light bulbs.

After three rounds, have one team member compile all the ideas onto one page and print out a copy for each team member. Discuss the ideas listed by the team and review for potential ideas that the team would like to pursue for the competition.

Idea Building Exercise:

