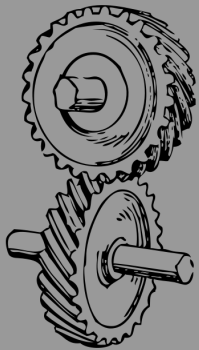


PROJECT LEAD THE WAY

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# Why should you take a Project Lead the Way Engineering course?

- ★ **PLTW courses offer students the opportunity to build a strong foundation for college and career paths.**
- ★ **Courses engage students in real-world challenges.**
- ★ **Students become better collaborators and thinkers.**
- ★ **Applied learning experiences allow students to gain skills to thrive in today's technology fields.**
- ★ **Students have the opportunity to earn college credit.**

Each PLTW Engineering course engages students in interdisciplinary activities like working with a client to design a home, programming electronic devices or robotic arms, or exploring algae as a biofuel source. These activities not only build knowledge and skills in engineering, but also empower students to develop essential skills such as problem solving, critical and creative thinking, communication, collaboration, and perseverance.

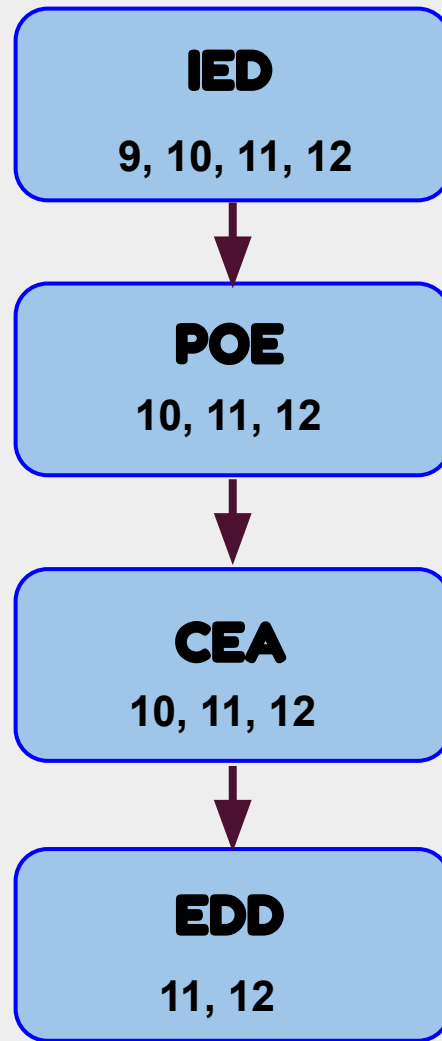


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# Jefferson City High School

## Project Lead the Way - Engineering

- **Introductory Courses**
  - Introduction to Engineering Design (IED)
  - Principles of Engineering (POE)
- **Specialization Courses**
  - Civil Engineering and Architecture (CEA)
- **Capstone Course**
  - Engineering Design and Development (EDD)





# Engineering Branch (JCHS)

- Introduction to Engineering Design
- Principles of Engineering
- Civil Engineering and Architecture
- Engineering Design and Development

# Introduction to Engineering Design (IED)

**Students dig deep into the engineering design process, applying math, science, and engineering standards to hands-on projects. They work both individually and in teams to design solutions to a variety of problems using 3D modeling software, and use an engineering notebook to document their work.**

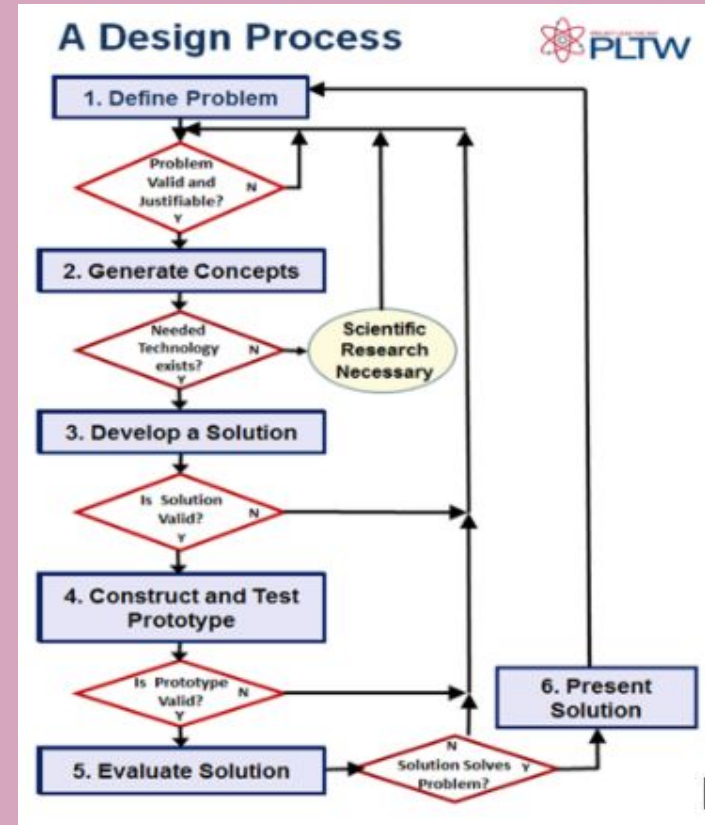
Offered to students in grades 9, 10, 11, 12

Prerequisites: Successful completion of Algebra I or teacher recommendation.

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# Introduction to Engineering Design (IED)

- The Design Process
- Technical Drawing Skills
- CAD Modeling Skills (Fusion 360)
- Computational and Analytical Skills
- Professional Skills
- Presentations
- Modeling in Engineering



## **The Skyscraper Design Challenge**



# **3D Printer Projects**



## **The Automata Design Challenge**

## **Key Chains**





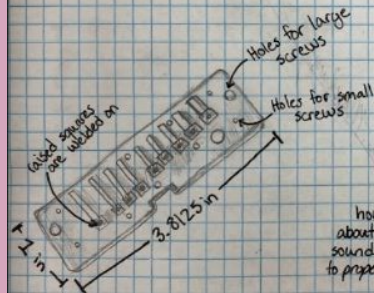
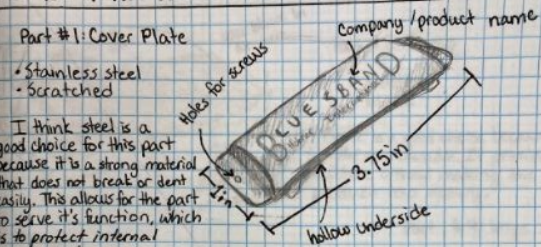
# Technical Drawings in the Engineering Notebook

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## Part #1: Cover Plate

- Stainless steel
- Scratched

I think steel is a good choice for this part because it is a strong material that does not break or dent easily. This allows for the part to serve its function, which is to protect internal components.



## Part #2: Reed Plate

- Brass alloy
- Tarnished

I think they probably chose brass for the sound it makes when vibrated, however I do not know enough about metals and the difference in sound they make in instruments to properly justify the use of brass.

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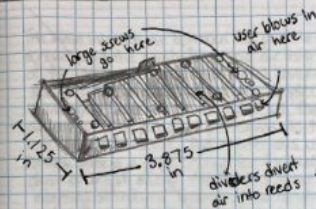
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## Part #3: Comb

- Plastic
- Black

Plastic is a good choice because it is light and durable. It provides structure without making the product too heavy.

## Part #4: large screw

- Brass alloy
- Phillips head



## Part #5: small screw

- Brass alloy
- Phillips head



## Part #6: nut

- Brass alloy
- Tarnished



My hypothesis was that it used a system that funnels air in order to make different sounds for each hole. Although my original hypothesis did succeed in naming that it was a system that funnels air, that system does not make the noise. Instead, the sound is made by the vibration of metal reeds, which happens after the air is funneled into the correct reed by the comb.

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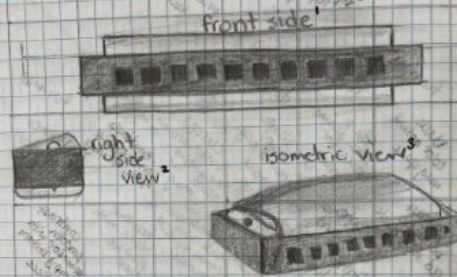
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## Perfection Question

Sharp, clean lines and solid unnatural colors (such as red) complements the wabi-sabi style.



From the front view, it is apparent that the harmonica has negative space spaced with regular rhythm. It is also apparent that the texture is smooth and the color of the rectangular prism is black. The design is symmetrical.

From the right side view, it is apparent that the design does not have right-side symmetry. It is also apparent that the rectangular shape is black.

From the isometric view, you can see that the top piece is curved and metallic.

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# Principles of Engineering (POE)

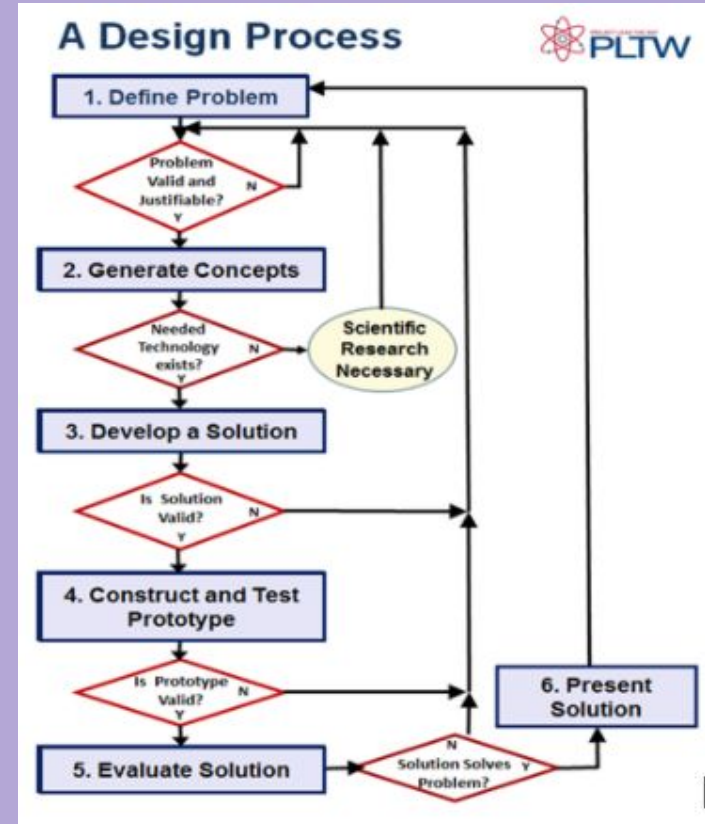
**Through problems that engage and challenge, students explore a broad range of engineering topics, including mechanisms, the strength of structures and materials, and automation. Students develop skills in problem solving, research, and design while learning strategies for design process documentation, collaboration, and presentation.**

Offered to students in grades 10, 11, 12

Prerequisites: Successful completion of Algebra I.

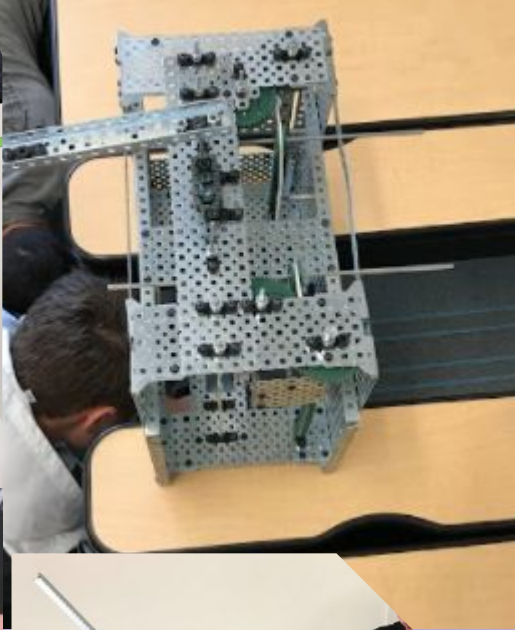
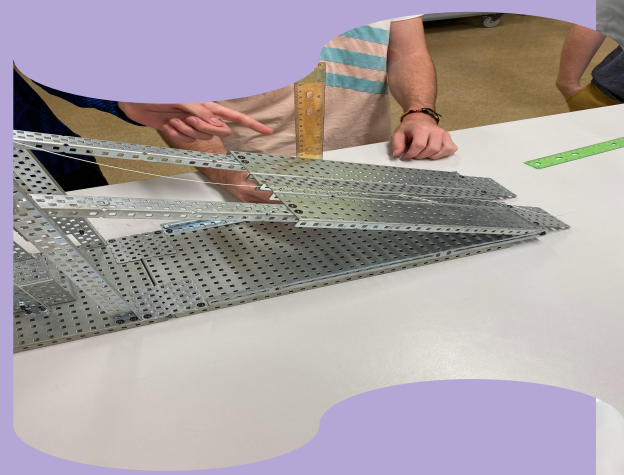
# Principles of Engineering (POE)

- Mechanisms and simple machines
- Mechanical advantage
- Energy sources and applications
- Fluid Power
- Control Systems (Coding)
- Material properties
- Centroids
- Tensile testing
- Vectors, forces, and statics
- Trusses
- Presentations



# Compound Machine Design

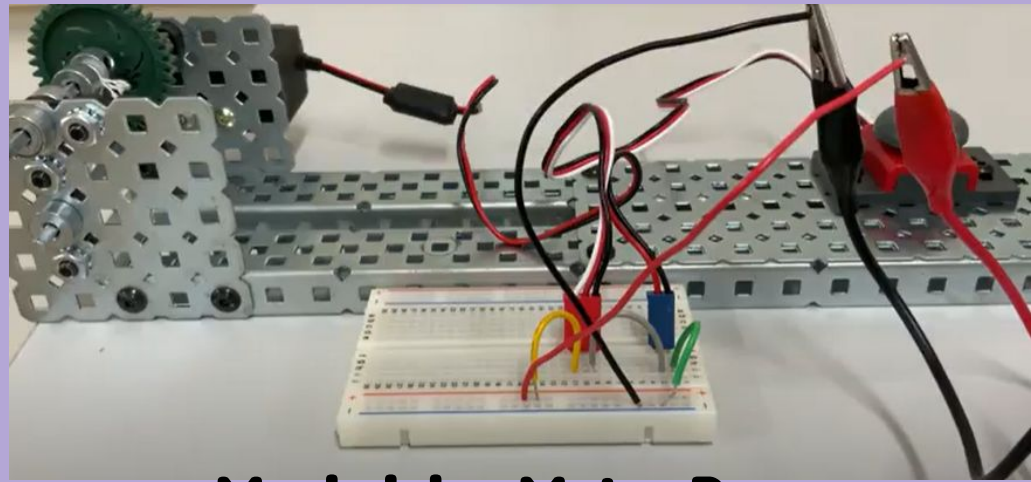
- Maximum 2 base plates
- At least 3 simple machines
- Must lift a toolbox (weight varies each year) minimum 5 inches
- Only one human input force



# Energy Sources and Applications



**Solar Panel and  
Hydrogen Fuel Cells**



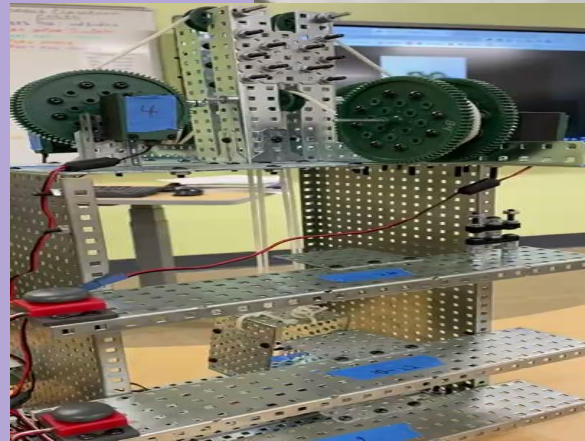
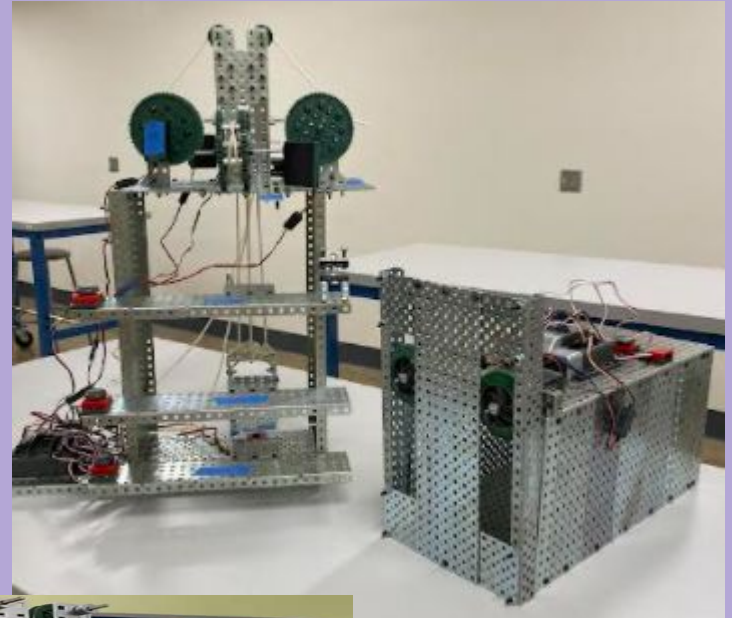
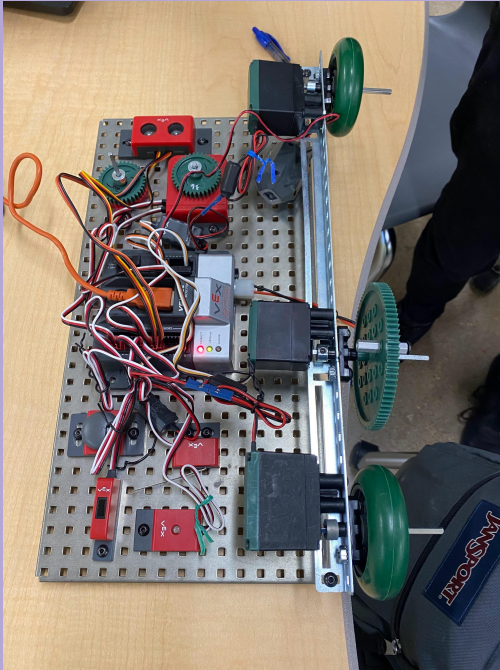
**Maximizing Motor Power**

## Fluid Power



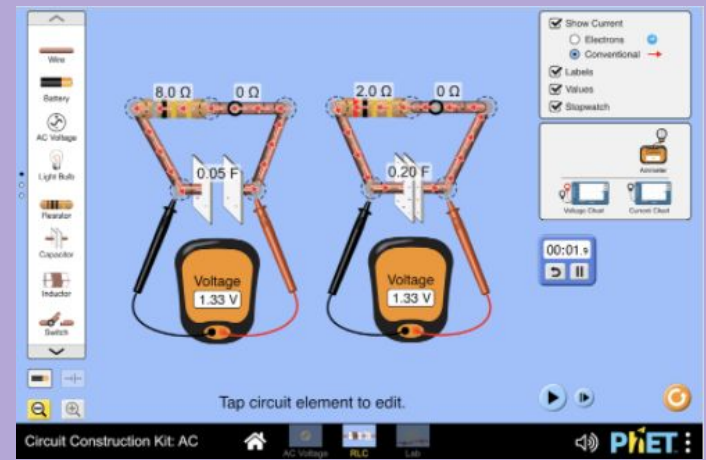
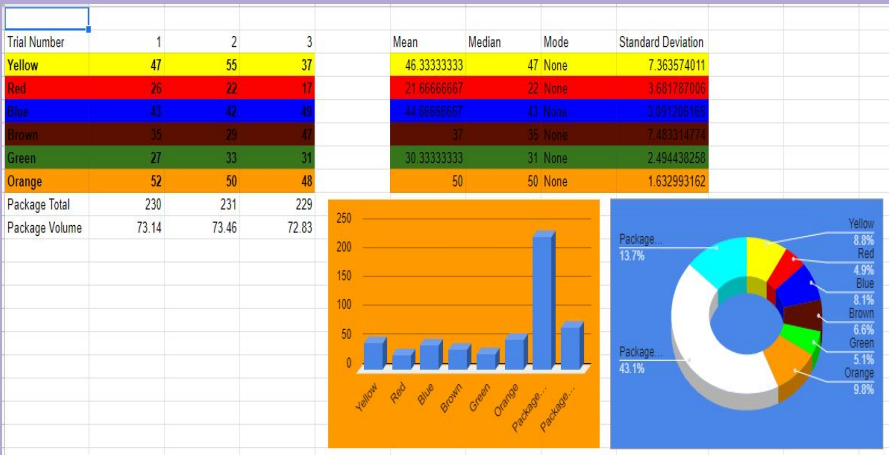


# The Testbed

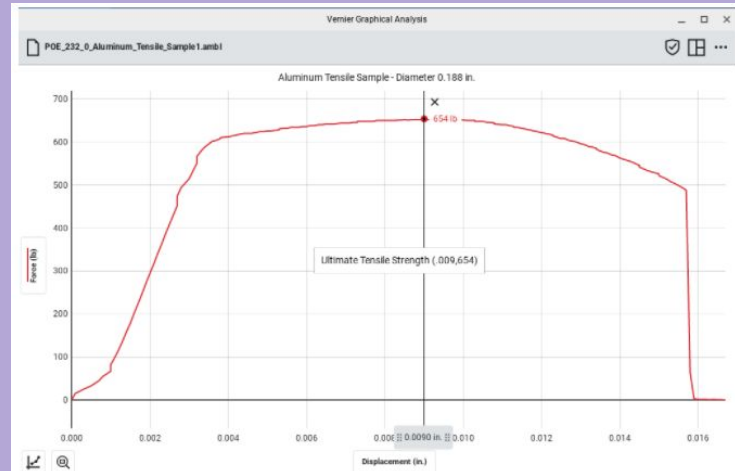
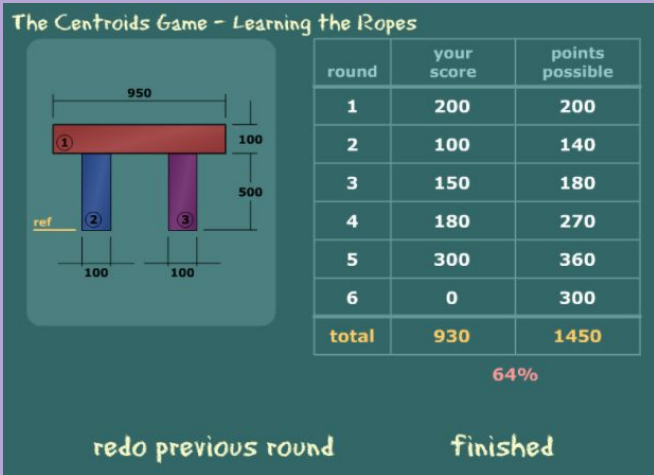


**Machine  
Control Design**





# Software and Simulation Applications



# Civil Engineering and Architecture (CEA)

**Students learn important aspects of building and site design and development. They apply math, science, and standard engineering practices to design both residential and commercial projects and document their work using 3D architecture design software.**

Offered to students in grades 10, 11, 12

Prerequisites: Other than concurrent enrollment in college preparatory mathematics and science courses, this course assumes no previous knowledge: However, students are encouraged to take the first two engineering courses in the PLTW sequence.

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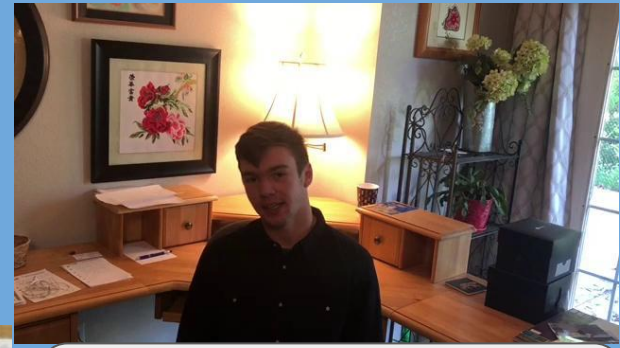
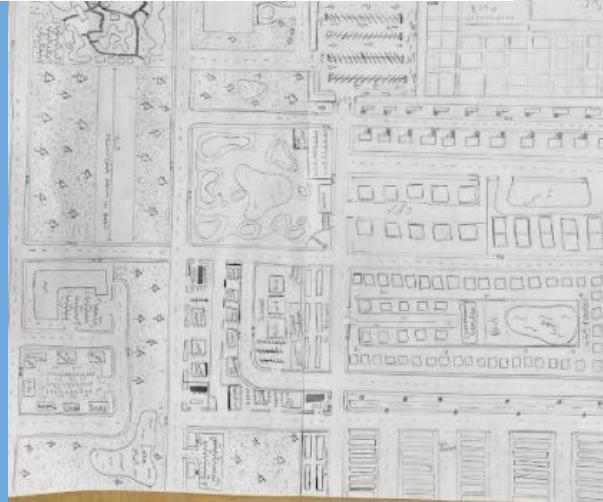
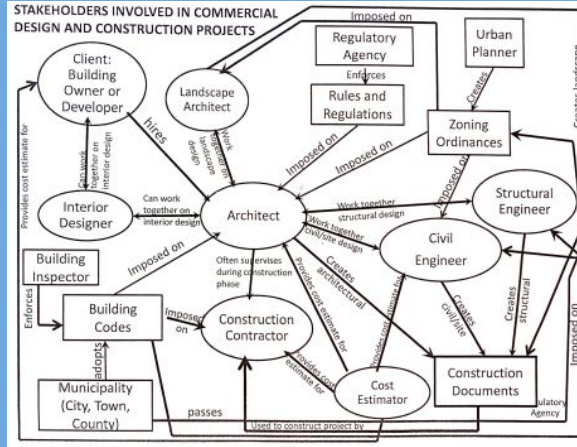
# **Civil Engineering and Architecture (CEA)**

- **Residential Design:**
  - **Construction Costs**
  - **Planning and Development**
  - **REVIT software**
  - **Building Codes**
  - **Green and Sustainable Design**
  - **Site Planning**
- **Commercial Design:**
  - **Building Systems**
  - **Building Loads**
  - **Project Management**
  - **Land Surveying**



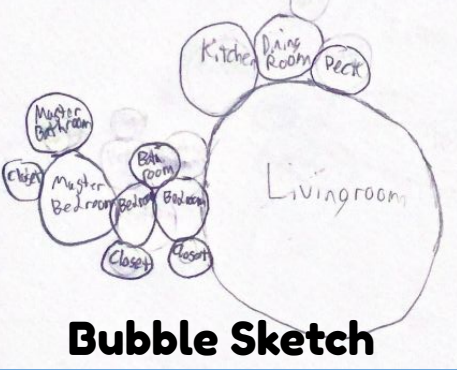
## Architectural Style and Features

## Design Charrette

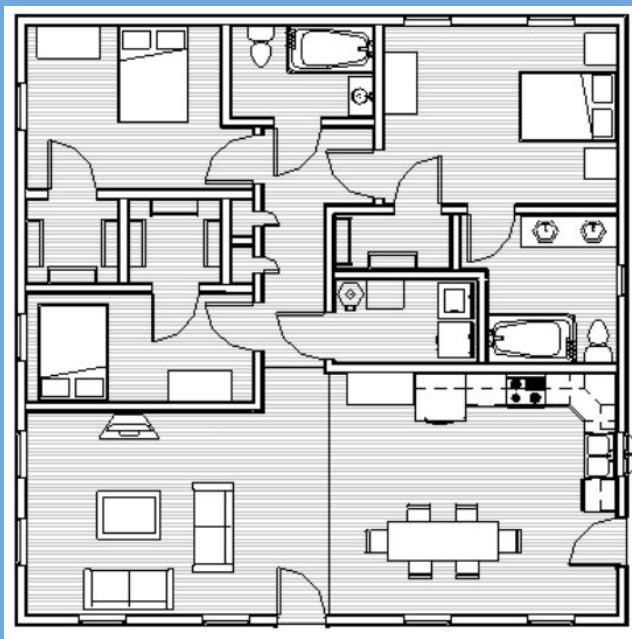


**This is Your Career Videos**

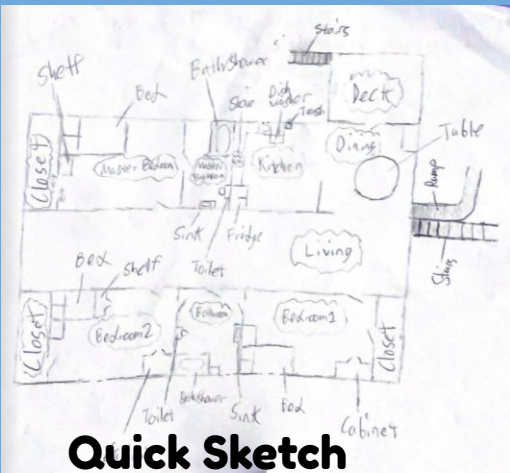




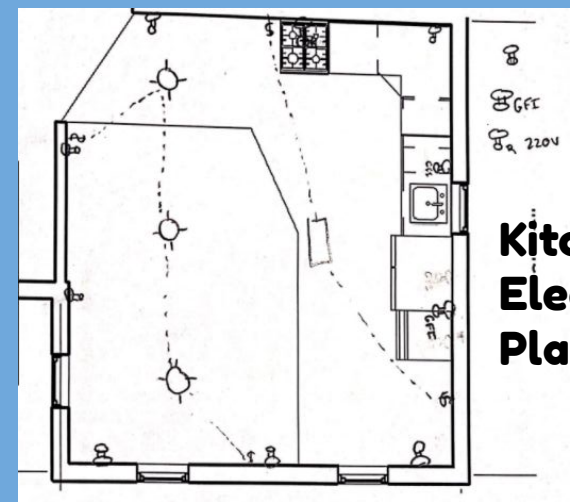
**Bubble Sketch**



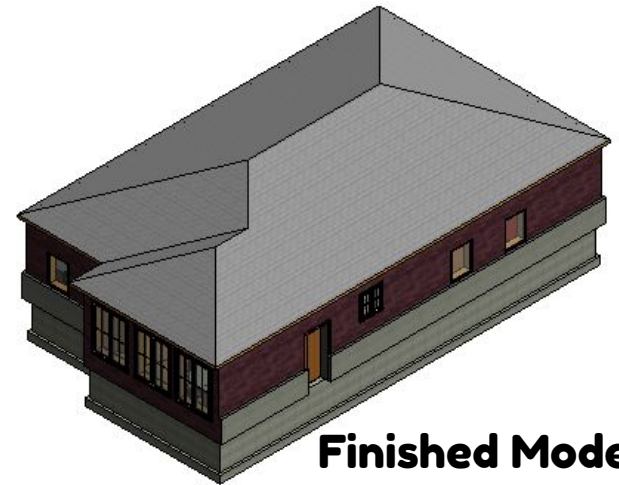
**Floor Plan**



**Quick Sketch**



**Kitchen  
Electrical  
Plan**

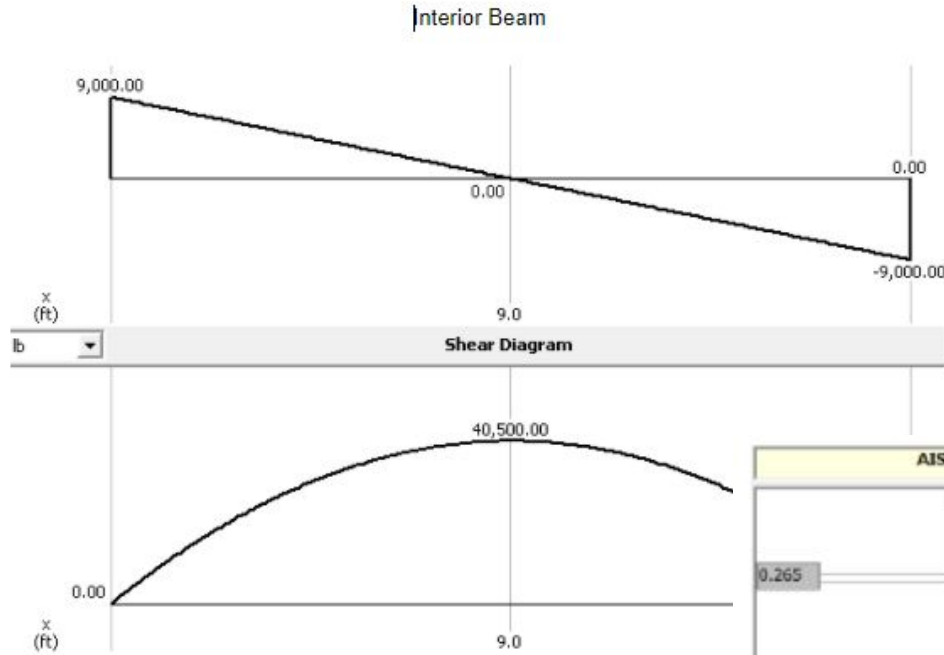


**Finished Model**

# Residential Design

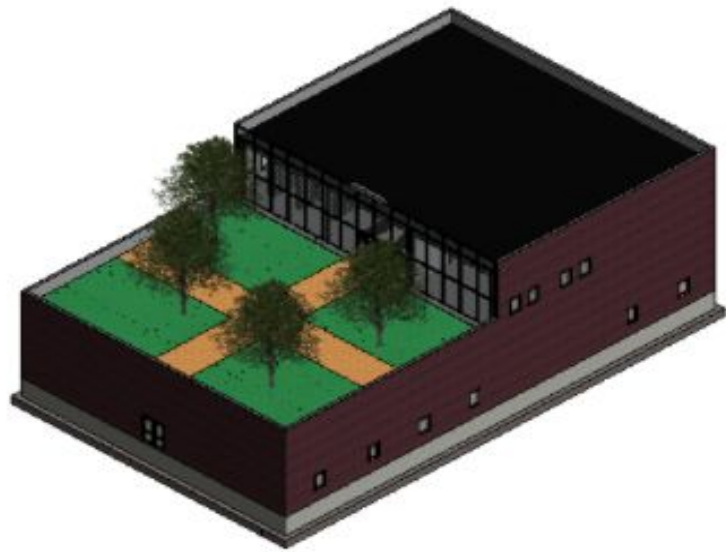


# Software Generated Beam Design



| Z Axis Properties                          |                      |                           |
|--|----------------------|---------------------------|
| Elastic Modulus                            | E                    | 29.0000E+06 psi           |
| From bottom to centroid                    | y (bot)              | 6.0000 in.                |
| From centroid to top                       | y (top)              | 6.0000 in.                |
| Area of shape                              | A                    | 4.7100 in. <sup>2</sup>   |
| Moment of Inertia                          | I <sub>z</sub>       | 103.0000 in. <sup>4</sup> |
| Section Modulus                            | S <sub>z</sub>       | 17.1000 in. <sup>3</sup>  |
| Section Modulus (bottom)                   | S (bot)              | 17.1000 in. <sup>3</sup>  |
| Section Modulus (top)                      | S (top)              | 17.1000 in. <sup>3</sup>  |
| Radius of Gyration                         | r <sub>z</sub>       | 4.6700 in.                |
| Plastic Modulus                            | Z <sub>z</sub>       | 20.1000 in. <sup>3</sup>  |
| Shape Factor                               |                      | 1.1754                    |
| From bottom to plastic n.a.                | y <sub>p</sub> (bot) | 6.0000 in.                |
| From plastic n.a. to top                   | y <sub>p</sub> (top) | 6.0000 in.                |
| Polar Moment of Inertia                    | J                    | 0.1030 in. <sup>4</sup>   |
| Product of Inertia                         | I <sub>yz</sub>      | 0.0000 in. <sup>4</sup>   |
| Maximum Moment of Inertia                  | I <sub>max</sub>     | 103.0000 in. <sup>4</sup> |
| Minimum Moment of Inertia                  | I <sub>min</sub>     | 2.8200 in. <sup>4</sup>   |
| Angle from z axis to I <sub>max</sub> axis | B                    | 0.0000 degrees            |

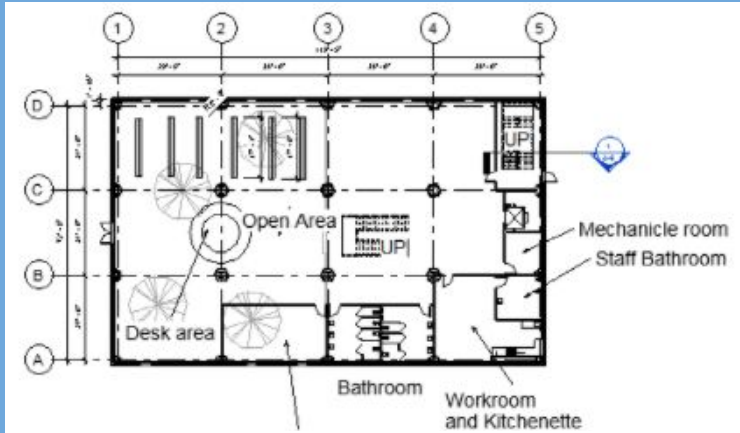
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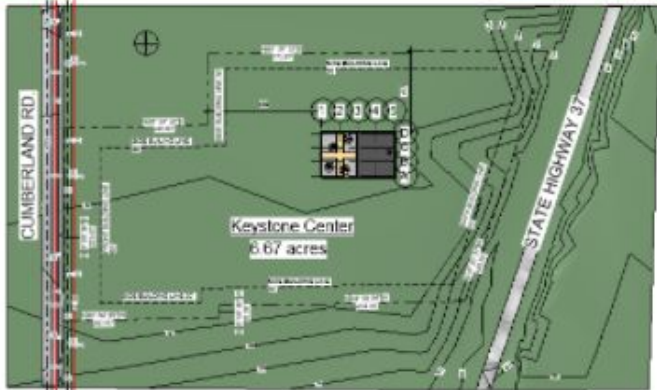
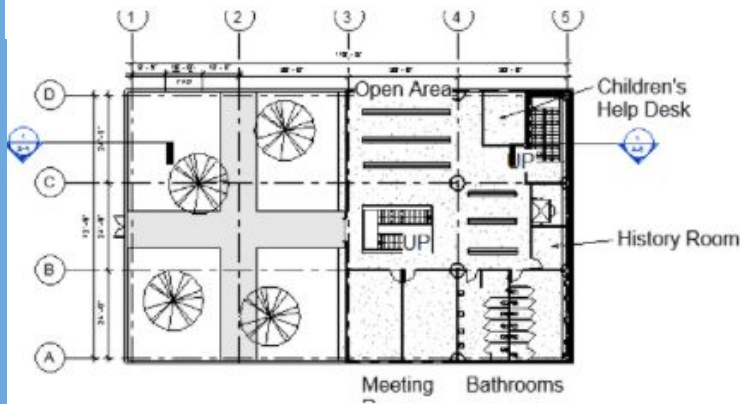
# Commercial Design

## Keystone Library Renovation

**1st  
Floor**



**2nd  
Floor**



Autodesk Revit

Project Lead The Way  
Keystone Center

SITE PLAN

C-1

# Engineering Design and Development (EDD)

**The knowledge and skills students acquire throughout PLTW Engineering come together in Engineering Design and Development as they identify an issue and then research, design, and test a solution, ultimately presenting their solution to a panel of engineers. Students apply the professional skills they have developed to document a design process to standards, completing Engineering Design and Development ready to take on any post-secondary program or career.**

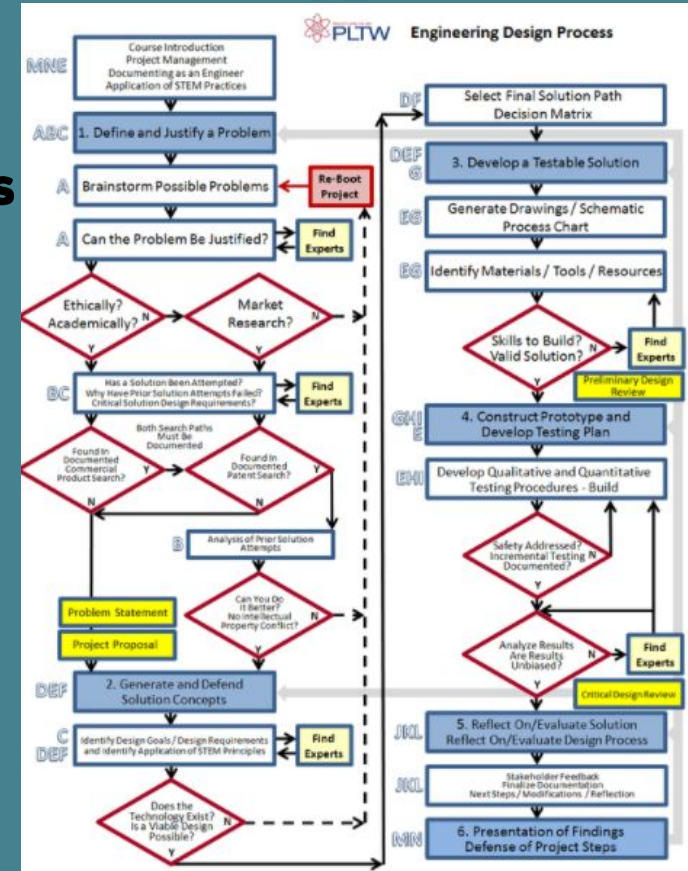
**Offered to students in grades 11, 12**

**Prerequisites: Two of the three previous engineering PLTW courses.**

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# Engineering Design and Development (EDD)

- Engineering Design Processes
- Project Management
- Documenting an Engineering Design Process
- Teamwork and Professional Skills
- Problem Identification and Justification
- Research
- Intellectual Property
- Project Proposals- Design
- Preliminary Design Reviews
- Prototyping
- Testing a Prototype
- Presenting the Process and Results



# Narrowing Down the Project Choices

## Ethans TOP Five!

- 1) Texting and Driving
- 2) Energetic dogs and NO time to walk them.
- 3) Unsafe crosswalks for pedestrians
- 4) Packages being stolen at door step
- 5) Wearing down flat studs on concrete or other non-attended surfaces.

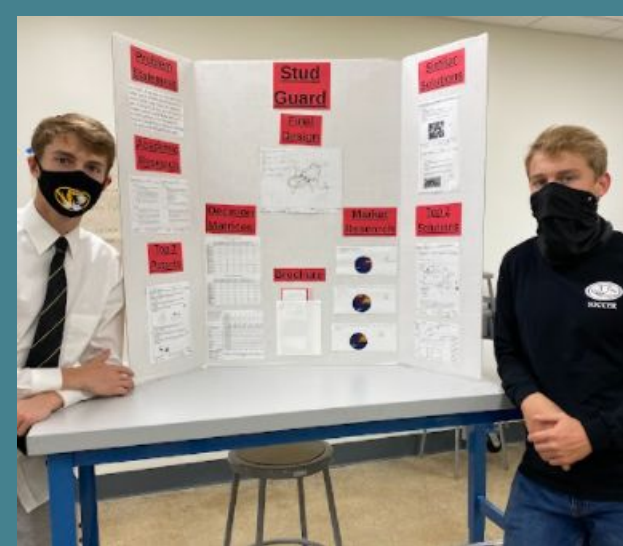
## Trevor's Top 5

- 1) I wish I didn't have to feed the dog so often
- 2) I wish I didn't have to replace light bulbs as often
- 3) I wish I didn't have to make my bed every morning
- 4) I wish there was an easier way to put a worm on a fishing hook
- 5) I wish I didn't have to pick up a dead bug every time I use a fly swatter

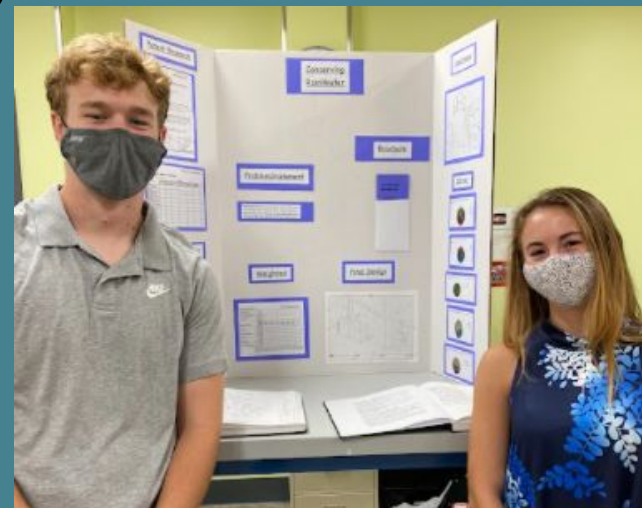
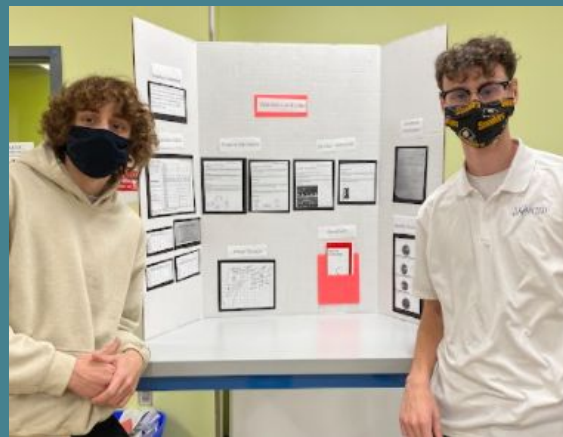
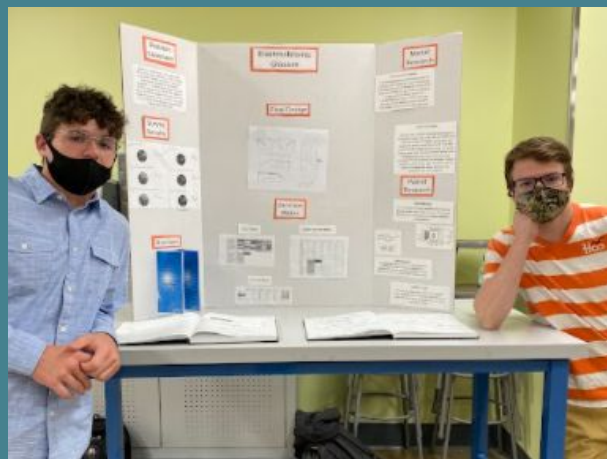
## Nathans Top five (not in specific order)

1. Automatic Animal feeder
2. Easier warning system for the elderly
3. ~~Automatic~~ Door Closer
4. Stop the car Doors from Slamming
5. Uniform Dyer

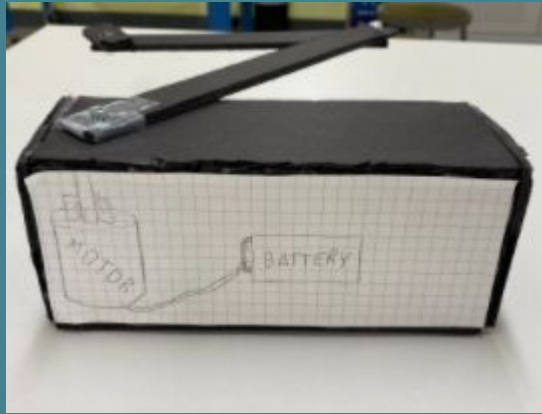




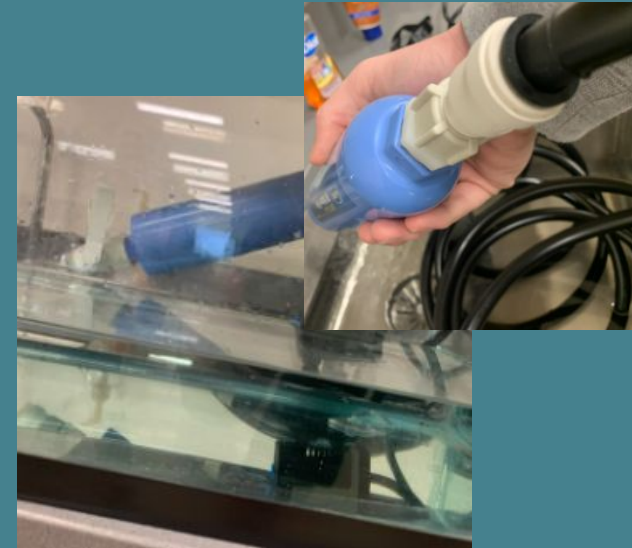
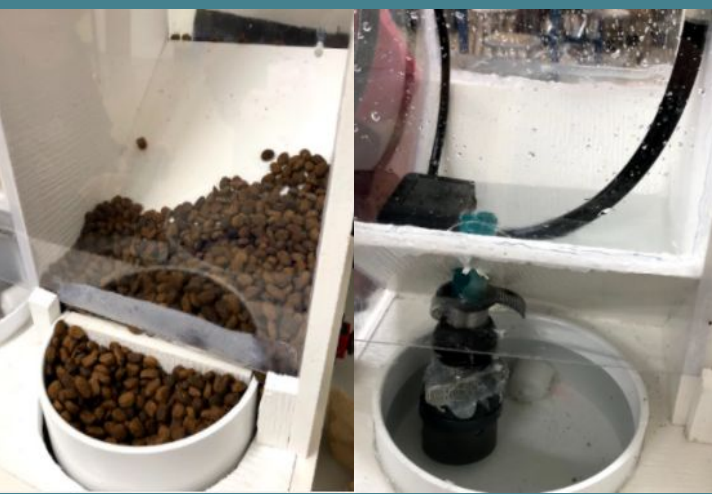
# Project Proposals



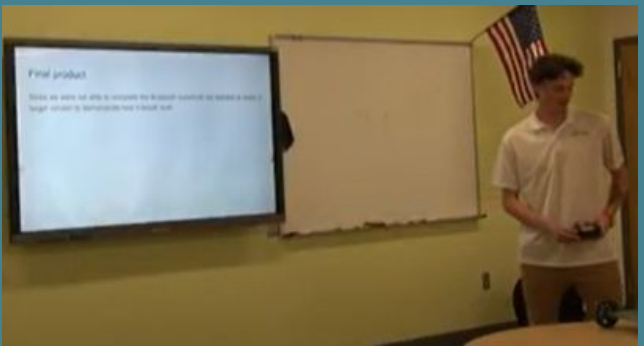
# Mock-ups







# Prototypes



# Final Presentations

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