

# Unit Study Planning Packet

Unit Title: \_\_\_\_\_

This packet includes worksheets for five sections of the podcast:

Section	Student
Introduction	
Teaser	
Did You Know?	
Web Watch	
Creative Corner	

## Rubric

	Well Done (5)	Mostly (3)	Lacking (1)
Does the podcast follow the script outlined in this packet?			
Did you complete your packet worksheet in a timely manner?			
Did you accurately summarize the concepts?			
Is the audio in the podcast clear and easy to hear?			
<b>Did you cover</b> conductors and insulators?			
Basic circuits?			
Static electricity?			
Transformation of electric energy into heat?			
Electromagnets?			
Historical milestones in electricity?			

# Section 1: Introduction

This section introduces the podcast.

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Hello! My name is: \_\_\_\_\_ (first name) and you are listening to a podcast from the class of \_\_\_\_\_ (teacher's name) at \_\_\_\_\_ (school name). Today's podcast is on the topic of \_\_\_\_\_.

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Write why you think telling people about this topic is important.

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Thanks for listening to our podcast. If you would like to get in touch with us, you can send an e-mail to our teacher: \_\_\_\_\_ (teacher's name) at: \_\_\_\_\_ (teacher's e-mail address).

Now, on to the show!

## Section 2: Teaser

**This section introduces the rest of the podcast team and what they will be presenting in this podcast episode.**

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So, you already know we're talking today about \_\_\_\_\_ (podcast topic). Today you will hear from \_\_\_\_\_ (Did you Know Host) who will test your knowledge by asking you some questions about \_\_\_\_\_ (unit topic). Then, we'll hear from \_\_\_\_\_ (Web Watch host) who will tell us all about a fascinating website where you can learn more about \_\_\_\_\_ (unit topic). Finally, we'll tap into your creative side with a contribution from \_\_\_\_\_ (Creative Corner host).

We hope you learn something today! If you would like to learn more about \_\_\_\_\_ (unit topic), check out chapters \_\_\_\_\_ in the \_\_\_\_\_ (textbook title) textbook and \_\_\_\_\_ (list other resources).

And now, here's \_\_\_\_\_ (Did you Know Host)!

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## Section 3: Did You Know?

This section asks interesting questions and provides the answers.

Thanks, \_\_\_\_\_ (host name). Today I have two facts about \_\_\_\_\_ (unit topic).

Did you know...? (Write a factual statement that you think is interesting.)

(Explain why this is so, or why it is interesting.)

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## Section 4: Web Watch

This section tells listeners about a good Web site on your topic of study.

Hi, I'm \_\_\_\_\_ (your first name) for today's Web Watch. Finding just what you need online can be tough. So we've dedicated this section to pointing out great resources you can find online.

Today's website is called \_\_\_\_\_ (website/page title). The address is: \_\_\_\_\_ (list web URL). This website is created by: \_\_\_\_\_ (owner/creator of website).

You might ask: what can I find there?

My favorite part about the site is:

Remember: when you're at home, be sure you have an adult's permission before exploring the World Wide Web. Next, it's time for something creative.

## Section 5: Creative Corner

This section is your chance to do something creative with your topic. Consider writing a poem, a rap or song.

Hi, and welcome to today's Creative Corner. My name is \_\_\_\_\_ (your first name) and today I have something to share that uses the following vocabulary words from our unit on \_\_\_\_\_ (unit topic).

(Vocabulary words:)

And here it is, I hope you like it!

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(Host speaking:) And that wraps up another podcast for us, folks. Thanks for listening. (Did you know:) Always remember to ask questions. (Web Watch:) Remember there's always a chance to learn something online. (Creative Corner:) Making a poem or song can be a great way to help remember something important! (All together:) Goodbye!