

## GRADUATION PROJECT RESEARCH TOPIC PROPOSAL

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 (print)

## RESEARCH TOPIC INFORMATION

Graduation Project Question (big idea):

Would lowering the drinking age back to 18 lower the amount of youth deaths?

I will need to answer these questions to determine the answer to my GP Question (small ideas):

What is the amount of young deaths due to drunk driving?

My rationale for choosing this topic:

Because my sister's best friend got killed by an older driver driving drunk and I've heard of many older drivers who have done the same.

This topic will be a learning stretch for me because:

It could teach me responsibility and what I should do in certain situations when it comes to drinking situations.

## PRODUCT INFORMATION

Detailed description of potential Product

(location, expenses, materials needed, community involvement, reason for choosing this product):

I can use Johnson county and Wake county as my location. The expenses won't be much because most of my project will be research and facts. I will need a computer for research and I will interview my sister's friend's mom and a police officer (my uncle) as community resources.

**PARENT STATEMENT**

**Parent/Guardian:** Please describe why you think the Research Topic your son or daughter has chosen is appropriate for him or her. What does he or she already know about the topic? How will this research build on or create new knowledge for your child?

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**Student Signature**

*Karna Haddix*

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/Guardian Signature**

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**GRADUATION PROJECT APPROVAL COMMITTEE DECISION**

Research Topic Approved  \_\_\_\_\_

Research Topic Denied\* \_\_\_\_\_

- Topic is too broad.
- There is no apparent challenge or learning stretch for you with this topic.
- Approval contingent upon: Parent statement

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

Committee Member's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: 9-15-11

Committee Member's Signature: Amber

Date: 9/15/11

Committee Member's Signature: Christy D. Nant

Date: 9/15/11

\*If not approved, you must submit a clean form along with this copy of the form. See your English teacher or the Graduation Project website on the CHS webpage for a clean copy.