Project Objective: Create a project that accurately portrays the animal you have chosen

Due Date: Wednesday, May 23rd

Requirements of this project include reviewing the below contextual information and examples, but, most importantly, answering specific questions posed below. The end product of this assignment is a creative project along with a written component.

* ***Example: Animals use their external body parts to help them survive, grow, and meet their needs.***

**Required questions to investigate about body structures for this project:**

1. **How does my animal protect itself?**
2. **How do certain parts of my animal help it to survive?**

Example answers:

Animal – Turtle Animal - Owl

Body Part – Shell Body Part - Feathers

Function – Protect itself Function - Warmth

* ***Example: Animals have behavior patterns that help them survive.***

**Required questions to investigate about behavior patterns for this project:**

1. **My animal has offspring. What is the offspring called? (For example, a baby whale is called a calf.)**
2. **What behaviors does my animal parent and offspring engage in to help with survival?**

**(Patterns of behavior can include the signals that the young animal makes such as crying, cheeping, or other vocalizations. Animal parents respond to those signals by feeding, comforting, and protecting its young.)**

1. **How does my parent animal protect its young?**