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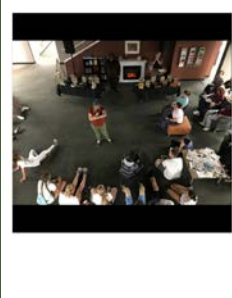
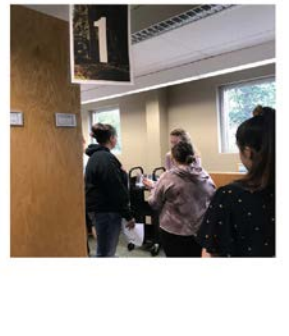
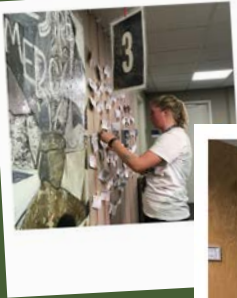
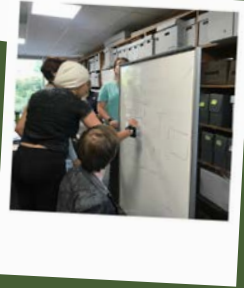
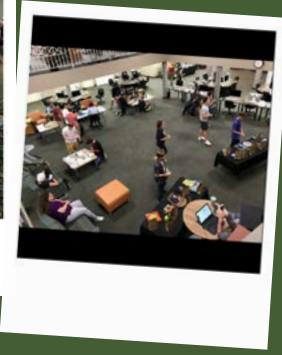
COVID AND SASQUATCH AND WILDFIRES, OH MY!

The *Surprising Success* of an
Asynchronous Event for First-Year Undergrads

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Sasquatch



Sasquatch AND COVID 19

We started early - excellent foresight from our leadership.

Replace vs. Replicate

How have our goals changed? What are our priorities?

Acknowledge that we will NEED to let things go, and work flexibly.

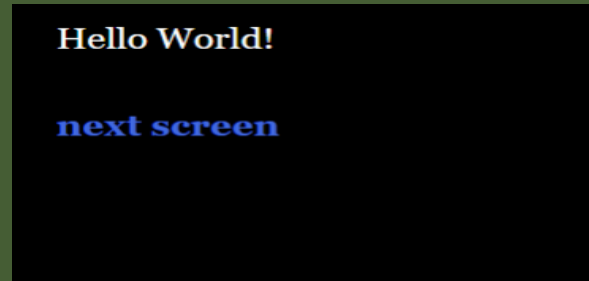
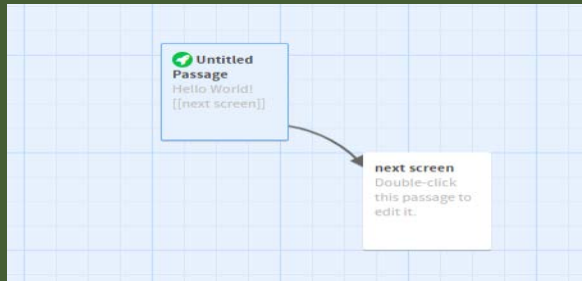
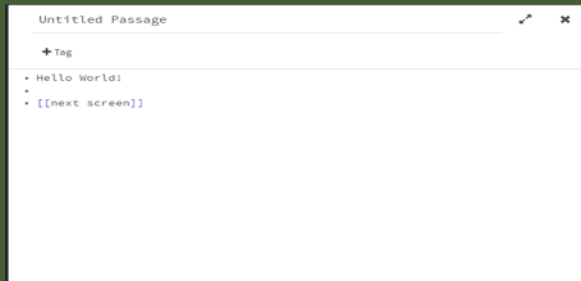
NEEDS

- Event feeling
- Reach hybrid student body
- Collaboration or community building
- Something flexible, accessible, with good graphics
- The player must be able to fail (at least in part)
- Some proof of completion (reflection?)

Sasquatch AND CMD 19

TWINE <http://twinery.org/>

“Twine is an open-source tool for telling interactive, nonlinear stories.”



Sasquatch AND CMD 19

Mysteries of Murdock

- HOME
- PLAYERS
- GO TO START



On your way to Coffee Bungalow, you start to worry a bit. There are a lot of coffeshops in Newberg. Surely you won't have to visit all of them?

As you head inside the shop, your heart skips a beat. The older couple from the canyon are sitting just past the first bookshelf, chatting quietly.

[Go talk to them](#)


[Hope they don't remember you](#)

0:00 / 2:17



Mysteries of Murdock

- HOME
- PLAYERS
- GO TO START



[Enter the Canyon](#)

Ladder Puzzle: 2

- Remember, you are not just re-ordering the letters from the word SOLVE. You need to replace one of the letters with another. Only lowercase letters in your answer and hit enter to submit.
- The letter that you take out is S. Another definition of the answer is: "new"

[Final Hint](#)

[Solve Your Way to Jud's Cabin Menu](#)

[Main Menu](#)

Mysteries of Murdock

- HOME
- PLAYERS
- GO TO START

Andrea, as she introduces herself, also has no idea what's going on with the flyer, but when you ask about your professor she smiles.

"Oh I love chatting with the Professor! They're always in here buying books on sasquatch and living off grid. Which reminds me, I've had a special order in for them for about a week - if you see them, can you let them know it's ready for pick up?"

It's clear that this also can't be the coffeshop from the flyer. Why don't you try Coffee Bungalow next?

[Head to Coffee Bungalow](#)

0:00 / 2:28




Mysteries of Murdock

- HOME
- PLAYERS
- GO TO START

a. ACCURATE: What is the first name of the author of any of the articles in the "Research on Other Time Outgoing Species" Section?


(Not enter its subject - no approx.)

[Save the Pacific Northwest Time Outgoing](#)



Answer

a. ACCURATE: What is the first name of the author of any of the articles in the "Research on Other Time Outgoing Species" Section?
b. ACCURATE/INACCURATE: This answer is compared with the definite University branch of the W&L - Computer Science
c. CORRECT: Strongly which decide was the answer from correct
d. CORRECT: In the correct only, wrong in the wrong, in the wrong



Mysteries of Murdock: Sasquatch in Cyberspace

Complete this form to be entered into our prize drawing and to claim 100 credits. The game is NOT complete until you submit this form.

[Required](#)

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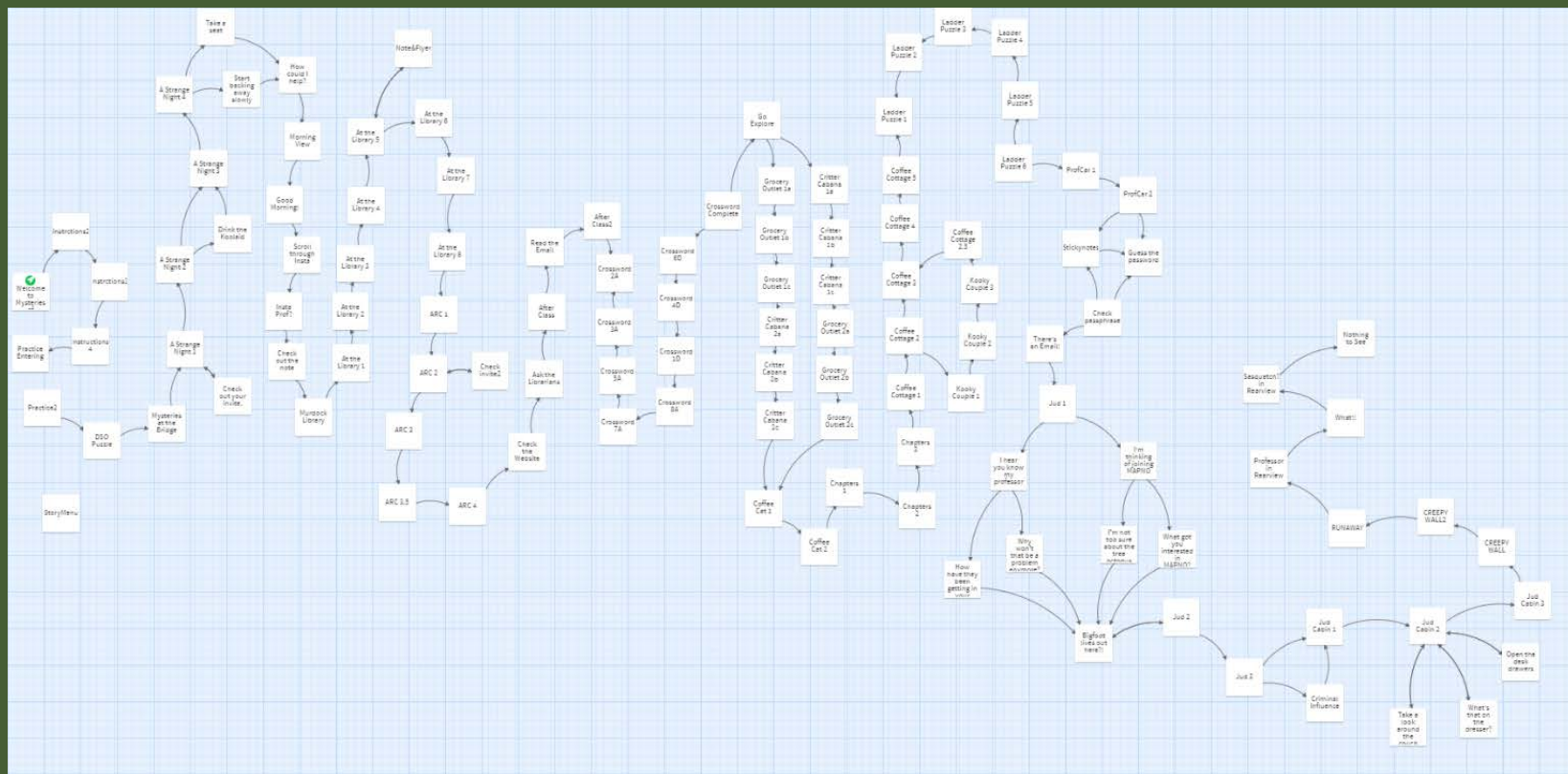
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MYSTERIES OF MURDOCK Sasquatch in Cyberspace

ENDS SOON!

Complete the game by
midnight, Sunday to be
entered for a prize!

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Eligibility for prizes (ENO Hammock,
Hydro Flask, etc) closes on Sunday at
midnight. Don't forget to check out
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6pm to discover the truth and see
who wins!

It's not too late to register -- LINK IN
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correct answer for a small prize.
Register for the event at the link in our
bio. 🐼🌲

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Cyberspace" that goes live for n
students starting tomorrow! DM
with the correct answer to this p
and we'll put you on our list for
small prize that you can claim a
ARC next week! Want to regist
"Mysteries of Murdock" and hav
chance to win awesome prizes?
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9 likes

SEPTEMBER 10

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Sasquatch AND COVID 19 AND (Wildfires OR Smoke)



We had 76 students register
57 completed the full game + survey
75% completion rate
31 Short answer (optional for prize)
Super Sleuth Points Average 7.67

“It was tons of fun!
Thanks for doing this for us!”

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You can play too!

<https://bit.ly/GFUmysteries20>

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