**Music Tech I - Project 5 Life-Timeline Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

Project

What is it? Creating a story of your life and creating music to bring color to it like with a movie. The music must change as the different events in your life come up.

Length: 3-6 minutes

Software: Garageband – Utilize loops and audio tracks to set up tracks as well as utilizing the keyboard that is built in to the computer.

Requirements: Use at least 8 loops.

Work Independently

Use Track Volume to control sound levels during spoken section and for overall balance.

Use the built-in Keyboard

Use effects on your tracks to enhance

Step 1: Write out a basic 7-10 point timeline of your life.

Expand on each of the points until it is in a well-organized paragraph.

Write a final copy of your Life-Timeline that will be recorded later.

Step 2: Following your outline of your life, start finding loops and audio tracks that will best represent these sections. They could be happy, sad, exciting, dark, joyful or really any emotion or feeling. As you are creating them think about the time it would take to speak that section over the music in a slow and clear voice and then add some time for transition.

Step 3: Use the Track Volume Control to balance sound levels.

Step 4: Use the effects to enhance your tracks

Step 5: Add a track with the built in keyboard. Select 🡪Add a new track and then type **command-K** for the keyboard to show up. Click on the right icon in the left corner for the built in keyboard.

Step 6: Practice reading your Life-Timeline over your music to make sure it fits. Add and delete music tracks where necessary.

Step 7: Record your voice track

Step 8: Use the Track Volume Control to balance sound levels.

Be Creative! Have Fun!

Step 9: When completed, export as a good quality mp3 file and email to: john.rosner@elkriver.k12.mn.us

**Life-Timeline**

Write no more than one sentence describing each period in your life. (7 min - 10 max)

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On a separate sheet of paper expand each of these to no more than one paragraph. You should finish with 7 to 10 paragraphs.