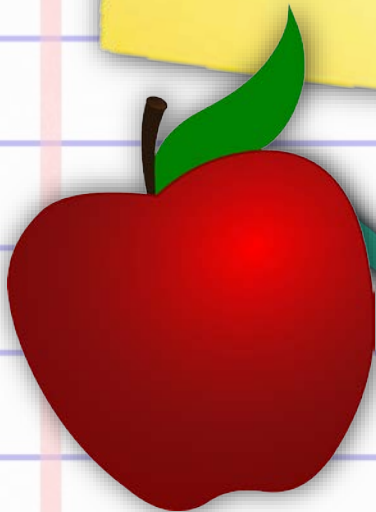


InterAGtive Notebooks

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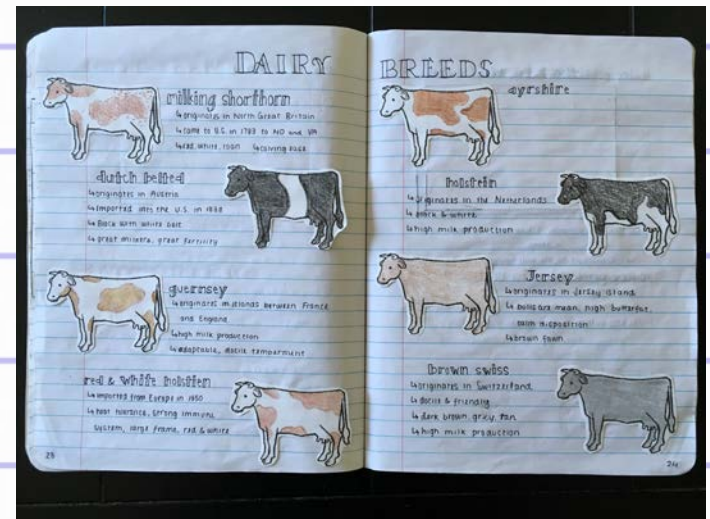
**What
are
they?**

**Why use
them?**

**How do
I use
them?**

What is an Interactive Notebook?

- A tool used to engage students, deepen their understanding, and provide critical thinking
- Students take what is inside their brains and lay it out in a way that is more meaningful to **them**
- Lay it out, make meaning, apply it, share it
- Promotes **interactivity** between:
 - Students and notes
 - Teachers and students
 - Students and students
 - Students and parents



Why Use Them?

- Collection of students' work throughout the semester or year
- Input and Output
- Concrete records of reflection, assessment, and connections
- Develop academic language
- Critical thinking and informed decisions
- Students take ownership of their work
- Creating a resource for **themselves**

Tips and Tricks...

- Provide students with as much as possible

- Notebooks
- Paper, sticky notes
- Glue sticks
- Markers, colored pens
- Tape

- Color-code sections

- Bell ringers
- Notes
- Challenge questions
- Reflections
- Previously learned material

- Organize

- Treat this like a textbook; include a table of contents, page numbers, and units

- Train students how to use them!

