



NASEF MENAcraft™ Minecraft Challenge #1: “The Story of You” Challenge

A large part of the NASEF MENAcraft™ project is to bring students from the two regions together to explore, discuss and appreciate the uniqueness of their individual cultures, countries, personal stories. In this challenge, student participants will create a comic book style storyboard that describes themselves, their location and something important, distinctive and shareable about themselves.

Challenge details:

Who you are makes a statement in the world – you have a story to tell, so let’s tell that story in a way that makes others want to “turn the page” and read more about you! Using a comic book-style [storyboard template](#), you will follow prompts to either draw (by hand or digitally) or graphically represent yourself (through images you select, adapt and use).

Once the storyboard is completed, you will share it at a future meeting with the rest of your participant group. Once everyone has had an opportunity to share their storyboards, participants may then recreate themselves in Minecraft for future use in other projects.

Finally, participants will record a brief recap of their storyboard and Minecraft avatar on Flipgrid.

Some questions to consider when creating your build and to include in your Flipgrid Video:

- a. How would you describe your uniqueness as a “superpower” (e.g., your love of reading =
- b. you are a human supercomputer of facts and lore)?
How do you like to use your unique skill(s)?
- c. Is there a skill / “superpower” you’d like to develop?

Submit a 5 minute or less Flipgrid video. Suggested submission date is June 30. Deadline to submit is July 19.

Accessing Flipgrid and how to submit:

Flipgrid is a program that will allow participants to share their program experience by recording a video. Access is free. Participants can use it on a computer or download the app and use it on a mobile device.

- Go to: <https://flipgrid.com/90d0d8e9> .
- Click “Join with Microsoft” and use the same username and password that is used to access Minecraft: Education Edition.
- NASEF will send Adult Facilitators a guest password as an alternate means of access. That will allow clubs and teams to “Join as Guest” and contribute.
- Record and save the video. For help with Flipgrid, visit [this page](#).
- Video must be 5 minutes or less