Genius Hour (GH) Process:

1) Read the Genius Hour: Before You Begin pages that I've created for you. This is what we would have done together as a class. There are important explanations of what GH is, what sustainability means and the difference between thin and thick questions, videos and books (that are actually video recordings since you won't have access to these books). A GH project is not something to rush into. It's not just "free time".

2) Watch video of Danielle explaining their process!

3) Decide if you want to do GH now and be part of Danielle's university project! Let her know!!! My project is due on March 30, so you'd have to decide to do it early this week & remember...it needs a sustainability focus!

3) Watch the explanation videos in order to explain more about the pages you have in your package

4) Start your project & have fun!

Things to know:

-Your research will be done in your Research Notebook (that I hope went home in your package) or just on any paper you have!

-Your research is what helps you answer that guiding question you have. I'm not asking you to do a "write up" with the project like we did for your animal research, but if you wanted to add something like that...you could!

-Take point form notes in your book and don't waste time copying out full sentences. What information do you need to know to help you solve your problem?

-You can include drawings in your research notebook. For example: if you want to help the bees then you might need to what a hive looks like or what wildflowers they need, etc.

Let me know if you have questions or would like to check in with me :)
Danielle