

Web Quest Task

You are going on a Web Quest to find out The Truth about Meat or Veggie.

1. Read the main arguments. (Page 3)
2. Take part in a class discussion about vegetarianism. Make note of any good points and add them to the table. (Page 3)

Your Task

You are a student representative on the school council. There have been arguments between some vegetarian pupils who refuse to eat in the school canteen while other students eat meat there. You have been asked to do some research about vegetarianism because the situation is getting out of hand with groups of students holding extreme positions and you have been asked to present the facts in an unbiased way so there can be a calm and informed debate.

3. Evaluate each Website using the following checklist. Look out for biased opinions and unprovable facts. Copy a new checklist for each website.

Website name:		
Website address:		
Feature	Points (0-3)	Comments/Reasons
Author		
Publishing body		
Biased/unbiased		
Other sources		
Verifiability		
Up-to-date		
Total		

Award points in the table on a scale from 0-3:

Maximum 3 points: genuine, reliable, apparently unbiased, verifiable and up-to-date.

Minimum 0 points: unreliable, no supporting authority, biased, no other sources mentioned, out of date.

4. Follow and fill in the Task Line of *ask, find, choose, do, answer, reflect* (pages 12 & 13) and finish by creating your class presentation of the main arguments for and against vegetarianism.