

## “Eenie MEANie Miney MODE” Survey Activity

### **Activity Description:**

Let's be creative! Have you ever wondered if something you or your friends do affects the outcome of something seemingly unrelated? Well now is your chance to find out. You will create a survey using ([\*Google Forms\*](#)) and share it with others. Once you receive (a minimum of) 15 responses, make sure to use ([\*Google Sheets\*](#)) and graph your results. ***You may write this in your STEM journal or download this document to fill in separately.***

[Google Form Instructions \(If needed\):](#)

[Google Sheets Instructions \(If needed\):](#)

[Excel Instructions \(If needed\):](#)

### **Instructions:**

- 1) Choose two actions that you believe could have a relationship (one affects the other).
- 2) Create a survey using Google Forms or an alternate survey website.
- 3) Share your survey with friends, family, and on the Facebook group or email to [thstem@uh.edu](mailto:thstem@uh.edu).
- 4) Graph the results: Google Sheets (*Recommended*) / Excel
- 5) Analyze the data (\*\***Note: Correlation does not equal causation**\*\*)
- 6) Share your results and what you learned on our Facebook Group or email to [thstem@uh.edu](mailto:thstem@uh.edu).
- 7) Add this activity into your STEM journal.

### **Sample Scenario:**

If you are a gamer, you can determine if the hours spent playing Fortnite every day increases the amount of wins you get. Create a survey and send it out to your gamer friends to be able to get enough data. The survey should include a question which asks how many hours they spend playing Fortnite a day and the second question should be how many wins do they currently have.

Other examples of possible correlations include (but are not limited to):

- Age and hearing “Laurel” or “Yanny”
- Dress color challenge and eyewear prescription
- Favorite color and birthday
- Height and shoe size
- Hand size and shoe size
- Left/right-handedness and artistic ability

**Your Inquiry (what do you want to research?):**

**Survey Questions:**

**Google Sheets or Excel table and graph results:**

**Answer to your question based on your results (back it up with evidence!):**