

# Hello!!

- Please check the answers to the homework.
- I will answer questions if you have them.

# Requested Homework

# Finish Lab

- I'll build an example of the circuit from the third problem.
- Use this as a model to finish the other problems.
- You have about 20 minutes to complete the worksheet.

# Today

- Combined circuits.
- Begin Presentation Project.

# This Week

- M: Combined Circuits
- T: Kirchhoff's Rules
- W: Review for electricity quiz
- R: Electricity quiz
- F: Research Project Phase I Due.

# Tonight

- Combined Circuits Worksheet.
- There are 4 combined circuits.
- Find the current and voltage on each resistor.

# Series Circuits

- $R_{\text{tot}}=R_1+R_2+R_3$
- $I_{\text{tot}}=I_1=I_2=I_3$
- $V_{\text{tot}}=V_1+V_2+V_3$

# Parallel Circuits

- $1/R_{tot}=1/R_1+1/R_2+1/R_3$
- $I_{tot}=I_1+I_2+I_3$
- $V_{tot}=V_1=V_2=V_3$



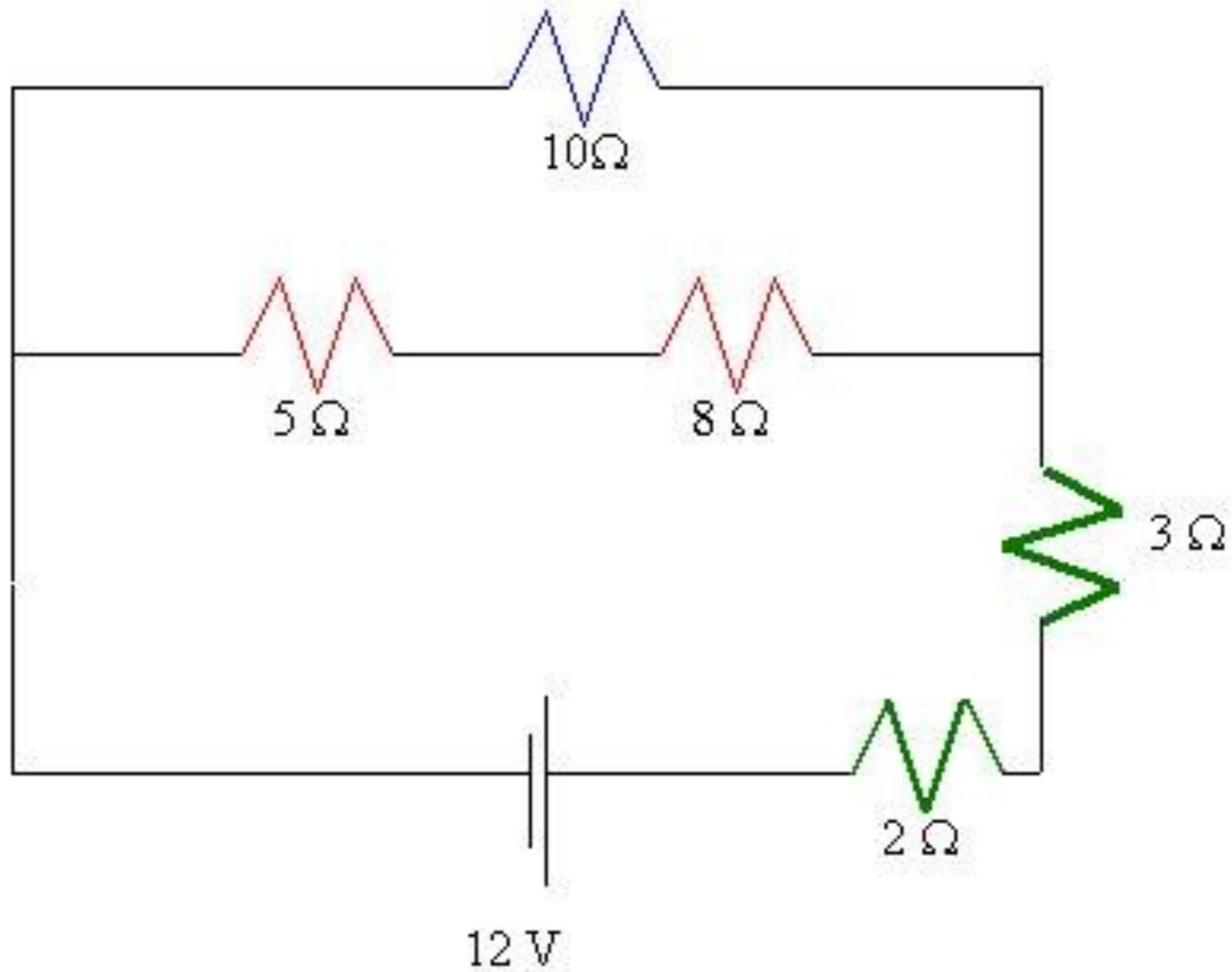
# Combined Circuits

- Resistors in series and parallel.
- Break down the individual branches of the circuit into smaller representative circuits.
- Do this until you have a circuit that is all in series.

# Combined Circuits

- Keep track of representative resistors with multiple subscripts.
- Find the current in each representative (combined) resistor.
- Break representative resistors apart until you have the current and voltage on each individual resistor.

A 15V battery is connected in series to a 10ohm resistor. The circuit then connects to a 7 and 12 ohm resistor in parallel. What is the total resistance on the circuit?

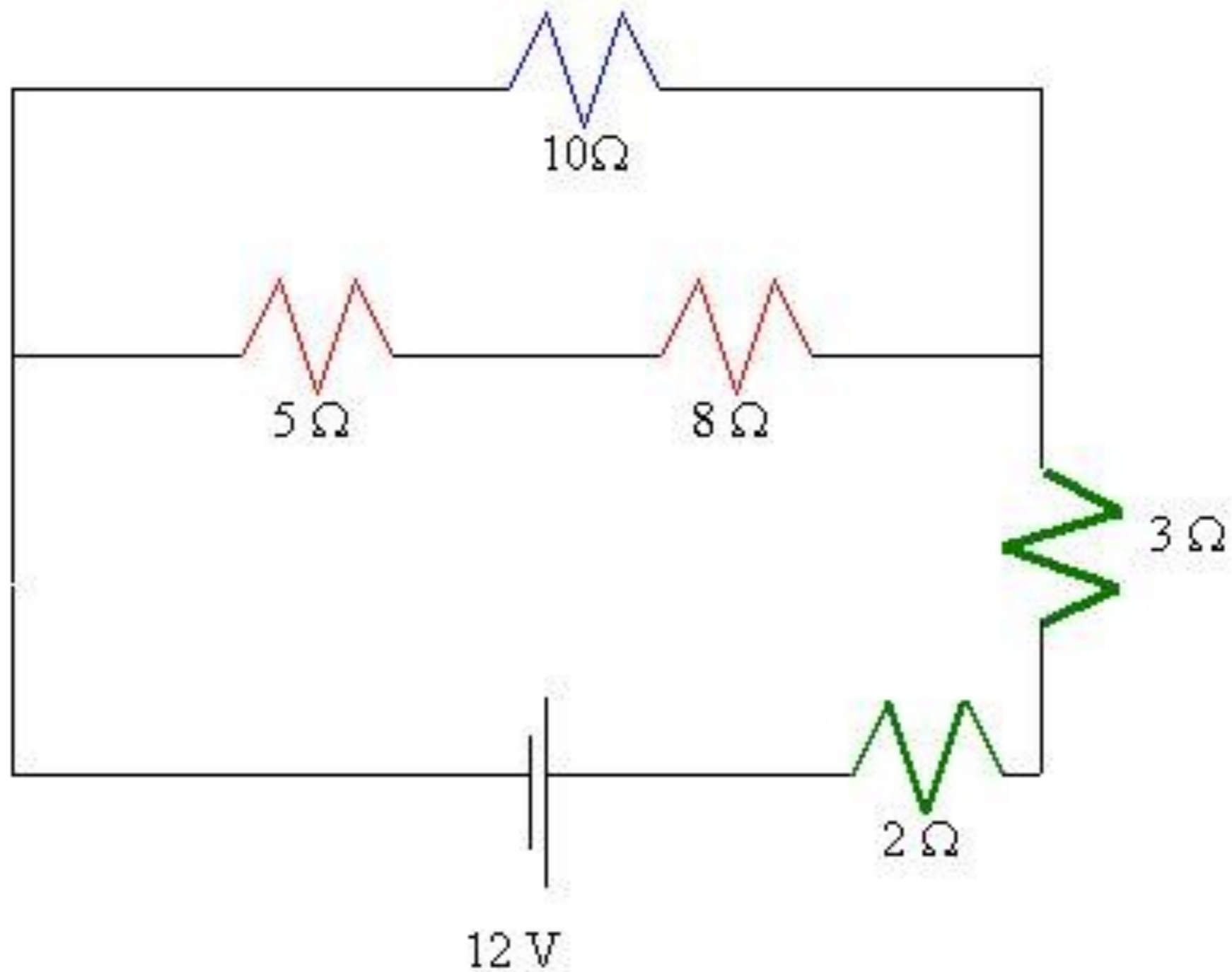


**Find the total resistance of the circuit.**

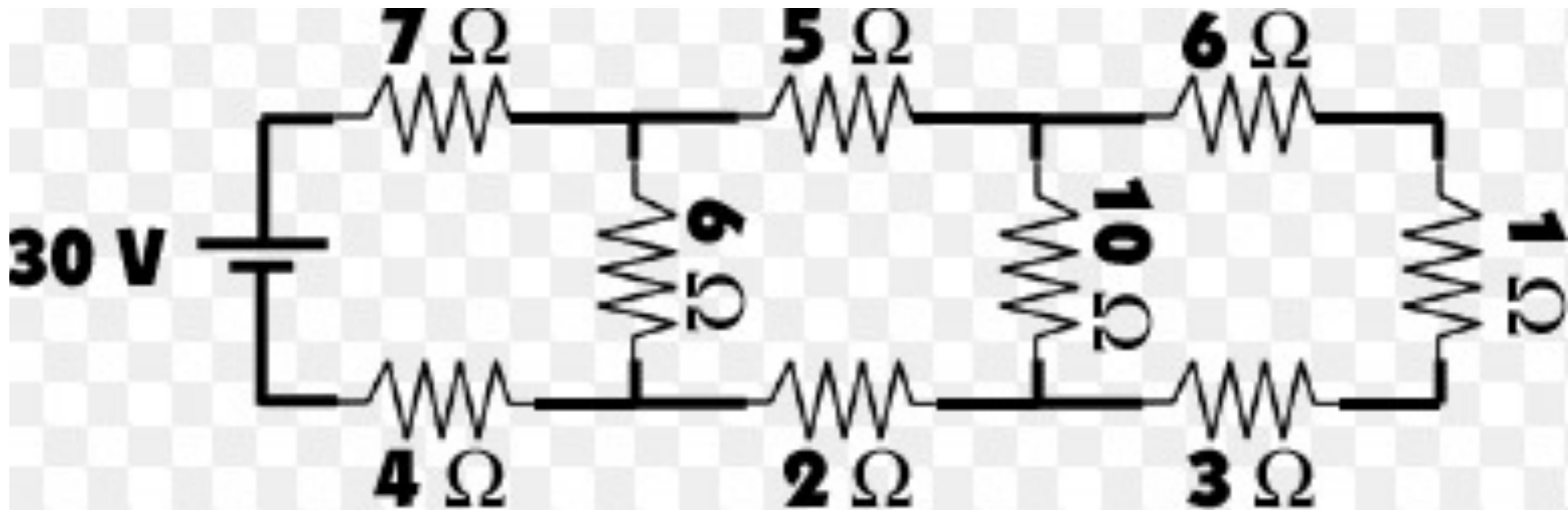
# Determining $I$ and $V$

- Begin from the resistance of the entire circuit in a series equivalence.
- You can determine the voltage and current on each branch of the circuit.
- Continue to break down the circuit until you know  $V$  &  $I$  on each individual resistor.

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Find the voltage and current on each resistor.



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# Research Project

- You are going to design a lab that highlights a concept that we have studied.
- You may research a topic in physics that we have not studied also.
- You may work in pairs if you would like. No more than two per group.

# Basic Requirements

- Your lab must be something that you can demonstrate in class.
- You will create a worksheet that will accompany your lab.
- You will also submit a formal lab report about the lab with experimental data.

# Presentation

- You will present your lab to the class.
- This will be done on the 22nd and 23rd of December.
- It should be 5 to 7 minutes in length.

# Due Dates

- All written materials are due to Friday December 19th at 6:00pm.
- By this Friday (December 12th) at the end of class I want a proposal of topic, demo idea and rough draft of the lab sheet that would accompany the lab.

# Grade

- This will count as a 30 point quiz.
- 10 points for the lab sheet
- 10 points for lab write up with data
- 10 points for presentation
- Rubrics to Follow

# Lab Sheet

- This is the handout that accompanies the activity you will demonstrate.
- It should include background information about the topic being investigated.
- Include a detailed procedure for the activity.
- There are questions about the lab data to be collected and questions that connect it to the general topic.

# Today

- Pick a general topic of study.
- Begin developing a demonstration that will highlight the concept.
- You have access to the materials from labs we have done.
- I can get requested materials from the physics closet for next class.