Market Research Assignment

You are asked to complete a market research survey (that will help support you in your next unit of marketing). In the next unit one of your objectives will be to develop a one week vacation package (anywhere in the world) – targeted towards families with teenage children. The objective of your research should find answers to a number of key questions (and to help you develop packages tailored to this target market).

Key questions to research:

- What destinations interest families the most? Where would you recommend travelling?
 What do people look for when choosing a location? ie. Climate, culture, safety, etc.
- What activities/excursions are families interested in? Will companies have better success with adventure packages or should vacations be focused on relaxation? What are people in your target market looking for in a vacation?
- What price range fits the budget for families looking to travel? What pricing should you offer?

Task:

- Your task will be to create a market research survey to answer these questions and then draw conclusions from the data.
- Once you've conducted your survey, you will analyze the data. What conclusions does it draw related your key questions?

Instructions: Include all of the following in a report to be submitted for evaluation.

- Primary Research involves the following five steps. You will need to complete each of these steps by following the instructions below.
 - 1. **Define the question** that you are trying to answer
 - After reading the task, determine what the **purpose** of your research is. Be specific! What are you trying to figure out?

2. Select a research method

- Create and administer a **Survey** (using Survey Monkey)
- Your survey must include demographic questions and additional questions that will help to answer your questions. Your survey should be a minimum of 15 questions.
- You must follow the guidelines for creating an effective survey.
- Please refer to your chapter notes/readings to ensure that you are following proper formatting guidelines.

3. Collect Data

• Have at least 20 people fill out the survey.

4. Analyze data

 Copy and paste the most important and relevant graphs/data from Survey Monkey into your Conclusion. Be sure to refer to each graph and the results as well as any other important results in your conclusion.

5. Draw Conclusions

- Summarize your findings into a one page summary.
 - 1. What did you determine?
 - 2. Were you able to find answers to your original questions?
 - 3. What actions do you recommend from here?

What should be "submitted" at the end of this task:

- 1. Good copy of survey
- 2. Tallied data and a copy chart/data/graphs with results
- **refer to Rubric for marking scheme