Scenario: You are the owner of a potato plant in Idaho. You have recently won a contract to supply McDonald’s with potatoes. McDonald’s requires their suppliers to precut and freeze the potatoes before shipping to their distributing center. Your potato plant does not currently have a process for precutting and freezing potatoes. You need to design and build a potato slicing process.

Directions: Describe your potato process. Think about the most efficient design, and try to make your potato process fast and cost effective.

Some things to think about:

1. Are you going to hire people to cut and freeze your potatoes? Why or why not?
2. Will you have one person or one machine cut the potatoes, then package the potatoes in a freezing bag, and then store the potatoes?
3. If you use multiple people or machines, then what will that look like? Will you set up some type of assembly line?

Describe your potato process: