

Project: Early Civilizations

A. Organization

All projects must include the following

- 1) Title page - This page should have the project name, Partner's names, Period, Room
- 2) Written research Material
 - a) Research refers to the information you obtain by using the guidelines that were given to you on your area of study
 - b) Map of the area you are researching
 - c) Pictures relating to your area of study
 - d) Anything you did to make your project extra special
- 3) Bibliography - A bibliography should be at the end of your project indicating the articles, books, or Internet sites that you used as your sources of information.
Bibliographies for books and articles should be as follows:
Author, Title, Publisher, Date of publication, City of publication
If one of your sources is an encyclopedia you must give:
The name of the encyclopedia, Volume, Number, and Pages used in that volume.
If you have an Internet source you must give:
The name of the site and the address.
- 4) Students Assessment Paper
 - a) This is a review of what each student contributed to your presentation. This paper must be sign by each member of the group.
- 5) Student test questions.
 - a) This test will be administered by you to your classmates. The questions must be submitted to me for approval the day before you present.

B. Assessment:

In order to guarantee proper assessment all items listed above must be turned in at the completion of your presentation. All students will receive a group grade. If the project is late there will be a ½ grade reduction. (1st day late A-, 2nd B+, 3rd B-, and so on.)

C. Preparation:

- 1) You will have one week to prepare for your presentation. One day will be in the library.
- 2) Each group will pick a leader, a note taker, and artist, for your group.
All members of each group are researchers.
- 3) You will decide within your group how the work should be divided. Make use of the special talents of each student.
- 4) A map should be prepared showing the location of the people you are teaching about. All natural barriers and major areas must be labeled and a key included.
- 5) Pictures may be brought into class. Books with the pictures you need may also be brought into class. You may photocopy pictures from books or be creative and draw them.
- 6) Information about your topic will be both written and presented orally in class. Each group will have specific guidelines to help you focus on the important material for your particular people. This research will form the major portion of your presentation.

D. Presentation

- a) The purpose of this project is to teach your classmates about an area of early civilization in which you have become an expert.
- b) Your oral presentation should take no more than one class period, and this includes the time for you to administer your test.
- c) Each group will determine their mode of presentation. Videotaped presentations are acceptable. You may use the chalkboard. You may have material duplicated with my assistance.
- d) You may use any audio-visual material that is appropriate. Prior notice must be given to insure the appropriate equipment will be present at the time of your presentation.
- e) You're presentation must include a powerpoint.

E. Respect

- a) Absolute attention will be given to other groups as they present their projects. If any one is corrected for disrespect, talking, or anything else they will loose a ½ grade from there projects final grade.

ALL PROJECTS ARE DUE ON THE SAME DAY REGARDLESS