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Famous Historical Figure \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Famous Historical Figure Project**

You will each choose a famous figure from history to learn more about. You will research that person, compose a 4-page report, create a visual, and finally present the information you learned to your classmates. This project is worth 50 points.

**STEP 1**: You will choose your famous historical figure from the list provided.

**STEP 2:** You will search the internet, books, magazines, etc. to gather information about this person. You will have 2 days to research your famous historical figure in class. Whatever is not completed after these two class periods must be completed as homework.

The dates you will have to complete your research will be \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (This step is worth 10 points. If the information is not brought in for approval by the due date, you will forfeit those 10 points.)

**STEP 3:** You will have 2 class periods to write your report and work on your visual. Whatever is not completed after these two class periods must be completed as homework.

The dates you will have to write your report will be \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Your research paper, the visual, and the presentation will be due \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**STEP 4:** Page 1 of your paper will contain the title and a picture(s) of your famous historical figure.

**STEP 5:** Pages 2 & 3 of your paper will contain the information you researched and should include the following:

* Information about his/her childhood
* How he/she became famous
* His/her major accomplishments
* How he/she has affected of changed our world
* Interesting or fn facts about him or her

Your paper will be typed in 12 point font, either Times New Roman, Calibri, or Arial, double-spaced.

**STEP 6:** Page 4 of your paper is the works cited page. This is where you will list the websites, books, or magazines that provided the information you used.

**STEP 7:** The visual you create will be shown during your presentation. It should help tell the story of your famous person. Be creative!

**STEP 8:** Your presentation should be between 5-7 minutes long. During your presentation you will not be allowed to use your report, however, you may use your visual or note cards. You should be able to answer reasonable questions about your famous historical figure.

**Famous Historical Figure Project Rubric**

Famous Historical Figure \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ / 10 Research

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ / 5 Cover Page

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ / 10 2-page Report (content)

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ / 5 Report (conventions)

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ / 5 Works Cited Page

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ / 10 Visual

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ / 5 Presentation

TOTAL \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ / 50