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Mesopotamian Travel Brochure

Lesson Title Mesopotamian Travel Brochure
Duration 7 days
Grade 6
Marking Period 1
Subject Areas

Language Arts Literacy
Social Studies 1st Marking Period Benchmark
Technology

Description After reading a short skit entitled: The Land Between Two Rivers, students will extract pertinent information regarding reasons for vacationing in Babylon and potential job opportunities in Babylon. They will then utilize this information to create a brochure on Microsoft Publisher.

Objectives Students will be able to: A) Locate and list important information from written text. B) Create a creative advertisement for travel to Babylon. C) Use Microsoft Publisher to produce a brochure.

Materials 1. Land Between Two Rivers Skit 2. Pen/Paper 3. Access to a computer with Classlink capabilities.

Extension/Adaptation Activity For complete Rubric Analysis see Resouces File

Resources Babylon Brochure Rubric.xls

Procedure

- 1) Using Land Between Two Rivers skit, Make two lists: List One = Reasons why one might want to vacation in Babylong. List Two = Different job opportunities in Babylon. 2) Make a third list highlighting all that Babylon has to offer using the skit as a guide. 3) Use Microsoft Publisher and create a brochure advertisement for Babylon. 4) Use the internet to get pictures to be included in your brochure and include them appropriately.

Student Directions
Standards

NJ CORE CURRICULUM CONTENT STANDARDS (AS OF 2003)	
SOCIAL STUDIES	(6.5.8.9) (6.5.8.12) (6.5.8.12) (6.2.8.8)

Rubrics Babylonian Brochure (Created by Mr. Ruiz)

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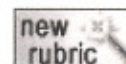
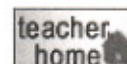
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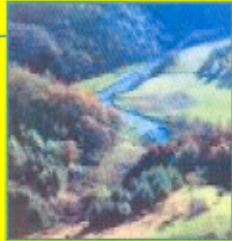
Making A Brochure : Babylonian Travel

CATEGORY	4	3	2	1
Content - Accuracy	All facts in the brochure are accurate.	99-90% of the facts in the brochure are accurate.	89-80% of the facts in the brochure are accurate.	Fewer than 80% of the facts in the brochure are accurate.
Knowledge Gained	Student can accurately answer all questions related to facts in the brochure and to technical processes used to create the brochure.	Student can accurately answer most questions related to facts in the brochure and to technical processes used to create the brochure.	Student can accurately answer most questions related to facts in the brochure and to technical processes used to create the brochure.	Student appears to have little knowledge about the facts or technical processes used in the brochure.
Writing - Mechanics	Capitalization and punctuation are correct throughout the brochure.	Capitalization and punctuation are correct throughout the brochure after feedback from an adult.	There are 1-2 capitalization and/or punctuation errors in the brochure even after feedback from an adult.	There are several capitalization or punctuation errors in the brochure even after feedback from an adult.
Graphics/Pictures	Graphics go well with the text and there is a good mix of text and graphics.	Graphics go well with the text, but there are so many that they distract from the text.	Graphics go well with the text, but there are too few and the brochure seems "text-heavy".	Graphics do not go with the accompanying text or appear to be randomly chosen.
Spelling & Proofreading	No spelling errors remain after one person other than the typist reads and corrects the brochure.	No more than 1 spelling error remains after one person other than the typist reads and corrects the brochure.	No more than 3 spelling errors remain after one person other than the typist reads and corrects the brochure.	Several spelling errors in the brochure.

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Jobs

Do You want a job then come to Babylon. There are great jobs and they pay good. You will like



Jobs

- Metal worker
- Craft people
- Wood workers
- Teachers
- Inventors
- Cooks
- Sales people
- Boat builders
- Astronomers
- Sail instructors

Welcome to Babylon



Land Between Two Rivers

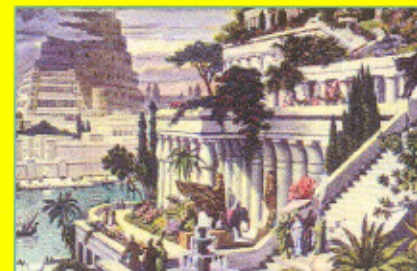


Welcome to Babylon

Babylon is a great place it is beautiful, and it has great water supply. Your wish is our command as we are here to cater to all your needs.

Reasons To Come To Babylon

- Water sports
- Clean Area
- Quite location
- Laws are good
- Nice weather



Babylon Tourism

Come to Babylon ! There are plenty fun activities. Don't miss out on Babylon's vacation there will be lots of fun things!

Fun Things

- Camping
- Fine dining
- Boat trips
- Water park



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View Rubric

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Subject Area Social Studies

Description

Rubric is public YES

Criterion	Strong Command	Adequate Command	Limited Command	Inadequate Command
Content Accuracy	<input type="checkbox"/> (20)	<input type="checkbox"/> (15)	<input type="checkbox"/> (10)	<input type="checkbox"/> (5)
Knowledge Gained	<input type="checkbox"/> (20)	<input type="checkbox"/> (15)	<input type="checkbox"/> (10)	<input type="checkbox"/> (5)
Use of Graphics/Pictures	<input type="checkbox"/> (20)	<input type="checkbox"/> (15)	<input type="checkbox"/> (10)	<input type="checkbox"/> (5)
Writing Mechanics	<input type="checkbox"/> (20)	<input type="checkbox"/> (15)	<input type="checkbox"/> (10)	<input type="checkbox"/> (5)
Spelling & Proofreading	<input type="checkbox"/> (20)	<input type="checkbox"/> (15)	<input type="checkbox"/> (10)	<input type="checkbox"/> (5)

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