

American Revolution – Project Handout

Method

For this project you will create a picture book of the American Revolution. Here are the steps that you will need to follow as you complete your work for the project...

- ☐ You will begin by researching the American Revolution. You should be able to find most of the information that you need in the textbook, but you will need to use at least 3 sources total.
- ☐ You will create a table of contents for your book that includes no less than 15 pages. There must be information for the start of the war, each of the 3 colonial regions, and the end of the war.
- ☐ Next you will use your table of contents to write the text for each page, making sure to cite your sources and demonstrate a good understanding of the content.
- ☐ After you have written the titles and text for each page, you will then assemble your pages and draw pictures for each page. You can choose to print out pictures from the Internet or photocopy them from book sources, but then you must include a caption for the pictures (in addition to the text you have already written for the page).
- ☐ Before you hand in your project, check over your work to make sure that it is complete and meets the standards described on the rubric...
 - A colorful front page with a title, your name, and your class
 - A table of contents
 - At least 15 pages with titles, pictures, and text
 - A bibliography
- ☐ Write a reflection paper (one page, typed, double-spaced, 12-point font) where you answer the following questions: What was your project's greatest strength? What was your project's greatest weakness? Would you do anything differently if you could redo this project from the beginning? What grade do you think you deserve for your project?



Products and Grading Criteria

#1) Picture Book – 80 points

- Appearance is colorful and attractive
- Project is clearly organized according to assignment guidelines
- Information shows evidence of research and understanding
- Writing is clear and there are no mistakes in spelling/grammar

#2) Bibliography – 10 points

- Follows standard MLA format
- Contains at least 3 sources total
- Contains at least 1 book source

#3) Reflection Paper – 10 points

- Meets requirements regarding length and format
- Contains meaningful reflections about the project
- No mistakes in spelling/grammar