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Grade Boost Project Menu

Directions: You will have the option to create your own project to boost your 1st Quarter Grade. The project will focus on a topic from Quarter 1. You will choose one of the project selections from the options below. You will be assessed through the supplied rubric. Have fun with these projects and let your creativity show.

Due Date: _____

Project Options:

Comic Strip: Draw a series of cartoon panels that summarizes a topic of your choice. You must pick an event in history that somehow connects to modern times. You must draw at least five panels showing the essential events from beginning to end. Your comic strip must be neat and colorful. An example of a topic could be an illustration of King George III's life and his role in the American Revolution.

Criteria	Points Possible	Points Earned
Completion of project/turned in on time	5	
Chooses topic relevant to this semester	5	
Neatness/Creativity	5	
Information presented in project is correct and applies to semester	10	
Includes at least five panels	5	
Connections to current events are made	5	
Total	35	

Power Point Presentation: Create a Power Point of your topic. Power Point should be at least five slides and include at least two pictures. You must pick an event in history that you believe is significant to modern day. An example of a topic could be a summary of King George III's life. The summary would explain who King George III was his part in the American Revolution.

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Completion of project/turned in on time	5	
Chooses topic relevant to this semester	5	
Neatness/Creativity	5	
Information presented in project is correct and applies to semester	10	
Includes at least five slides and two pictures	5	
Connections to current events are made	5	
Total	35	

Song: Write a song/rap about your topic. The lyrics must contain all relevant information about your topic and make a connection to current events. The lyrics should be at least ten lines. An example of a topic could be a summary of King George III's life. The summary would include King George III's birth, rule, and death.

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Chooses topic relevant to this semester	5	
Neatness/Creativity	5	
Information presented in project is correct and applies to semester	10	
Includes at least ten lines	5	
Connections to current events are made	5	
Total	35	

Children's Book: Create a children's book about your topic. The book must be at least five pages long and make a connection to current events. It should include lots of color and illustrations. An example of a topic could be a biography of King George III's life.

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Completion of project/turned in on time	5	
Chooses topic relevant to this semester	5	
Neatness/Creativity	5	
Information presented in project is correct and applies to semester	10	
Includes at least five pages long	5	
Connections to current events are made	5	
Total	35	

Essay: Write an essay about a specific event in history. The essay must be at least five paragraphs long and expresses the significance of the event. It should have a thesis statement and evidence to back up claims. An example of a topic could be the King George III. The essay could discuss the significance of King's rule.

Criteria	Points Possible	Points Earned
Completion of project/turned in on time	5	
Chooses topic relevant to this semester	5	
Neatness/Creativity	5	
Information presented in project is correct and applies to semester	10	
Content	5	
Focus (Thesis Statement)	1	
Organization	2	
Correct Spelling and Grammar	2	
Total	35	

Turn in this rubric with your project