

Final 7th Grade History Project: A Book of Medieval History

Overview of Project:

Your final history project will be to create a book that displays the knowledge and information you have learned from the units we have studied this year.

Your book will contain two-page layouts for each of the units we have studied this year. These units include the following.

The Fall of Rome
Monotheism Religions
The Islamic Empire
Sub-Saharan Africa
China
Japan
Feudal Europe
The Renaissance
The Reformation
The Scientific Revolution (This will be one page.)

Each layout will need to have at least four paragraphs of 5-7 sentences. (Due to its length, the layout on the Scientific Revolution will only need to be three paragraphs.) The paragraphs will need to cover the major parts of the unit organizer for each unit. Along with the paragraphs, you will need 4 pictures that relate to the topics of the paragraphs. (The layout on the Scientific Revolution will only need 3 pictures.)

This project is worth 20% of your fourth quarter grade. The project will be due on May 21, but it may be handed in until May 25. Any project not handed in by May 25 will not be accepted – NO EXCEPTIONS.

Writing the Paragraphs:

The paragraphs for each layout need to cover the major parts of each unit's unit organizer. This means that the unit organizer is where you need to start your project. Here are the steps you should follow when writing your paragraphs.

- (1) Look at the unit organizer. Make a list of what you want the topics of your paragraphs to be. With four paragraphs, you can't write about everything. The unit organizer will often provide good opening sentences. For example: "The fall of Rome was due to the empire's problems."
NOTE: For Japan and China, do not write about geography.
- (2) Go to the worksheets to get more information and details for what is on the organizer. If you find that you didn't do the worksheet, go to the articles and get the information for those questions on the worksheet that you need for your paragraph.