



World Geography

Unit 1 – Introduction to World Geography

Five Themes of Geography Book Project



As an introduction to our study of World Geography this year, each student is required to complete a Five Themes of Geography Book Project. This sheet will provide you with the requirements and due date for this project.

Procedures:

1. Define each of the five themes of geography. Write the definitions on the research handout that you will receive today. (Use your notes that we took in class to help you!)
2. Choose one country anywhere in the Eastern Hemisphere.
3. Research **three** facts or details on your country for **each** of the five themes. All of this information goes on your research handout.
4. Once all of your research is complete and your research handout is filled out, you will create a nice-looking book that displays all of your information.
5. We will research and work on our books in class.
6. **Projects are due _____** (10 pts. off for each day it is late, up to three days. No projects accepted after September 20th. You will receive a zero).

What you must turn in to me:

- A completed research handout.
- A creative book that includes:
 1. The name of your country in large, attractive, colorful letters on the cover.
 2. One page for each of the five themes of geography boldly displayed with your three facts neatly outlined underneath. (Remember, the facts must be about the country you chose!)
 3. You may arrange your book anyway you wish as long as all requirements have been met. Use your imagination and have fun!
 4. Five pictures or drawings (one for each of the five themes that go along with your country).
 5. Pictures may be taken from the Internet, cut out from a magazine or drawn neatly by you.
 6. Your research handout stapled to the back of your book.
- Remember to make your book colorful and attention-grabbing!
- Projects will be displayed in the room during Parent-Teacher Conferences.



SAVE THIS PAPER AND TURN IT IN WITH YOUR PROJECT!!

Grading Rubric:

- _____ /5 Title page in attractive, bold letters (with your name at the bottom!)
- _____ /50 10 points for each theme boldly displayed with the three facts for that theme neatly listed
- _____ /15 3 points for each picture
- _____ / 30 Research Handout

Total project worth: **100 points**

Parent Signature _____

- _____ / 5 *Five points extra credit for having a parent signature*