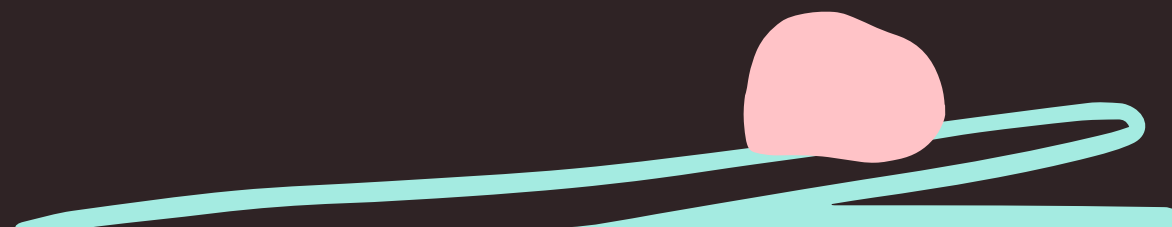


Unit 1 Research Project





**Welcome, to your first
research project!**



Unit 1: Big Ideas

Unit 1 focused on big ideas and the people who came up with them!

So this week, instead of taking a Unit 1 assessment, we will be doing a research project on one of those people with big ideas!

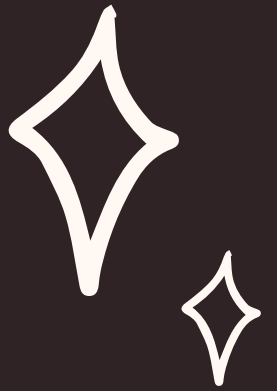


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LET'S FIND OUT
WHO WE ARE
RESEARCHING!




Let's talk expectations:

Your rubric has a guide for you to follow to help you stay on track:



Does not meet
expectations

0-4 points



Approaching
expectations

4-9 points



Meets
expectations

10 points

Your Research

Does not meet expectations:

Your research is incomplete. You use phrases like "I don't know" or "I couldn't find this." There are pieces of your research missing.

Approaching expectations:

You did your research pretty well but some areas are missing. The sentences did not have lots of details or were simple sentences.

Meets expectations:

All areas are filled in completely with robust sentences that explain the information. Research is correct and on time.

Complex/Compound Sentences

Does not meet expectations:

You forgot to do a complex/compound sentence. You one but you forgot to add punctuation and the spelling is incorrect.

Approaching expectations:

You did a compound and complex sentence but it wasn't quite correct. The sentence was correct but the spelling was wrong.

Meets expectations:

You have used one or more compound and complex sentences in your research project. The sentence is used correctly and the punctuation and spelling are correct.

Subjects and Predicates



Does not meet expectations:


None or few of your sentences are full and complete and use subjects and predicates.

Approaching expectations:

Many or most of your sentences are full and complete and use subjects and predicates.

Meets expectations:

All of your sentences are full and complete and use subjects and predicates.



Vocabulary Words

Does not meet expectations:

You did not correctly use any vocabulary words from Unit 1 or the ones you did use were not used correctly.

Approaching expectations:

You have correctly used 1-3 words from Unit 1 or You used 4 of them but some of them were not used correctly.

Meets expectations:

You have correctly used 4 or more of your vocabulary words from Unit 1.

Grammar

Does not meet expectations:

Few or none of your sentences use correct spelling and punctuation throughout your project. If there were words you did not know how to spell, you guessed how to spell them and may have spelled them incorrectly.

Approaching expectations:

Some or many of your sentences use correct spelling and punctuation throughout your project. If there were words you did not know how to spell, you guessed how to spell them and may have spelled them incorrectly.

Meets expectations:

You have used correct spelling and punctuation throughout your project. If there were words you did not know how to spell, you used a dictionary to find them.

Penmanship

Does not meet expectations:

Your paper is not written in cursive and there are lots of marks on your paper and words are pushed together. Instead of erasing completely, you wrote over your mistakes and words are hard to read..

Approaching expectations:

Your paper is written in cursive but there are lots of marks on your paper and words are pushed together. Instead of erasing completely you wrote over your mistakes.

Meets expectations:

Your paper is written in cursive and is easy to read. There are no eraser marks and words are correctly spaced..

Presentation

Does not meet expectations:

You mumbled or chose not to present. You did not make eye contact with your audience. You did a silly voice.

Approaching expectations:

You spoke with a small but clear voice. You made eye contact sometimes with your audience. You giggled alot.

Meets expectations:

You spoke with a strong and clear voice. You made eye contact with your audience. You took it seriously.

Time Management

Does not meet expectations:

You did not use class time wisely and had to be asked several times to refocus on your work. You did not finish the project.

Approaching expectations:

You sometimes use class time wisely but had to be asked a few times to refocus on your work. Your project was rushed at the end.

Meets expectations:

You used your class time wisely and worked appropriately and efficiently.



I know you will succeed!

As long as you pay close attention to
your work and meet the
expectations, you are guaranteed a
great grade!

