

World Civ. Term 1 Portfolio

REQUIREMENTS

In a separate 3-ring binder, please include the following:

- Printed or penned cover page with your name, class name, and any other decoration or information
- Table of contents that lists the specific order of your documents from this and all previous portfolios
- This sheet
- Labeled section dividers followed by your work/documents
- Make sure that it is neat and organized.

SECTIONS

Your portfolio should be clearly divided into 5 sections (which you can put in any order) and include the following:

- Reflection
 - Answer the following questions (**at least** a good sized paragraph to ½ page each, **typed**):
 - What was the most interesting thing you learned over the course of this term? What was the least? Why?
 - What was your favorite in-class activity we did this term? What was your least favorite? Why?
 - What is one thing you wish we could have spent more time on or talked about that we didn't in class?
 - Any KWL, brainstorming, or quick-write activity we did this term. (ex: World Religions list, geography questions, Greek KWL, etc.)
- Portfolio Activities
 - Complete ONE of the following:
 - **Civilization Snap!** – Use the template on the website to create a Snap! Biography of one of the ancient civilizations we've studied so far this term. Add pictures that illustrate the important achievements, rulers, or discoveries for your civilization with a brief description that would fit that subject. Feel free to use modern language and "Snapchat style" to explain your photos – just make sure the information is historically accurate.
 - **Current Event** – Find a current **WORLD** event that interests you and read it. Then offer a **one paragraph** summary of the current event (make sure to also include the *citation information* at the top of the page). Be sure and address the big W's: who, what, where, when, why. Next, in **two paragraphs**, analyze the significance of this current event in light of what you now know about World history. Why is it important and what does it REALLY mean? Finally, write up several questions that this current event brings up for you. (*1 page minimum*)
- Notes
 - Lecture Notes for Unit 1
 - Ancient Civilizations Maps
 - Ancient Civilizations Research notes
 - Lecture Notes for Unit 2 (that are completed thus far)
- Assignments
 - Impact of Geography on Ancient Civilizations Essay (including first draft with revision notes)
 - At least 5 assignments or projects that reflect your interests and/or achievements.
- Tests
 - All Pretests taken so far
 - Any Quizzes (ex: Characteristics of Civilization, Greek Philosophers, etc.)
 - Unit 1 Test (including any test corrections)

Due: **NO later than October 18 (B-day) or October 19 (A-day)**