

## Instructions for Ancient History Day Project

Due: November 17<sup>th</sup> 2006

Acceptable Medium: PowerPoint or Poster board

Overview:

Your team will be responsible for putting together one of the above. On the 17<sup>th</sup> weather permitting we will assemble (each separate class) on the deck. As an added feature your group will be responsible for giving a brief oral presentation to the class, Faculty and Administration. Precise guidelines will follow the National History Day criteria, as outlined by the University of Maryland, as follows:

General Guidelines:

Projects must follow appropriate MLA format. You must use a combination of primary and secondary sources. Images and text must be cited faithfully.

Poster boards:

Dimensions: 30" deep and 6' high.

Word Limit:

750 words minimum and this applies to all text that appears on or as part of your exhibit entry. This includes the text you write for titles, captions, sub-titles graphs and timelines. All captions must adhere to MLA format (parenthetical citations are a must). An abstract of your project must also be included and may be used to reach the word limit. Each board must have a work-cited page either connected to the exhibit or in a separate envelope.

PowerPoint

You must be able to run the program within a 10 minute time limit. There is a minimum of 20 slides Word Limit: 750 words minimum and this applies to all text that appears on or as part of your e entry. This includes the text you write for titles, captions, sub-titles graphs and timelines. All captions must adhere to MLA format (parenthetical citations are a must). An abstract of your project must also be included and may be used to reach the word limit. Each project must have a work cited page either connected to the exhibit or in a separate envelope.

## Suggested Topics

The list below are merely suggestions but if you choose something else it must have my approval

The Eleusian Mysteries  
The Pythian Games  
The Delphi Oracle  
Importance of Grain in Greece in the 5<sup>th</sup> century  
Marital Customs in Greece and Rome  
Medicine in Greece and Rome  
Alexander the Great  
Pericles  
Battle of Salamis  
Battle of Thermopylae  
Heinrich Schliemann  
Alcibiades  
Battle of Marathon  
Role of Women in Ancient Greece and Rome  
Ancient Slavery  
Sack of Rome 390 BC  
Pyrrhus of Epirus  
The Etruscans  
Cicero  
Cato  
Mark Antony  
Cleopatra  
The Ptolemies: Egypt's dysfunctional family

Battle of Issus  
Battle of Gaugamela  
Livia  
Julia  
Pompey and Crassus  
Piracy in the Ancient World  
Famous Roman Women  
Battle of Teutoburg Forest  
Caligula

Vercingetorix  
The Colosseum  
Constantine  
Tiberius  
Hadrian's Wall  
Queen Boudica and the Iceni Revolt  
Masada  
Nero  
Claudius  
The Visigoths  
The Huns  
Council of Nicaea  
Charlemagne  
Alfred the Great  
The First Crusade  
Augustine of Hippo  
Rise of the Catholic Church  
The Magyars

