Road Map Book Report

For this book report you will create a timeline in the shape of a Road Map. The Road Map will show important events from a particular period in history covered in your book in sequential order.

*This entire handout will be turned in with your completed project.

Requirements

1) Graphic Organizer
   a. Using your historical fiction book, fill out the graphic organizer in sequential order with: major events, important dates, pertinent people, and details.
   b. Then write two complete sentences for each event.

2) Designing Your Road Map
   a. Designing the Road
      i. Use a piece of white construction paper (12 x 18 inches).
      ii. Design a road on this paper that has a beginning and an end.
      iii. This road could be a winding country road, a busy downtown street, a superhighway, or a design of your choice.
      iv. Use pencil when designing your road in case you need to make changes.
   b. Designing the Stops
      i. Once you have designed your road, add ten “stops” along the way. These stops can be:
         - Traffic Lights  -  Stop Signs
         - Bridges       -  Exit Ramps
         - Detours       -  Toll Booths
         - Road Hazards  -  Stores and Buildings
   c. Adding the Information
      i. At each stop (starting with stop 1) write the title and date of event 1 from the graphic organizer.
      ii. Under the title write the two complete sentences you’re your graphic organizer.
      iii. Continue along your stops, adding events in sequential order as you move along the road.
      iv. Make sure you have clearly marked a beginning and an end to your Road Map.
      v. Add small icons (pictures) next to each stop that relate to that event.
   d. Finishing Touches
      i. Create a title for your Road Map.
      ii. Add landscaping to your design to fill up empty spaces.
      iii. Color all pictures, roads, landscape, and your title.
      iv. Use a fine black marker to trace over all writing.
      v. Erase all pencil lines.
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Rubric

1. Graphic Organizer is completely filled out according to the directions given and turned in with project.

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2. The ten events relate to the time period your book covered and are in sequential order.

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3. The ten events are the most important in the particular time period your book covered.

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4. Two complete, detailed sentences describe each event.

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5. The information describing each event is important.

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6. The information describing each event is accurate.

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7. Spelling, punctuation, and grammar are correct.

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8. The icons relate to each event and are creatively illustrated.

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9. Visual presentation is creative and neat (writing, title, use of all space provided).

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10. The design of your Road Map is unique and well planned. The stops are creatively displayed.

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