

Project Rubric

Burke/English

Name:				Period
Distinguished	Competent	Unsatisfactory	Incomplete/Undone	comments
				<div style="text-align: right;"><input type="checkbox"/> check here if comments are continued on back</div>
				Formal Proposal: write a formal proposal to me in which you outline the following in some detail: what you will investigate; why you want to do this; how you will do it; what you expect to find; what obstacles you foresee and how you might solve them.
				Oral History/Interview: interview someone or some people in depth about your particular subject. You can satisfy this requirement in person, over the phone, or via the Internet so long as the content of the interview is substantial. Remember that you will need evidence (e.g., notes, printed E-mail, etc.) of this.
				Movie or Documentary/Movie Review: after watching a film, write a review of the film/documentary in which you discuss what they tried to show about the subject and how well you felt they succeeded. Good work here will answer the question <i>why</i> you thought it was a good or bad film.
				Write Your Paper/Website: this paper must be <i>at least</i> five typed pages and written on the computer. It must also be: double-spaced; 12-point font; no more than 1.25 inch margins on any side. It should have a cover page with your name, title, etc.; and a bibliography at your paper's end.
				Presentation: each student will give a 10 minute presentation of their work during the final two weeks of class. It must include a visual component: charts, images, family tree, art, video. These presentations can be in any of the following forms: dramatic performance, multimedia presentation, video documentary, formal presentation, or some other form you might invent.
				Bibliography: all outside reading, films watched, and sources quoted must be documented and included in a properly formatted bibliography (please use the attached style and usage guide).
				<input type="checkbox"/> Read five outside sources (only one of which can be an encyclopedia) <input type="checkbox"/> Use the Internet <input type="checkbox"/> Find a poem about your subject <input type="checkbox"/> Include all notes, drafts, outlines
				Overall Grade