

The Holiday Project

100 points

Country _____

ASSIGNMENT - Prepare a 4-6 minute oral presentation on how Christmas is celebrated in your assigned country.

How will you complete the project?

Research- using the databases, books and Internet sites

Characteristics you need to include on country:

1. [Holiday Greeting](#)
2. Geographical Location (a picture of the country and where it is located in the world)
3. Dates of holidays
4. Food - [traditional recipes](#) ***
5. [Holiday Crafts](#)***
6. Lighting ceremonies, music, dances
7. [Unique aspects](#) of the holiday
8. Unique version of [the tree](#) or holiday symbol***
9. Explain version of Santa Claus (if there is one)

What to turn in on day of presentation:

- ___ [Source Cards](#) (5) in proper format
- ___ [Note cards](#) (10) to explain info from the source in proper format
- ___ Work Cited Listed in [MLA format](#) (alphabetically!)
- ___ Self Evaluation [of Project](#)
- ___ Self Evaluation of Process

All formats, and evaluations
found on AT project
homepage

___Visuals: PowerPoint—minimum of 12 slides

Citation FORMATS

Note that the source information must be put in the correct format depending on the type of source you are using. Some examples are:

Book: Author. Title. City: Publisher, Date of Publication.

Magazine: Author. "Title of Article." Name of Magazine. Date: Pages.

World Wide Web: Author. "Title of Article." Title of the Web Page. Date Created or Revised. Sponsoring or associated institution. Download date. Path: or Keyword: <URL>.

Online Subscription: Author. Article Title. Name of source (periodical), Date of publication (DD Mo. YYYY:) Identifying Number. Name of Subscription. Location that subscribes to that service. Page Numbers. Date you read it. URL of the subscription service.

NOTE CARD FORMAT

1. **Label:**

2. **Source Letter/** 3. **Note Card#** EX. A-5

4. **Write your notes:** XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
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The Presentation:

- Must begin with the Greeting from your country
- Your presentation needs to contain visuals (Posters of PowerPoint) of each topic listed above, and a detailed explanation. If you create a PowerPoint-do not just read off of slides!
- ***As the presenter you want to make your audience feel like we just experienced a Christmas in your country, talk as if you are the person from the country. For example, "On Christmas my family visits are neighbors' houses and sings songs." "We eat ham on this day." Etc.***
- The presentation is expected to be presented in a professional manner, meaning it is apparent you clearly understand your country's traditions, took time to create visual & practiced. Yes you will need to practice.

*****Extra Credit*****

If you prepare and bring your recipe, create a holiday symbol or craft you will receive 10 points of extra credit. ***Presentations will be December 20-22.***

Remember this is worth 100 points!

Try your best at this because it is preparation for the junior paper!

Good luck –I can't wait to eat!!