

Objective: To learn more about a world leader in a system of government that we have learned about this trimester.

Assignment: Write a biography highlighting the achievements of a famous world leader (political or military) living or deceased.

Research: You will be using the computer lab and your own time to research information on your person. To meet the requirements of the assignment, you must use at least three (3) different sources.

Format: The report must be typed, 12 font Times New Roman or Arial, with one-inch margins. There must be a cover page with the leader's name, your name, and 7 Social Studies. Finally, there must be a Works Cited page. You will need to establish an Easybib account, which will be done in the Computer Lab with Mr. Hutcheson . Please use MLA 8 formatting.

Content of Report: You'll need three paragraphs in the body of the report, one that incorporates information from items 1-3 below, a second that includes items 4-6, and the third that includes items 7-8. Adding an introduction and a conclusion will result in a five-paragraph essay.

1. Personal information: name, birth date, death date (if applicable), marital status, children, etc.
2. Professional experience: types of jobs including current job
3. Educational background: schools attended and degrees earned (if applicable)
4. Military service: type of experience, training, branch of military, number of years
5. Hobbies and interests: activities person enjoyed, special talents and skills, etc.
6. Civic involvement: community service, voluntary work, charitable causes
7. Accomplishments: special successes your person would be proud of
8. Awards and honors: awards and honors received for achievement - scholastic, athletic, humanitarian, military

Rough drafts may be submitted via Google Docs to Mrs. Judson by November 8, 2018.

Final project due November 16, 2018. **Project is worth 50 points.**

***The signatures below are due by 10/22/18.***

**Parent Signature acknowledging project:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Student signature acknowledging project:** \_\_\_\_\_