**20th Century Project**

Below, you will find some of the most significant people, events, and time periods of the 20th Century listed with the year(s) in which they occurred or made a major impact. Your job is to create a timeline of the events in **CHRONOLOGICAL** order in a PowerPoint.

Each event must have a detailed summary stating the significance it had on, or major impact they had in our country. (Use the 5 W’s **as a guide** to summarizing: Who, What, Where, When, Why). Some of the events/people will list specific information that must be included in the summary.

**\*\*\*\*Modern Connections\*\*\*\***

* For 4 of the events, include a summary of how it is similar to something that has happened during your 5th grade school year

Remember the following:

* Do not plagiarize – summarize information in YOUR words and use the 5 W’s
* Make it neat….
* Not too much information on each slide
* Font should be easy to read
* Pictures/videos should help the audience not distract
* Collect information at home and from discussions in class.
* Pictures must be included for each slide in the book. Short educational videos may be added too

Deadlines will be set for **collecting data** for several events at a time as follows:

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| **Due by May 6th…..** | **Turned in** | **Pictures included** | **5 W’s**  **(5 pts each)** |
| 1912 Titanic Sinks |  |  |  |
| 1914 WWI Begins   * Include: * Who were allies on each side * How did it begin and end * Involvement of US |  |  |  |
| 1915 Lusitania sunk |  |  |  |
| 1920’s Roaring Twenties |  |  |  |
| 1920 League of Nations formed |  |  |  |
| 1920 Women gained the right to vote (New amendment) |  |  |  |
| **Totals** |  |  |  |

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| **Due by May 13th…..** | **Turned in** | **Pictures included** | **5 W’s**  **(5 pts each)** |
| 1929 Great Depression |  |  |  |
| 1929 Stock market crash |  |  |  |
| 1933 New Deal |  |  |  |
| 1934 Dust Bowl |  |  |  |
| 1939 WWII Begins   * Include: * Who were allies on each side * How did it begin and end * Involvement of US |  |  |  |
| 1941 Pearl Harbor |  |  |  |
| **Totals** |  |  |  |

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| **Due by May 20th……** | **Turned in** | **Pictures included** | **5 W’s**  **(5 pts each)** |
| 1944 D-Day |  |  |  |
| 1945 Hiroshima |  |  |  |
| 1950 Korean War begins |  |  |  |
| 1955 Rosa Parks |  |  |  |
| 1961 Berlin Wall built |  |  |  |
| 1961 Peace Corp founded |  |  |  |
| **Totals** |  |  |  |

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| **Due by May 25th…..** | **Turned in** | **Pictures included** | **5 W’s**  **(5 pts each)** |
| 1963 JFK assassination |  |  |  |
| 1963 ”I have a dream” speech |  |  |  |
| 1965 US troops sent to Vietnam War |  |  |  |
| 1968 MLK assassination |  |  |  |
| 1969 Neil Armstrong |  |  |  |
| 1989 Fall of Berlin wall |  |  |  |
| **Totals** |  |  |  |

**Grading Rubric**

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Due Dates Met: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_/24 possible**

**Pictures: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_/24 possible**

**5W’s Included: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_/120 possible**

**Modern Connections (x4each): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_/20 possible**

**Neatness: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_/12 possible**

**Rubric Score: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_/200 = Final Grade:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**