

## YOU MEAN I'M PART OF HISTORY?

**Students will write a ten-page research paper on their family history. Students will research and interview family members, 1 or 2 grandparent(s) and 1 or 2 parent(s), and write about their lives so far. Students will be required to complete an outline, a rough draft and final copy consisting of:**

1. Title Page
2. Introduction Page: who is being written about and why
3. Body: Chronological Order
  - A. Grandparents
  - B. Parents
  - C. Student
4. Conclusion

**Students will be required, in the final draft, to include photocopies of:**

1. Photographs of their family –unlimited number
2. Primary/Secondary Sources – 6 or more

**The grading scale will be as follows:**

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| 1. Participation in research: (Observation) | 10 points                   |
| 2. Completed list of terms:                 | 20 points                   |
| 3. Completion of questions                  | 10 points                   |
| 4. Completion of outline                    | 10 points                   |
| 5. Completion of Rough Draft                | 50 points (Minimum 8 pages) |
| 6. Completion of Final Copy                 |                             |
| A. Mechanics/Number of Pages                | 30 points                   |
| B. Spelling / Neatness                      | 10 points                   |
| C. Historical chronologically order         | 10 points                   |
| D. Primary/Secondary Sources                | 30 points (5 points each)   |
| E. Content                                  | 20 points                   |

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200 points Perfect Score

**Due Dates:**

1. List of terms: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Questions: \_\_\_\_\_
3. Outline: \_\_\_\_\_
4. Rough Draft: \_\_\_\_\_
5. Final Copy: \_\_\_\_\_<sup>1</sup>

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