

Social Studies 6 First 5 Research Project



Students will research one of the first 5 Presidents of the United States, then apply that research by creating a historically accurate “fakebook” page.

Step One—Pick a president----Due November 17.

Step Two—Research:

Think about what is important or unique about the President you picked. Focus your research on the key event and accomplishments of their lives, and the people they worked with to achieve them.

- Students will research using at least 3 sources.
- Students should use google docs and the explore feature to research at least 25 facts on their President, and include bibliographic information on each item. We will discuss how to complete this in class. Notes should be in your own words, not a copy and paste.

Deadline to finish and share research notes to teacher: Nov 27

Step Three—Final Product:

You will create a “fakebook” profile for your President, using your research. Go to

<https://www.classtools.net/FB/home-page>

Your fakebook profile needs to include:

- Name, “photo”, wallpaper image, Date of Birth,
- Spouse name for relationship status
- 6 or more “friends”
- At least 10 “posts” of key events in the president’s life, with at least 2 posts having comments from friends reacting to the events. The date should reflect an accurate year, but does not have to have the exact date. Events should be in chronologic order, and written as if the President or other historic figure had written them.
 - *Note: you need to create at least 5 posts to be able to save your page—start there!*
 - *You will need a password to go back and edit your page. WRITE YOUR PASSWORD DOWN!!!!*
- At least 2 “photos” in posts that are relevant and accurate.
- Finished product will be turned by Dec 5
- See <https://www.classtools.net/FB/1582-5CT49T> for an outstanding example profile.

YOU WILL RECEIVE MORE INFORMATION AND HELP AS THE PROJECT CONTINUES!!!!!!!!!!!!!!