W.I.M.S. M1 Winter Break Social Studies Project



Assignment: Design and create a map of an imaginary country (see examples above). Include the five key elements of a map that we have discussed in class. It must be either a physical, political or thematic map. Prepare to present your map to the class on **January 7**, 2021.

Grading Rubric	4	3	2	1
Map Parts are included. Title, Grid, Scale, Legend/Key, Map Index, and Compass Rose.	Exceptional use of all five map parts and any other extra map parts. (ie. more than one grid, inset map)	All five map parts are included and used correctly	Between 4-2 parts of the map are included on the map; some or all parts used correctly	One or no evidence of any of the map parts; may not be correctly used
Map is drawn as a political, physical or thematic.	Presentation of map as one of the three types is exceptional.	Map can be clearly identified as either a political, physical or thematic map.	Map shows some evidence of being either a political, physical or thematic map; not completely clear	Map does not resemble any of the three map types; Thematic, political or physical.
Map is colorful, creative and neat	Exceptional use of colors, creativity and neatness.	Map is mostly colorful, neat and creative.	Map shows some evidence of creativity, color and neatness.	Map lacks color, creativity and or neatness
Presentation	Student is able to give a detailed explanation of the map they created	Student is able to clearly explain all parts of the map that they created	Student can explain a few details about the map they created but it is not very clear.	Student either does not present or is unable to discuss the map they created