U.S. History
2nd Semester Project

For the second semester, you will write, perform and produce a puppet show about an assigned topic in U.S. History!

- Each show will be from 3-6 minutes in length (points will be deducted for time violations).
- You will be expected to work with a partner to write a script, build a set, create characters and perform the show. After the show is filmed, you will have the opportunity to edit your work using Adobe Premier or Windows Movie Maker, and submit it for extra-credit!
- Your show must demonstrate historical accuracy and cover the appropriate SOL content.
- This project will be worth TWO TEST GRADES!!!

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Hints:
- Include a narrator as well as characters to help tell your story. It should be written in a play format, and your performance should be precisely what is in the script!
- You need to include a title board that includes your topic, names and class period.
- Hints: Use topic boards to help in transition. Use props for your characters to help tell your story.
- Build your set to help tell the story.
- Hints: Include the characters you need to help tell the story. You can use any type of puppet
- Hints: Practice, practice, practice!!! Use voice inflection, voice variation, and enunciation.

- The Scripts are due: _______
- Sets and Characters are due on the day that you perform—these will be drawn “by lot” the week prior.
- Your edited movie version will be due:___________ (which you can turn in on a burned cd-r, or uploaded to the class external hard drive—these files will not fit in Virtualshare!)
Highlight Your Assigned Topic- there is no trading!!!

1. Colonization
2. Effect on the Indians
3. Introduction and Rise of Slavery
4. Events Leading to the Revolutionary War
5. The Revolutionary War
6. Establishing a Working Government
7. The Rise of Political Parties
8. Andrew Jackson
9. Manifest Destiny and Expansion
10. Sectionalism and Conflict
11. The Civil War
12. Reconstruction
13. Immigrants and Urbanization
14. Industrialization
15. Jim Crow Era
16. The Progressives
17. Imperialism
18. World War I; Cause and Effect
19. Depression and the New Deal
20. World War II; American Engagement
21. World War II; The War at Home
22. The Cold War in Europe
23. The Cold War in Asia
24. The Cold War in Central America
25. Civil Rights of the 50's and 60's
26. Modern Immigration
27. Women's Rights- Suffrage to Modern Concerns

IF YOU NEED HELP, SEE COACH STRUSKY BEFORE SCHOOL OR DURING DIRECTED STUDY!