

World Civilizations 1
Homework Assignment 2

DUE: Wednesday, October 12

Worth: 5 points (5% of your grade)

Please use the class time on Friday, October 7th to work on this assignment! I will grade this assignment harder than the last one since you have that extra time to put in to your work.

Do not forget to follow **all** instructions and answer all parts of the question! If you do not follow all instructions or answer all parts of every question, you will automatically lose 1 point.

Instructions:

1. First, watch **THREE** videos from the historyteachers channel on You Tube
(<http://www.youtube.com/historyteachers>)

**** You may watch anything from this channel that you are interested in, but choose at least TWO videos that are related to things from class (this means related to World Civilizations 1 This includes events/people from **before** the year 1500 CE!!!) ****

**** You may NOT use the Crete/Minoans video ****

2. Similar to the last assignment, you will next write an **essay** about these videos. Write in **COMPLETE sentences**, and include a **THESIS STATEMENT** and paragraphs. Also be sure to write **professionally** – this is a homework assignment, but it is still college-level work.
3. For each video you watch, write a paragraph in which you explain what the video is about (culture, concept, person, etc), tell what the popular song is and the artist, and then explain **FIVE** historical facts that you learned from each video.
4. After you have analyzed each of your three videos write one or two paragraphs to answer the following questions:
 - What do you think of these videos? (honesty is ok, but don't be snarky or smart-alecky)
 - Are you more likely to remember something you learned from one of these songs than from reading or listening to a lecture?
 - What are any problems or inaccuracies you saw (if any)?
 - What did you not like about this?
 - Any other opinions or ideas you would like to share about your thoughts on this exercise or the process of learning from popular music? (again, honesty is ok, but don't be a jerk)
5. At the end of your essay BE SURE you include LINKS to each of the videos you watched with the name of the song included – CITE YOUR WORK.
(i.e. - <http://www.youtube.com/historyteachers#p/a/u/1/CiQ4j-D5o4o> - Trojan War)
6. Turn this in to me on Wednesday, October 12, typed, with one inch margins and **Times New Roman**, 12 point font.
7. Follow the instructions, and have fun!