Unit 6 Collaborative Project

**Step #1: Lesson 6.00 – 6.00 Project Team Discussion – 5 points**

Throughout this unit, you will work in teams to create a collaborative presentation on a French-speaking country. Each team will submit its finished product to the entire class for viewing. In this lesson:

1. Your teacher will divide you into teams of three.
2. As a team, choose a country (other than France) that you would like to explore.
3. Choose a team name.
4. Submit your team name and the country that you plan to research to **6.00 Project Team Discussion**. Approval will be granted on a first-come, first-served basis.

**Step #2: Lesson 6.01– 6.01 Project Research Discussion – 10 points**

In this lesson, you will choose your research topics and begin preliminary research. Your team must submit the following:

* three (3) direct URL (website) links for the sources that you plan to use
* a list of the six (6) topics you plan to discuss
* team member names beside the topics they will research – each team member will take two topics

One of the team members should create a blank PowerPoint slideshow and share the document with other team members on **6.01 Project Research Discussion**. All individuals should have editing rights. Below are your research topic choices. As you research, verify that your sources are trustworthy and rich in information.

1. Government
2. History
3. Clothing/Costumes
4. Education
5. Economy
6. Festivals/Holidays
7. Current Events
8. Geography
9. Climate
10. Special Interest\*\*
11. Industry
12. Agriculture
13. Housing
14. Leisure/Recreation
15. Sights/Monuments
16. Transportation
17. Food/Cuisine
18. Religion
19. People
20. Arts\*

\*This includes film, music, painting, literature, architecture, etc.

\*\*If there is a topic of interest that is not listed, submit it to your teacher for approval.

Submit your team’s list of research topics to **6.01 Project Research Discussion**.

**Step #3: Lesson 6.02 – 6.02 Project Review Discussion – 10 points**

Your team’s PowerPoint rough draft should meet these requirements:

1. Seven to nine (7-9) PowerPoint slides(template/background should enhance without distracting)
2. Images that illustrate the research items (should take up roughly ½ of each slide; no clipart)
3. Three to five (3-5) sentence captions per slide (with parenthetical citations)
4. Must summarize or paraphrase. No cut and paste.
5. MLA-style Works Consulted slide (minimum 3 sources with full URL addresses)

Post your team’s rough draft PowerPoint to **6.02 Project Review Discussion**. Each team member will review the rough draft and complete the **Unit 6 Project Review**. Use this review to review the other two team members’ work not your own work. Post these reviews back to **6.02 Project Review Discussion**.

Remember: Don’t just identify items; discuss them. For example, if you talk about the fishing industry, provide specific details about the economic or environmental impact.

Then each team member can make corrections as they see fit based on the reviews they receive from the other team members.

**Step #4: Lesson 6.03 – 6.03 Rough Draft Dropbox – 25 points**

Submit your team’s corrected PowerPoint rough draft to **6.03 Rough Draft Dropbox** to receive individualized teacher feedback.

Use the feedback you receive from your teacher to improve your final project submission.

**Step #5 Lesson 6.03 – 6.03 Teammate Evaluation Dropbox – 10 points**

Complete a peer review for each of your teammates and their contribution to the project.

**Step #6: Lesson 6.04 – 6.04 Final Project Discussion – 50 points**

Submit your final project PowerPoint to **6.04 Final Project Discussion**.

One team member should be responsible for submitting it for the entire team.

Be sure all work is checked before submitting.