

## **The United States Physical Project: What is it?????**

This project will be a three-dimensional representation of something from the landscape of the United States

### **These are the parts of the project:**

3 choices for your project 100 points

**Due Thursday, April 10<sup>th</sup>**

Sketch of your project 100 points

**Due Thursday, April 17<sup>th</sup>**

List of your resources (must have 5 or more) 100 points

**Due Thursday April 24<sup>th</sup>**

The actual project itself 500 points

The paper that must accompany the project 100 points

**Due Wednesday, April 30' 2008**

### **How will they be graded?**

See attached rubrics

### **What must be on the paper???**

The 1 page paper should include the following information: an explanation of how you put your project together, a detailed statement of what research you did and what you learned about the culture or time period from which your project was taken.

### **What is the due date for the final project??**

**Wednesday, April 30' 2008**

**No late projects accepted!!!!!!!!!!**

## United States Physical Project: Assessment Criteria

### The Paper

<b>Organization: The paper clearly includes an opening paragraph, an organized body of information and a conclusion</b>	
Essay had a definite beginning, middle and end	<b>10</b>
There is an attempt to organize	<b>7</b>
No organization, lacking proper structure	<b>5</b>
<b>Writing Style: Paper is readable with varied sentence structure</b>	
Clear and readable writing style	<b>10</b>
Some parts of essay are not clear	<b>7</b>
<b>Grammar, mechanics, spelling</b>	
Essay has been proofread and is consistently correct	<b>10</b>
Essay shows some attempt at proofreading	<b>7</b>
Shows many weaknesses and errors	<b>5</b>
<b>Paper is Neat</b>	
Paper is typed in 12 point Times New Roman font	<b>10</b>
Paper is legible (handwritten, neatly in <b>blue or black ink</b> )	<b>7</b>
Paper is not legible	<b>5</b>
Paper does not follow these guideline (not typed or written in ink)	<b>0</b>
<b>Paper includes all information required</b>	
All information is provided	<b>10</b>
Some information is missing	<b>7</b>
A great deal of information is missing	<b>5</b>
<b>Total score for written part of assignment _____ / 50 = _____</b>	

# The Project

<b>The Project shows a great deal of effort</b>	
The project shows a great deal of effort	<b>10</b>
The project shows that somewhat of an effort was made	<b>7</b>
The project shows very little effort	<b>5</b>
<b>The project clearly demonstrates an aspect of the United States landscape</b>	
The project clearly demonstrates an aspect of the <b>United States</b> landscape	<b>10</b>
The project fails to demonstrate any relationship to the <b>United States</b> landscape	<b>5</b>
<b>Project clearly shows that research was made into the project</b>	
Research shows in project	<b>10</b>
Some research shows in project	<b>7</b>
None or very little research made on project	<b>5</b>
<p><b>Total Score for Physical Part of Project</b> _____ / 30 = _____</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Score</p>	
<p>_____ X 5 = _____ + _____ = _____</p>	
Physical Project Score	Paper Score
Total Overall Score	
<p><b>Your Letter Grade</b> _____ / 500 = _____</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Total Overall Score</p>	