

Welcome To The New World!



You and your group have just been given a charter to start a colony in the New World! There are many important decisions you will have to make as a group along the way. Creating a successful colony requires creativity and cooperation.

There are 5 elements to this project:

Assignment	Point Value	Due Date
Choosing Where to Settle	15	In class on Sept 18 or Sept 19
Choosing Occupations for your settlers	5	In class on Sept 18 or Sept 19
Creation of a Colony Constitution	30	In class on Sept 22 or Sept 23
Debating Pacifism	10	In class on Sept 24 or Sept 25
Diary Entry	40	Sept 30 or Oct 1

*** Dates depend on which day you are in social studies class ***

The assignments, as well as the grading rubrics that go with them, will be handed out over the next two weeks. As you complete the assignments, you will keep them in a group folder. At the end of the project, your completed folder will be graded, and will be counted as a test grade. You will receive a group grade for all assignments except for the diary entry.

Group Members:

Map (15 points)

- 1) Choosing colony location & labeling colonies (2 pts) _____
 - 2) Oral Presentation of why you chose your location (7 pts) _____
 - 3) Written Explanation (6 pts) _____
- TOTAL: _____

Occupation List (5 points)

- 1) Did the group work together to agree on the numbers? (2 pts) _____
 - 2) Group discussion of how you came to your decision (3 pts) _____
- TOTAL: _____

Constitution (30 points)

- 1) Fundamental Orders Primary Document (5 pts) _____
 - 2) Primary Document Analysis (5 pts) _____
 - 3) Constitution
 - a. Introduction (10 pts) _____
 - b. Laws (10 pts) _____
- TOTAL: _____

Pacifism Activity (10 points)

- 1) Written Explanation of Benefits (4 pts) _____
 - 2) Written Explanation of Drawbacks (4 pts) _____
 - 3) Personal Reflection (2 pts) _____
- TOTAL: _____

Diaries (40 points)

See attached rubric TOTAL: _____

FINAL GRADE: _____