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 **TMA PORTFOLIO PROJECT** - **2016**

Create Your Own DBQ

World History I Spring Portfolio Project- HONORS

This year we have focused a lot on building writing skills through the DBQ process. With this project we are going to take those skills one-step further and add a research component as well. Instead of being given a bunch of documents for you to prove a point with, you will now find those documents yourself.

**Task:** Your task for this project is to find your own primary sources and images to support your thesis. You must find **at least 3** documents to support your thesis. One must be a primary source, one must be an image source, the last is a secondary source of your choice. You will use these sources to write a 5 paragraph essay on your topic that proves your thesis

**You can choose from the three topics below:**

**1. Evaluate how the Reformation forever changed the Catholic Church**

**2. The term Renaissance means “rebirth”. Evaluate whether this IS or IS NOT an accurate name for this time period.**

**3. Analyze and evaluate how the art and literature of the Renaissance reflect the important philosophies and ways of thinking that existed during the time period.**

To guide your research use the Lib Guide:

[http://tmapchs.libguides.com/rr](https://mail.tmapchs.org/owa/redir.aspx?C=0d2af9c717084942aa01a4b2b502329e&URL=http%3a%2f%2ftmapchs.libguides.com%2frr)

Steps 1: Choose your topic

Step 2: Search for Sources- This will be the hardest part! Hang in there!

Step 3: Break down your Sources and Turn in Source Cards DUE:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Step 4: Draft your Thesis based on your research- MUST BE OKAYED BY TEACHER

Step 5: Draft your paper- use your documents to support your thesis. Use quotes! DUE: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Step 6: Type up your final paper and works cited page

Step 7: Turn it in- ON TIME! DUE: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Step 2: Begin Looking for Sources**- **As you begin to find documents and images, it is important to make sure they support your thesis. Remember, it takes some time and searching to find good sources- So, DON’T GIVE UP!**

**Step 3: After you have found good sources- break them down to help you use them in your paper. You can then take this information and plug it straight into your paper.**

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| **Source-Citation:** |
| **List 2 Quotes from the document that support your thesis that you can use in your paper:**  **Include important information as well** | |

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| **Source-Citation:** |
| **Description of the Image:** | |

**Now select at least 3 sources you will use in your paper.** Remember the minimum is three but you may find your paper will be better if you have more sources

**Hint:**

**Citing your sources. You will still need to cite your documents in your actual paper. Instead of referring to documents as Document 1 or Document 2, you cite your document by referring to the author and title. OR for your in-text citation (Author) OR (Title).**

**Step 4: What did your research tell you about your topic? Write your thesis: Now that you have done your research- Write your thesis!**

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Your thesis must be Okayed by Mrs. Luttrell:

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