

Nineteenth-Century Progress

Google Slides Presentation Assignment

Assignment:

By the late 1800s, breakthroughs in science and technology transformed daily life and entertainment. Create a Google Slides presentation on one of the aspects of progress that occurred in society. Outside sources are allowed to complete the assignment, but they must be included (MLA cited) at the end of the presentation.

Format

Students should follow best practices in creating a Google Slides presentation.

Research Topics:

- ❖ Inventions of the Late 19th Century
- ❖ Advances in Medicine
- ❖ Breakthroughs in Science
- ❖ The Emergence of the Social Sciences
- ❖ The Rise of Mass Culture

Learning Standards

Students will construct meaningful questions that initiate an inquiry. (I1)

Students will gather and evaluate sources. (I2)

Students will develop claims using evidence to support reasoning. (I3)

Students will communicate and critique conclusions. (I4)

Students will connect past events, people, and ideas to the present; use different perspectives to draw conclusions; and suggest current implications. (H3)

Submission of Final Product:

- The Presentation will be turned into Schoology.



Basic Information to cover in your presentation slides:

- Describe your Topic of Research
 - Define any key terms, people, and concepts
 - Any other relevant information may also be included
- How does your research topic reflect the impacts of the Industrial Revolution?
- What was the most significant contribution to 19th-century progress in your research topic?
 - For example: Herbert Spencer's application of Darwin's theories
(Breakthroughs in Science)
 - Be sure to defend your selection!
- So What?
 - How is your research (topic) important still today?

What makes a good presentation?

- Transitions used correctly
- Pictures
- Less is more!
- Visual attractive to the viewer
- Clear (easy to read)
- Vary types of slides
- Include sources at the end of the presentation
- Utilizes the notes section below the slides

