

Sequence of Events: History

Unit 2: Nonfiction

Week 2: Lesson 5

Writing Assignment:

Learning Target: I can ask and answer questions about what a speaker says so that I can talk more about the topic.

1. Watch Martin Luther King Speech by [Kid President](#)
2. Summarize the Speech in 5-7 sentences
 - a. In a summary, you want to give the reader of your writing a shortened version of the speech. If they read your summary, they would know the main idea of the speech and the most important facts from it.
 - b. Include the Following:
 - i. Use a Topic Sentence
 - ii. Use a Closing Sentence
 - iii. Use details in the middle
3. Hints
 - a. Use the following graphic organizer to help you take notes while watching the video..
 - i. Located at the end of the document
 - b. Remember that notes should not be written in complete sentences.
 - c. You should watch the speech at least twice to gather all of the important details.
4. Write at least 3 questions you would ask Martin Luther King Jr if you were able to meet him.

Attached is the Rubric you will be graded on.

Rubric	1	2	3
Topic Sentence	No topic sentence present.		Topic sentence introduces the main idea without giving details.
Body	Details are missing or incomplete.		Use of at least 3 different details that summarize the text.
Concluding Sentence	No concluding sentence present.		Concluding sentences summarizing the text and the reader knows the paragraph is over.
Summary	Summary is too short or too long. It is hard to understand.		Reader can understand what the speech is about. It is short and concise. The order of the paragraph makes sense.
Use of Graphic Organizer	Graphic Organizer is not complete. It is messy and hard to understand. Note taking is incomplete.		.Graphic Organizer is filled out completely. (Complete sentences not necessary). Notes are reflective of the speech.

Note Taking Graphic Organizer



Martin Luther King Jr. Kid President Speech Summary: Notes

Main Idea

Use to help with Topic Sentence

Questions

What questions do you still have?
What questions would you ask MLK Jr.?

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

Notes

- What are the most important facts of the speech?
- What are the most important facts of Martin Luther King's life?
- It may help to keep the events or facts in the right order.

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____

Extra: _____
