**Asia: Enrichment Project Ideas**

Due the week of December 7th  Asian Studies - Countries include: Brunei, Cambodia, China, Indonesia, Japan, Korea, Laos, Malaysia, Mongolia, Myanmar(Burma), Philippines, Singapore, Taiwan, Thailand, Timor-Leste, and Vietnam

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| **Products** | **Places** | **People** | **Animals** | **The Arts** | **Inventions** | **Miscellaneous** |
| Report  Booklet  Powerpoint  Trifold Display  Model with Info Card  Brochure  Video  Performance  Demonstration  Board game  Illustrated timeline  Illustrated map  Newspaper  Interview | UNESCO World Heritage Sites  Natural landmarks  The Great Wall  Angkor Wat  Pagoda  Tori Gate  Forbidden City  Kathmandu  Grand Palace  Mt. Fuji  Himalayas  Temples  Hong Kong  Bridges  Gardens  Yurts  Monuments  Volcanoes  Earthquakes Architecture | Inventors  Artists  Leaders  Confucius  Marco Polo  Genghis Kahn  Sun Yat-Sen  Religion  Fashion  Schools  Celebrations  Festivals  Martial Arts  Daily Life  Farming/Fishing  Clothing | Asian elephant  Panda  Red Panda  Water buffalo  Tapir  Tiger  Orangutan  Komodo Dragon  Snow Monkey  Yak  Snow Leopard  Crane  Koi | Jewelry  Folk toys  Art/Sculpture  Dance  Shadow puppets  Chinese Opera  Embroidery  Lacquer Ware  Musical Instruments  Calligraphy  Masks  Acrobatics  Origami  Pottery  Music  Feng Shui  Language/Writing | Fireworks  Paper  Silk  Tea  Porcelain  Printing  Compass  Hot air balloon  Clock  Fan  Kite  Umbrella  Ice Cream  Lanterns  Sedan Chair  Suspension bridge  Fishing reel  Chess  Abacus  Wheel Barrow | Tangrams  Money  Terra Cotta Army  Food  Toys & Games  Chopsticks  Flags  Dolls  Bonsai Trees  Asian Dragons  Bamboo  Sushi  Boats  Tea  Myths & Legends  History  Transportation |

We have been learning all about China, Japan, and Southeast Asia. You may select a topic and project from the list above, or come up with an idea of your own. Please check with me before starting a project not on the list. Remember, we are not allowed to bring in weapons of any kind. It is okay for parents or siblings to help with your project, but you are responsible for doing most of the work. You must include a trifold display board or self-standing sign explaining your project. Your project and display board or sign must be small enough to fit onto one student desk. Please let me know if you need help, advice, or materials. Check out the projects of former students in the “Photo Archives” section of the website: stephanweb1.weebly.com. Have fun!

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| **Accuracy** | **Wow!** Above and Beyond expectation! Your project and presentation really showed that you understood the ideas and took the time to research the details! The factual information demonstrated expertise on the topic. All materials were accurate and free from errors. | **Met expectations.** You seem to understand the main ideas and concepts, although some parts may have been confusing for the audience. The factual information was mostly accurate. Materials were appropriate and were mostly free from errors. | | | **Almost Met Expectations.** You were unsure of the main ideas and could have done more research. Some information was accurate, but the project or presentation lacked details and/or descriptions. Materials were somewhat inappropriate for the topic or had obvious errors or omissions. |
| **Presentation** | **Wow!** Beautifully done! Your presentation showed pride and confidence. The audience was attentive the whole time. Your oral presentation showed confidence. Materials were appropriate, well done, and added to the presentation. | **Met expectations**. Your presentation showed competence, although the audience lost focus part of the time. Materials were appropriate for the topic and were well done. | | | **Almost Met Expectations.** You could have spent more time practicing and making sure the audience would be interested. You needed prompting during the oral presentation. Materials were hastily put together and/or inadequate for the topic. |
| **Elaboration** | **Wow!** Above and beyond expectations! You were well prepared. Your work was very thoughtful, and it seems you put your best effort toward this! The project and presentation went well beyond expectations. | **Met expectations.** It seems that you put considerable effort into your presentation. You included enough extras to make the presentation interesting and understandable. | | | **Almost Met Expectations.** Minimum thought and effort went into the presentation. You could have included more details or materials and have been better prepared. |

**Asia: Enrichment Project Rubric and Assignment Tips**

* Be sure to write your assignment in your agenda book and gather any needed books and supplies.
* Keep a folder or box for all project materials.
* Pace yourself when doing long-term projects.  Do some of the parts each week, so you will not be in a last-minute rush to get it done.  Allow at least a weekend to put on the finishing touches.
* Have a buddy to call if you have questions.
* Check your work for quality (remember accuracy, presentation, and elaboration).
* Let me know if you need help with materials or resources.
* See me before the due date if you want advice, or if you need more time.
* Before turning in work, check it for accuracy, presentation and elaboration.
* MAKE SURE YOUR NAME IS VISIBLE ON YOUR WORK!