

## A4 Extra Credit Assignment

This is a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity. Don't expect it to ever happen again. You are being given a chance to earn extra credit points in 20<sup>th</sup> Century History class.

You can receive between 1 and 10 extra credit points – depending on how well you complete the assignment. If you try to argue about your points – I will make it very easy and give you NONE.

All extra credit assignments are due on Thursday October 7– seriously. I WILL NOT TAKE THEM AFTER THURSDAY OCTOBER 7. I don't care if you're sick – send it with someone else or email it to me. I don't care if you're out of town – turn it in early. Just for the record – midterms are Wednesday September 22. If you want this to impact your midterm grade, you might want to turn it in early anyway.

So how do you earn the extra credit points?

Look through your chapter (or use other sources) and choose a prominent person from the time period. Create a newsletter about your person. I highly recommend Microsoft Publisher – available in the library during your homeroom time. Most of the newsletter templates have 2 stories on one page – a main story (mostly like some biographic information for this project) and a second story (possible a major accomplishment)

Please provide citations for your information. Either include the citations directly in the articles, or use one of the little side boxes. Do NOT cut-and-paste information. Please write it in your own words – in a style you might find in a newsletter.

And no- you don't get time in class to work on this assignment.

Possible Points:

Newsletter actually turned in: 1 point

Appropriate person: 1 point

Appropriately displayed: 1 point

Quality of articles: 0 – 4 points

Creativity: 0 – 3 points