

# Time Travel Agent Plan

## TELL ME WHERE TO GO!!

For this assignment, you will become my time travel agent. You will develop time travel agent trip plans for me. The plan will describe your plan for my visits to periods and events in United States history since 1880. Should I visit the Great Depression or the Civil Rights Movement? Maybe the Vietnam War, World War II, or the Space Race? What do you want to learn about? Follow your interests!

### YOUR WORK WILL INCLUDE:

#### **1. A COVER AND INTRODUCTION:**

Tell me what I will see and what I will experience on my trip.

#### **2. A TIMELINE:**

Show me where in time in world history I will go.

#### **4. AN ITINERARY:**

Schedule my three-day trip for me with at least five events a day. (Remember that I have a time machine and can travel from year to year within one of my days. Also remember that the itinerary is a schedule my "real time" day. For example, what will I - the time traveler - do from 8:00 to 9:00?)

#### **3. A MAP:**

Show me where in the world I will go.

#### **5. A CURRENT EVENT:**

Show me a connection between an event happening currently in the world and the events or period I will be visiting.

#### **6. Choose JUST ONE of the following options:**

##### **(A) SUMMARY**

Write a paragraph about when and where I am going and what it looks like. Write a paragraph about important events or developments. Tell why these are important. Write a paragraph about who the important people are, why they are important and what they are doing. Write a paragraph about how people live in this time and place. Write a paragraph about what people value.

##### **(B) DIARY**

As a past visitor to this time period, write diary or journal entries that: Identify six emotions you have experienced on your visit. Support each emotion with a paragraph using historical facts and details.

##### **(C) RECOMMENDATIONS**

Recommend two places I should explore and tell me why with historical facts and details.

Recommend two events or processes I should see and tell me why with historical facts and details.

Recommend two places, events, or times I should avoid and tell me why with historical facts and details.

##### **(D) BROCHURE**

Design a tri-fold brochure that promotes this time travel trip with descriptions, photos, maps, and artwork.

#### **7. A RESOURCES PAGE:**

Tell me what resources you have used to put together this plan. (You must use at least four.)

#### **8. PARENT/STUDENT ASSESSMENT:**

First assess the plan yourself, and then assess it with a parent. Make any necessary corrections before you turn it in.

Remember, your work has to be self-assessed and then assessed by a parent (and fixed) before you turn it in – So plan ahead! The due date for this project is:

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## Some Time Travel Trip Destination Ideas:

- The Spanish-American War
- The Industrial Revolution
- Immigration at the Turn of the Century
- The Plains Indian Wars
- The Progressive Movement
- World War I
- The 1920's
- Great Depression
- World War II in Europe
- World War II in the Pacific
- The Cold War
- The 1950's
- The Korean War
- The 1960's
- The Vietnam War
- The Cuban Missile Crisis
- The Civil Rights Movement
- Nixon and Watergate
- The Rise of the Information Age
- 9/11 and the "War on Terror"
- Others....