



Word Origins Group Project

This is a group project! Everyone needs to participate in this project. Your final grade will be divided into 3 parts:

- 1.) *Final Project (60 points)*
- 2.) *Group Evaluation of your participation (50 points)*
- 3.) *Teacher Evaluation of your participation (50 points)*

Take this project seriously! It is worth 160 points total! Please see the attached rubric for details about the grading of the final project.

Project Requirements:

- 1.) The group will decide on one category to represent on a poster.
 - a. Animals
 - b. Foods
 - c. States
 - d. Cities
 - e. Other
- 2.) Each person in the group will pick one word from the list that you have been working on for the past two days. (Every person must choose a different word)
- 3.) Every person will produce a colored drawing (hand drawn) of their chosen word.
 - a. This must be on an 8 ½ “ x 11” sheet of white paper
 - b. Must be original work
 - c. Must be neat
- 4.) Each person will then TYPE out a word definition and a word origin info sheet for their picture.
 - a. The group must select and use the same font, font size, and look
 - b. The definition/info sheet should be edged the same way
- 5.) As a group, you will need to design the poster.
 - a. Design an inviting Headline
 - b. Create an interesting background for the poster
(i.e. NO PLAIN BACKGROUNDS!)
 - c. Arrange the pictures and definitions in an interesting and

logical way

- d. Write all names of your poster group on the poster
(Make sure this is neat as well)
- 6.) As a group, you will present the poster to the entire class.

Good luck with your group project! You will have two (2) days total to work on this project in class. You will be evaluated on your participation by me at that time. Remember, everyone needs to work! Have fun!