Appendix B – Calendar paper and poster details

**Paper and Poster Assignment: Calendar**

Topic: The CALENDAR of a specific people, region, country or religion: paper and poster presentation.

Due Dates:

Proposal, three weeks before due date

Share with partner, one week before due date (will meet face-to-face that day)

Paper and poster, due in class

Details:

Paper: 4 pages (not including images) plus title and references pages (12 pt, 1.5 spacing). Minimum of 4 scholarly references. Paper must include a description of:

* Title page
* The history of the calendar
* Images if appropriate (fully cited)
* Who used it and where and when they lived
* What the calendar is based on (sun, moon, seasons, …)
* Why it was invented (what question was it answering or event was it regulating?)
* When the calendar was used and why it stopped being used (if applicable)
* The mathematics behind how it works
* Complete reference list. (Scholarly books, journal articles, research papers (look at JSTOR)—no *Wikipedia* or blogs, etc.)
* Correct citation of your work! (You may use any standard citation method, but you must use one.)

Poster presentation: One full-size poster board with title, your name, main points of your paper.

OR

Gallery walk: 8.5" x 10" paper with your name, name of calendar/culture or region, highlights, one image.

Calendar topics signup sheet

**Calendar Paper Topics and Teams**

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| Calendar | Name | Name |
| Julian |  |  |
| Gregorian |  |  |
| Hebrew/Jewish |  |  |
| Islamic |  |  |
| Bahai |  |  |
| Chinese |  |  |
| Egyptian |  |  |
| Hindu |  |  |
| Aztec |  |  |
| Inca |  |  |
| Mayan |  |  |
| Wiccan or Druid |  |  |
| French Republican |  |  |
| Persian |  |  |
| other |  |  |

Calendar assignment grade sheet

**Calendar Paper Grading** Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Title \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

I Paper proposal (5 pts):

II Partner paper critique (10 pts):

III Paper (60 pts):

1. Mechanics of writing:
2. References and citations:
3. Content/details:

IIII Poster Presentation (25 pts):

1. Poster content:
2. Poster visual presentation:
3. Oral presentation: