

## **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**

<u>Calendar</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Name</u>
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):

a. Mechanics of writing:

b. References and citations:

c. Content/details:

IIII Poster Presentation (25 pts):

a. Poster content:

b. Poster visual presentation:

c. Oral presentation: