

Suggested Ideas

Project/Report DUE _____

Costume DUE _____

Possible dioramas of:

Indian homes, missions, ranchos,
explorers' ships, Drakes' plate,
wagons, tools, mining equipment,
gold camps, gold mines, statehood
documents, mountain men, pony
express, explorers, baskets, pottery,
beaded work, time period clothing

Possible costumes:

Priests, explorers,
miners, pony express
riders, settlers, vaqueros,
mountain men, Indians,
CA historical characters

Be creative and have fun. You may choose another project idea or costume not listed above as long as it is part of California's history. Enjoy...

California History Project Addendum

1. Remember to use the questions in your Language workbook, p. 55, as a writing guide. These questions will help you organize your ideas for the important person and important place summaries for your report.
2. Beginning the week of March through May , one period a week will be given for you to work on your California History Report, (Wednesdays for Mrs. Laird's class and Thursdays for Mrs. Thomas's class). Bring any necessary supplies and materials to class to work on your report.
3. Use the following guide to write your 2-3 page typed report on the California historical period.

Guide for Report on Historical Period

1. Name the historical period and explain the importance of this historical period to California.
2. Give the dates of the historical period
3. Give the locations of the historical period
4. Name any specific persons or ethnic groups affected or involved in the period.
5. Explain the events that brought about this period.
6. Summarize the chronological events of this historical period (beginning, middle, end)
7. Describe the effects this historical period had on California.
8. Explain the events that brought this period to an end.
9. Explain any significant affects this period may have on present day California.
10. Explain why you chose this period and what you learned.

Organize these ideas in paragraphs for the draft. DO NOT number these ideas for the draft.

A rough draft will be due on _____, of your CA historical period.

The California History Report and Project will be due on _____.