



History Day Contract

Directions

1. Review the advantages and disadvantages of working alone and in a group.
2. Indicate choices in the box below and sign this contract.
3. Ask your parent/guardian to read this contract and sign his or her name indicating support of your choices.
4. Turn in this complete contract by: **(Insert Date)**

WORKING AS AN INDIVIDUAL

Advantages

- You will increase your independence.
- You will be the sole decision maker.
- You can work when and where you want.
- You will not face differences in opinion and work ethic.

Disadvantages

- You will be responsible for all costs and research.
- You won't use collaborative skills.
- You won't have a partner to motivate you.

WORKING AS A GROUP

Advantages

- You can improve collaborative skills.
- You can share project costs
- You can make decisions together.
- You can draw on one another's strengths and talents

Disadvantages

- You may have scheduling difficulties.
- You may have differences of opinion.
- You may have differences in work ethics.
- You will have to increased communication demands.

I will work:

_____ As an individual

_____ As a Group with _____

I/we would like to research _____

_____ for my History Day project.

Student Signature: _____

Parent Signature: _____

Teacher Sign off: _____