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NATIONAL HISTORY DAY IN IDAHO

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# Time Log

Note for teachers: this is a 10 week outline for you to customize to your needs. Fill in the areas that are highlighted. Ask questions at the bottom of the log to help support what you are doing in class. To grade time logs, assign point values to each section.

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**Week 1: Insert Dates**

*What should you be working on this week?* Insert summary of what you are covering in the research process this week.

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**Important Reminders:**

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**Answer Questions Below on Friday**

1. How do you know if a source you have found is a good one?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
2. Write FOUR topics you are interested in that relate to the theme:

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**Week 2: Insert Dates**

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**Answer Questions Below on Friday**

1. Where can you find primary sources about your topic?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
2. Make a list of 12 or more keywords related to your topic that you will use in your future searches:

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### Week 3: **Insert Dates**

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### **Answer Questions Below on Friday**

1. How does your topic connect to the theme?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
2. What questions or problems do you need to solve?

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**Week 4: Insert Dates**

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**Answer Questions Below on Friday**

1. What research questions do I still need to answer?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
2. What do I need to do to update my annotated bibliography?

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### Week 5: **Insert Dates**

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### **Answer Questions Below on Friday**

1. What type of project are you going to do? Why? How do you have the resources to be successful?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
2. How well have you used your research time? Prove it! Be honest!

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**Week 6: Insert Dates**

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**Answer Questions Below on Friday**

1. What resources do I need to gather to create my entry?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
2. What do you still need to figure out in order to “prove” your thesis? Make a specific list:

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## Week 7: Insert Dates

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### Answer Questions Below on Friday

- Fill in the blanks:** In \_\_\_\_\_ (general time period) the problem/situation in \_\_\_\_\_ (location) was \_\_\_\_\_ (describe specific problem/situation). In/On \_\_\_\_\_ (specific year/date) \_\_\_\_\_ (who) \_\_\_\_\_ (action describing main event) because/in order to \_\_\_\_\_ (why/motivation). Shortly after, \_\_\_\_\_ (describe short term impact(s)). This changed history because/by \_\_\_\_\_ (describe long term impact(s)).
- What final research do you need to do to prove your thesis?



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**Answer Questions Below on Friday**

1. What do you need from your teacher to help create your project?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
2. What questions or problems do you have with the Project Outline?

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### Answer Questions Below on Friday

1. Why does your topic matter in history? So what, who cares that your topic happened?
  
2. What questions or problems do you need to solve?

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**Week 10: Insert Dates**

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1. Which area of your project was the most enjoyable for you?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
2. Which area of your project was the hardest for you?