Medieval Guild Fair – Honors

Tuesday, October 14th

Objective: Students will be able to explore the nature of the medieval guild system in Europe by describing the customs for one type of guild worker.

Process:

* Students will create an individual project within one of 6 groups.
* Project requirements on fair day include a guild sign, and typed paper, short oral presentation, and prop related to your specific occupation.
  + Type 2 full pages of content in 12 pt. Times New Roman font, double-spaced, standard margins. Short intro. (2-3 sentences) Follow Content Rubric. (Omit apprenticeship, journeyman, masterpiece process – too general.)
  + Format: type your name and class period on the first line, center the title on the next line. Use *“no spaces”* on *Word*. Don’t skip lines.
  + A third page of the paper is to be the Works Cited page in MLA format, with 3 sources, 1 of which must be a book. (No text/Wiki)
  + Guild Sign: each student will complete his/her own design to display that also shows authentic symbols of *all* group members. Quality, use of color, creativity and effort will be evaluated. Hand-drawn / computer images are permissible; show banner.
  + Oral Presentation: ½ minute during fair; use notes or copy of paper
  + Prop: NO WEAPONS may be brought in as props. Quality counts.
  + Deductions: (-4 pts.) no bibliography page, (-3 pts.) per day late,

(-2 pts.) per missing source, and pt. loss for lack of effort or quality.

* 2 ½ days of class time will be devoted to research and preparation.
  + Students will meet in the Library for research for two days.
  + During class on another day, student groups will share ideas for the group’s general guild sign together, then make their own.

Evaluation:

10 pts. - Guild Sign – group banner ; shows all guild symbols;

creativity; color/detail (10=exceptional quality)

20 pts. – Content – detail/length as directed; grammar; typed

in proper format; MLA format/sources as directed

+ 5 pts. – ½ min. summary (2 pts.); Prop quality (up to 3 pts.)

35 pts. TOTAL (-3 pts. per day late)

Email your presentation to me on fair day at [hanleyt@pt-sd.org](mailto:hanleyt@pt-sd.org)

if you have an excused absence. Submit guild sign upon return to school.

If there are extenuating circumstances, contact from your parent/guardian is required.

To avoid “printing” issues, print your research well in advance of the fair.

No printing will be done during the fair.