

# The “Decades” Presentation

## DUE: Tuesday, May 4, 2021

This assignment will be a LIVE presentation. You must be present when your name is called in class. Additionally, points will be assessed for viewing and participating in other classmate presentations. Presentations will take place on Wednesday, May 5, 2021 and Thursday, May 6, 2021.

### Your Job:

You will create a PowerPoint Presentation on one of the following decades: 1920's, 30's, 40's, 50's, 60's, 70's, 80's, & (maybe) 90's. You will be assigned a decade and will research that decade and put together a Google Slides or PowerPoint presentation. Your presentation must include the following:

- A title slide for the decade
- Slides on influential political figures of the decade (Presidents, Congressmen, Governors, etc.)
- Slides showing Detroit and the city's happening that decade
- Slides on **MAJOR** news stories of the decade
- Slides featuring **MAJOR** technological advances of the decade
- Slides featuring **MAJOR** athletes during the decade
- Slides featuring movies or television shows that were released **DURING** (NOT THAT 70'S SHOW) that decade (include the stars)
- Slides featuring **MAJOR** music groups (one slide per music group) from the decade
- Slides featuring **MAJOR** fashion trends of the decade
- Slides featuring **MAJOR** trends/fads of the decade
- Slide with your Work's Cited

# Your slides **MUST** include the following:

1. Must be neat & colorful.
2. Must have one main topic with 3 pieces of supporting information on each slide. Too much information is a bad thing; it takes away from your slide.
3. Any extra information must be put onto index cards and may be presented with the slide as extra information.
4. Information must ***not*** be copied. It must be in your own words.
5. Must be easily read (light writing on a dark background, dark writing on a light background); ***at least*** 18 font, and a clear, easy to read text.
6. Must be at least minimum length (it may be longer).
8. You must have music from the artists or groups you've highlighted in your presentation to accompany your slide show. It may be included in your slide show as a sound clip, or it may be separate from your slide show. The music **must be played while slide of the music group is on the screen.**
9. You may also have movie clips, commercials, or parts of shows from the decade in your presentation.
10. Points will be taken away for use of animated clip art.

## **PART I: POWERPOINT PRESENTATION**

### ORDER OF SLIDES FOR YOUR PRESENTATION:

TITLE SLIDE (only one per presentation)  
POLITICAL FIGURES  
DETROIT & IT'S HAPPENINGS  
NEWS STORIES  
TECHNOLOGY  
ATHLETES  
MOVIES/TV SHOWS  
MUSIC  
FASHION  
FADS/TRENDS  
CONCLUSION SLIDE (only one per presentation)

\*FOR EACH SECTION, INCLUDE A TITLE SLIDE! (For example, you would have a Music title slide before all of your music slides, then a Fashion title slide, before your fashion slides)