

UTOPIAN SOCIETY: Map Creation

DUE: WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 1

As creators of your Utopian Society, you will design and create a model of your Utopia to be displayed on Utopia Day. This model should be linked to the ideas in your written piece.

MAP REQUIREMENTS:

- 8 community buildings - for example - government buildings such as city hall, schools, banks, churches, restaurants, etc. these should match-up with some of the things you wrote about. **THESE SHOULD BE CLEARLY LABELED**
- At least 10 houses (they can be together in one neighborhood or spread throughout the project, (according to your written report will be close to the town center or far away from it?
- Parks and recreation areas - these would include playgrounds, hockey rinks, football/soccer fields, baseball fields
- Physical features: Your model should include at least 2 physical features physical features such as a pond, a beach, forest, gardens.
- BONUS POINTS FOR ADDITIONAL PHYSICAL DETAILS and FEATURES (see rubric)
- Roads: There must be roads/paths drawn throughout the community to show how people will move around and interact -- will your roads be pedestrian zones only? Are cars allowed in your Utopia ? Will people use boats and canals instead? Flying bicycles? Spaceships?
- Map key: your model should include a map key and a compass rose.

CREATING YOUR MODEL:

Your Map/model must be a minimum size of 12 x 18 or a maximum size of 24x36 (or somewhere between the 2 sizes - there is a standard sized poster board of 22 x 28 at staples or office max). - pieces of cardboard cut to these sizes can create a stronger base.

Please do not overspend on this project. Be creative with recycling things you may already have. REMEMBER: Most Utopias that we have talked about are eco-friendly!

- buildings can be made from paper/cardboard/Styrofoam/ popsicle sticks/ clay/ play-doh lego pieces, game board pieces etc.
- In the past, students have glued sand to their boards as beaches, used cotton balls as snow,
- Blue/green cellophane/tissue paper as water/grass
- Build trees/plants from toothpicks and paper, straws for lines on recreational fields
- You may use string/straws/etc. in place of drawing roads.

UTOPIAN SOCIETY: Map Creation Rubric

Ultimately vision, creativity, and organization are at the core of this project.

MAP REQUIREMENT	SCORE
10 Community Buildings 40 Important buildings, effortful in creation and implementation (20 points) -Buildings 3-D and clearly labeled (10 points) -Clear link to written portion (5 points)	/35
10 Houses -House are 3-D (10 points) -Clear link to written portion (5 points)	/15
Parks/Recreation	/15
Physical Features	/15
Roads	/10
Map Key -all important parts of the map identified -clear, easy to read	/10
Bonus: -additional elements are worth up to 5 points	/+5
TOTAL SCORE	/100

DUE DATE: —

Wednesday, February 1, 2017