

Name _____ Topic _____

Research Guide #2

Learning Goal: *Students will be able to describe the key parts of a specific Cold War event/conflict/theme.*

Your task for today is to be able to describe the key parts of the topic that you chose. This is where we really want to understand what your topic is actually about. Please answer the questions below to help guide your research.

Vocabulary

As you research, you're going to find words that you have never learned before. As you do your research please write these words down and look up their definition. (You do not have to cite this part on the bibliography sheet.)

Part I: Summarizing the Event

Please find 3 reliable sources that can give you a good summary of your event (you can also look back at your first research guide). After you have read these 3 articles please answer the questions below. (You may cite your sources on the Bibliography page.)

1. What 5 details of your event do you think are the most important?
 - a.
 - b.
 - c.
 - d.
 - e.
2. How would your event be different without these 5 details?

Part II: Describing the Key Parts of Your Event

In this section you will explain in more detail the three most interesting/most important details of your topic.

1. Pick 3 of the 5 details you listed above to research in more depth.
 - a.
 - b.
 - c.
2. *Detail A:* Please read information about this detail and answer the following questions.
 - a. Summarize this detail in at least 5 sentences.
 - b. Why was this detail important to your overall topic?

3. Detail B: Please read information about this detail and answer the following questions.

a. Summarize this detail in at least 5 sentences.

b. Why was this detail important to your overall topic?

4. Detail C: Please read information about this detail and answer the following questions.

a. Summarize this detail in at least 5 sentences.

b. Why was this detail important to your overall topic?

Part III: Reflection

As your final task, please reflect on what you have learned so far about your topic that you found interesting and tell me what questions about your topic that you still have. Keep up the good work!! :)