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**8th Grade**

**Famous Person PowerPoint**

Think of someone famous you’d like to research. They might be an athlete, movie star, singer, or artist. If you cannot think of someone, there are some people below you may use. **Everyone must choose someone different and it must be approved by your teacher!**

Write the famous person of your choice below:

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**Famous People ideas…**

Michael Jordan Ronald Reagan

Pablo Picasso Jesse Owens

Walt Disney Elvis

Henry Ford Bobby Flay

Coco Chanel Leonardo DiCaprio

Alfred Hitchcock Julia Child

Steve Jobs Tom Cruise

Audrey Hepburn Will Smith

Babe Ruth Peyton Manning

Ernest Hemingway

Billie Holiday

Julie Andrews

Christiano Ronaldo

Frank Sinatra

**Step 1. Answer the following questions about your famous person. Use Google to research. 10 pts**

1. Who is your person?
2. When was your person born? Also include if they are still living or when they died.
3. Where is your person from?
4. Why are they famous?
5. If you met this person, what would you ask them?
6. What education or training does your person have and where did they attain it?
7. Was/ is your person married- if so, to who?
8. List major achievements/ awards of your famous person:
9. Name one interesting fact about your person or a quote if you can find one.

**Step 2. Create your presentation and include the following on each slide:**

1. Slide 1-Title- include your first and last name, and “The Life of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_” (your famous person’s first and last name)
2. Slide 2- The first and last name of your famous person and a picture of them
3. Slide 3- When your person was born and if they are still living or when they died
4. Slide 4- Where your person is from with a picture of that city/ country or the country’s flag
5. Slide 5-Why your person is famous- include a picture showing what they did or do
6. Slide 6- If you met this person, what would you ask them?
7. Slide 7- Education/ training they have and where they go it (school, experience…)
8. Slide 8- If your person is married and to who. State they are not married if they are not
9. Slide 9- Major achievements/ awards
10. Slide 10- Interesting fact or quote

\*Include a transition between each slide and an animation on each slide

**Step 3. Peer edit your presentation- Have a partner fill out the checklist to review your presentation 10 pts**

**PowerPoint Presentation Checklist**

Reviewer Name\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Presenter Name\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Appearance**

Yes No The format is consistent

 Presentation follows to light/ dark rule

**Content**

Includes all 10 necessary slides and a title

**Organization**

The presentation is clear and easy to follow

The presentation matches the instructions

**Accuracy**

 Words are spelled correctly

 Each slide makes sense

**Presentation**

Presentation has transitions and animations

 Transitions and animations add to the content and are not distracting

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**Famous Person PowerPoint Rubric**

**Element Points Possible Points Earned**

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| Planning Sheet | 10 |  |
| Title slide with name and name of person | 5 |  |
| Slides contain all necessary content | 20 |  |
| Pictures included | 5 |  |
| Animations and transitions | 5 |  |
| Presentation checklist | 10 |  |
| Presentation is clear, easy to hear and presenter does not block screen | 5 |  |
| **Total** | **60** |  |