

Civil War Photos Project Name _____ Block _____

Because the Civil War was the first American conflict to be immortalized through photography, you will be researching the war and its impact through those very photographs. Select photos that are appealing to you or have a particular impact as you view them.

Use OpenOffice and save as a Word Document (.doc) or use Pages and export as a Word Document (.doc). In the file menu, select “Save as” in OpenOffice or “Export as” in Pages. Upload through Edmodo, using the approved naming protocol.

To save a photo on a Mac, go to its page (not just where the image is presented through an image collector like google images). Hold down the control key and click. You will see an option to save the photo. You can then import it into your document. Select one photo to meet each of the following requirements. Find out the information requested for each photo you select. *If you cannot find out the information, select a different photograph.* You will lose points for not completing all portions of the required information.

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| _____ /25 points | 1 photo of a famous person (general, president, etc.)
name
position and side (union or confederate, if applicable)
photographer
short bio (1 paragraph) on relation to the war |
| _____ /25 points | 1 photo of an everyday soldier
union or confederate
name
background (battles, etc.)
what do you learn about the everyday life of the average soldier
(1 paragraph) |
| _____ /25 points | 1 photo of aftermath of a battle (battlefield)
where
when
outcome of the battle
photographer |
| _____ /25 points | 1 photo of physical destruction (homes, cities, etc.)
where
when
photographer
names and dates of battles that took place in vicinity |

A few suggested websites:

www.history.com

www.civilwarphotos.net

www.archives.gov

www.flickr.com/photos/usnationalarchives/collections/

<http://www.loc.gov/pictures/collection/cwp/>

Additionally, you can search the National Park websites for photos from battles at specific fields, such as Gettysburg, etc.