

Native American Project Guidelines /Rubric

Use this paper as a guide for what you need in your project, and to score or evaluate your work. The points listed are the most you can get per item.

1. **Title**
Needs to be legible, and needs to have your name
5 pts. _____
2. **Map with pre-contact and post-contact territories**
This may be one map or two maps depending on where your tribe moved after contact with settlers, or where their reservation is now.
10 pts. _____
3. **History of Tribe/Nation and Timeline (6th grade only)**
At least 5 facts about the history of your nation; for example their original lands, when they were first contacted by Europeans, treaties signed, movement, famous leaders, battles they were involved in, where they (tribes territory) live today, etc.
10 pts. _____
4. **Government and Economics**
At least 5 facts about how the nation/tribe governed themselves or how they were organized, how they traded/distributed resources, and did they use any kind of currency.
10 pts. _____
5. **Technology (tools, weapons, transportation, etc.)**
All pre-contact; list 3 tools used, 1 weapon (used as protection), and 1 kind of transportation.
10 pts. _____
6. **Shelter (primary and secondary)**
Explain how they built their primary shelter, and what they might have used as a secondary shelter.
10 pts. _____
7. **Foods**
List at least 7 foods your nation/tribe used. Include plants and animals.
10 pts. _____
8. **Language and Religion**
List the language spoken, and explain some of the religious beliefs.
10 pts. _____
9. **Art (music, dance, visual art)**
Explain what kinds of arts your nation/tribe produced.
10 pts. _____
10. **Resources list**
At least 3 resources listed
10 pts. _____
11. **Conventions (spelling, punctuation, grammar, etc.) and Layout.**
5 pts. _____

Total Score out of 100 points possible _____