

African American History Protest Project

Students will create a fictional protest about a topic important to African American history. You will create a protest, counter protest, and cover the event. This assignment is meant to be creative and develop students' analytical, research, and communication skills. All projects are expected to incorporate diverse perspectives. All topics and ideas must be approved by me first. Students will receive feedback on drafts and must revise their work before submitting the final copy of their protest project.

The Protest Project is worth 1,000 total points and 60% (30% for drafts and 30% for the final project) of your total final grade.

- Topic Due: September 2
- Bibliography Due: September 9
- Platform Due: September 23
- Counter protest platform Due: October 7
- Biographies Due: October 21
- Paraphernalia Due: November 4
- News Coverage Due: October 18
- Outcome Due: November 21
- Analysis Essay Due: November 28
- Final Project Due: December 5

Assignment Specifications:

- All work will be uploaded to the LMS in .pdf format
- Double-spaced (unless noted otherwise)
- 12 pt. font size
- Georgia or Times New Roman font style required (except on news coverage & paraphernalia)
- 1-inch margins all around
- At the top of the document include the following information, single-spaced
 - [Insert Your Name]
 - HIS 310: African American History
 - Protest Project: [Insert Assignment Component]
 - [Due Date of Assignment Component]
- In-text citations: