

# Rubric for Renaissance Art Performance Task

During the Renaissance wealthy merchants could afford many luxuries, and fine art to beautify their homes and show off their wealth. From the list of Renaissance painters, you will choose a painting to research the meaning and special art techniques that were involved when creating this masterpiece. You will also create a replica of the painting. This project is worth 50 points. Any plagiarized work will be handled with the River Trail Middle School Academic Policy that is stated in your student agenda.

## Painters and Their Creations:

- Leonardo Da Vinci → *Mona Lisa, The Last Supper, Saint John the Baptist, The Annunciation, Adoration of the Magi*
- George Gower → *Armada Portrait of Queen Elizabeth*
- Brueghel → *The Beggars, Hunters in the Snow, Tower of Babel, Landscape with the Fall of Icarus*
- Michelangelo → *Delphic Sybil, The Creation*
- Giotto → *Saint Francis of Assisi*
- Holbein → *Henry VIII, Lady Margaret Butts*
- Jan van Eyck → *Portrait of Giovanni Arnolfini and Wife*
- Raphael → *Madonna of the Chair, School of Athens, Saint Catherine of Alexandria*
- Titan → *Portrait of a Man with a Quilted Sleeve, Man in a Red Cap*
- Durer → *Self Portrait*

	Does Not Meet the Standard	Approaching the Standard	Meets the Standard	Exceeds the Standard
<b>Art Replica</b>  20 Points	Poorly completed or incomplete.	Art does not show full effort or incorrectly completed.	Shows some effort to duplicate the original artist's work. Neat and used color.	Includes original painting and carefully completed hand-drawn shadow completion. Project uses color and closely imitates the original.
<b>Essay</b>  20 Points	Poorly completed or incomplete.	Shows little involvement with the art, subject, or style.	Includes information about the specific painting and your reaction to the painting. The reflection is majority of the paper.	Includes information about the specific painting and your reaction to the painting. The reflection is majority of the paper.
<b>Effort</b>  10 Points	Little effort is shown and lack of thoroughness.	Missing two of three: title, neatness, or artistically displayed.	Missing either a title, neatness, or as artistically displayed.	Final product is neat, titled, and artistically displayed.

## Where to start researching and how to find it:

Library Catalog – <https://fultonco.follettdestiny.com>, select River Trail Middle School, then click on the green Catalog tab to begin your search. Use the index in books and encyclopedias to locate specific topics.

### Books to Research:

709 BAR Artists of the Renaissance  
709 FIT The Renaissance  
709 KUH Leonardo DaVinci  
709 MER History of Art from Ancient to Modern Times  
750 LEV Renaissance Paintings  
759.03 NER Michelangelo  
909 MAC The World in the Time of Leonardo Da Vinci  
940.2 MAT The Renaissance  
940.2 REN The Renaissance  
940.21 LAN Leonardo & His Times  
945 OSM Italian Renaissance  
B DaV Leonardo DaVinci  
B DaV Leonardo DaVinci for Kids  
B MIC Michelangelo  
920 KRU Lives of the Artists  
920 REN Renaissance: Artists and Writers  
REF 709 ENC Encyclopedia of Artists, 6 volumes  
REF 920 GAL Artists: from Michelangelo to Maya Lin, 4 volumes

### COMPUTERS:

[www.worldbookonline.com](http://www.worldbookonline.com) School use: *User ID* – rivertrail *password* – wolves

**Home use:** *User ID* – rivertrailhome *password* – wolves

**[www.galileo.usg.edu](http://www.galileo.usg.edu)** Select the **High School** or the **Teens** page and type in your keyword(s) to access encyclopedia, magazine, and newspaper articles: (password for at home use – *ragtime*)

**[www.go.grolier.com](http://www.go.grolier.com)** For use at home: User name – fultonsd password – home.

### USE THESE WEB SITES TO LOCATE INFORMATION YOU NEED:

<http://www.yesnet.yk.ca/schools/projects/renaissance/main/artists.html> Renaissance Artists

<http://www.ibiblio.org/wm/paint/glo/renaissance/> WebMuseum

<http://library.thinkquest.org/2838/artgal.htm> Italian Renaissance Artists

<http://www.artchive.com/artchive/renaissance.html> Renaissance Art

[http://www.wga.hu/tours/spain/p\\_16.html](http://www.wga.hu/tours/spain/p_16.html) Renaissance Painting

[http://dir.yahoo.com/Arts/Art\\_History/Periods\\_and\\_Movements/Renaissance/Artists/](http://dir.yahoo.com/Arts/Art_History/Periods_and_Movements/Renaissance/Artists/) Renaissance Artists

# Newspaper Article and Glogster Rubric

	Does Not Meet the Standard	Approaching the Standard	Meets the Standard	Exceeds the Standard
<b>Content</b> 20 Points	The topic chosen is incomplete and missing majority of the important information. It is difficult to understand information.	The topic chosen is expressed thoroughly, however is missing some information vital for the reader to understand.	The topic chosen explains the causes, major events/details, and outcomes of the event. Information is easy to understand.	The topic chosen thoroughly explains the causes, major events/details, and outcomes of the event. Information is easy to understand.
<b>Creativity</b> 20 Points	No pictures are included. The project is not attractive and lacks neatness.	Includes 1 picture that is related to the topic. The project needs improvement on layout, design, and neatness.	Includes 1-2 pictures that are related to the topic. The project is attractive in terms of layout, design, and neatness.	Includes several pictures that are related to the topic and are easy to read/understand. The project is exceptionally attractive in terms of layout, design, and neatness.
<b>Effort</b> 10 Points	Little effort is shown and lack of thoroughness.	Missing two of three: title, neatness, or artistically displayed.	Missing either a title, neatness, or as artistically displayed.	Final product is neat, titled, and artistically displayed.

## Propaganda Poster Check List

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| _____ / 4 Points | Picture of World War I Propaganda is included.                    |
| _____ / 7 Points | World War I Propaganda is accurately analyzed.                    |
| _____ / 4 Points | Picture of World War II Propaganda is included.                   |
| _____ / 7 Points | World War II Propaganda is accurately analyzed.                   |
| _____ / 8 Points | Picture of student designed World War I Propaganda is included.   |
| _____ / 5 Points | Analyses of student designed World War I Propaganda is included.  |
| _____ / 8 Points | Picture of student designed World War II Propaganda is included.  |
| _____ / 5 Points | Analyses of student designed World War II Propaganda is included. |
| _____ / 2 Points | The project is neat and organized with correct labels.            |

TOTAL \_\_\_\_\_ / 50 Points

# Independent Novel Study Illustrations

_____ / 5 Points	Novel is on the approved list or approved by Ms. Chambers
_____ / 8 Points	1 <sup>st</sup> Illustration accurately represents and important scene in the novel chosen.
_____ / 8 Points	2 <sup>nd</sup> Illustration accurately represents and important scene in the novel chosen.
_____ / 8 Points	3 <sup>rd</sup> Illustration accurately represents and important scene in the novel chosen.
_____ / 8 Points	4 <sup>th</sup> Illustration accurately represents and important scene in the novel chosen.
_____ / 8 Points	5 <sup>th</sup> Illustration accurately represents and important scene in the novel chosen.
_____ / 5 Points	Each illustration is neat and shows thorough effort.

## Trading Card Rubric

\*\*\*This is the rubric for 1 card!!

Trading Card: \_\_\_\_\_

Total: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ (1 Points) Contains a neat and legible title.

\_\_\_\_\_ (5 points) All facts on the card were related to your topic. All facts had an appropriate amount of detail, including dates/numbers where applicable.

\_\_\_\_\_ (3 Points) Contains an illustration, drawing, or picture of your topic. The picture was clear and not blurry.

\_\_\_\_\_ (1 Points) Contains an appropriate backing, and the pictures and text are neatly attached.

**Remember:** You need 1 trading card on location, technology, important person, holocaust, and 1 free choice.