**New France Heritage Minute Project Oct 2010**

**(Ms. McClenahan – SS9)**

In groups, you will write and perform (live or video) an assignment based on an historical figure or event we are studying. The presentation of the assignment will be in the form of a “Heritage Minute.” Some choices for presentation are:

 Jacques Cartier John Cabot

 Samuel de Champlain Jean Talon

 Francois de Laval Count Frontenac

 Filles du Roi General James Wolfe

 Marquis de Montcalm Donnaconna

 Radisson & des Groseilliers

 \*\*\*If you would like to do another figure, please see me for approval\*\*\*

This presentation should answer the five “W’s” about the historical figure(s).

 1) Who is s/he?

 2) What did s/he do?

 3) Where did this person make his/her mark?

 4) When did this person become prominent in New France?

 5) Why is this person important in the history of New France?

**EVALUATION (50 marks)**

It is expected all group members will contribute equally in the performance. Your presentation must be 3-5 minutes long and you should be prepared to answer questions.

Individual research notes – 10 marks

Content - the presentation answers the 5 W’s – 10 marks

Presentation – 20 marks

* Effort put into the performance (eg. costumes, props)
* Historical accuracy
* Equal group member involvement

Self/Peer assessment – 10 marks

* 5 marks each – provide three reasons for your decision

**Presentation Date: Monday, November 9**

**New France Individual Assignment (10 marks)**

Each group member will individually write a paragraph explaining the importance of the historical figure to New France.

* Proper paragraph structure is expected (introduction, body, conclusion)
* Grammatically correct
* Fully answers the “5Ws”

**Due Date: Tuesday, November 9**

**ONLINE RESOURCES**

**For Most Topics:**

* World Book Encyclopedia – print and online (outside the school: username and password: pinetree2):

<http://worldbookonline.com/student/home?login=notHome&gr=Welcome+S.D.43-Coquitlam>

* Canadian Encyclopedia

 <http://www.thecanadianencyclopedia.com/index.cfm?PgNm=TCESubjects&Params=J1>

**Donnaconna:**

* <http://www.thecanadianencyclopedia.com/index.cfm?PgNm=TCE&Params=A1ARTA0002354> from the Canadian Encyclopedia
* <http://www.biographi.ca/009004-119.01-e.php?&id_nbr=177&interval=25&&PHPSESSID=g7ap4sssjo1seligkfc23v6p86> from the Dictionary of Canadian Biography

**Filles du Roi:**

* <http://www.thecanadianencyclopedia.com/index.cfm?PgNm=TCESearch&Params=A1> from the Canadian Encyclopedia
* [www.mainewriter.com/articles/Filles-du-Roi.htm](http://www.mainewriter.com/articles/Filles-du-Roi.htm)

**Francois de Laval:**

* <http://www.thecanadianencyclopedia.com/index.cfm?PgNm=TCE&Params=A1ARTA0004560> from the Canadian Encyclopedia
* <http://le-10017.com/lavalang.html>