

Gorokan High School

Assessment Task

Humanities -Year 7

Due Date:	Term 1	, Week	(10
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Title: Humanities Portfo	lio	Teacher Name:	
Year: 7	Stage: 4	Task Number: 1	Weighting: 40%

Syllabus Outcomes:

- **HU-1:** Demonstrates the skills of locating, processing and communicating information using appropriate language, form and tools
- **HU-2:** Responds to and composes texts in different media using a widening range of skills and strategies **HU-5:** Demonstrates the ability to think interpretively, critically, imaginatively, reflectively and creatively
- HU-6: Demonstrates the ability to express themselves and their relationship with the world

Task Description:

Your Humanities Portfolio is your collection of work throughout the semester. You will be assessed on it, particularly how well you can:

- Organise and communicate information by following the Humanities Portfolio guidelines;
- Apply the geographical skills you have learnt in class; and
- Respond to narrative prompts to create engaging short story beginnings or 'sizzling starts'.

Assessment Task Support Information:

• You will be required to have all of the standard equipment (pens, pencils, glue, scissors, ruler etc.) every lesson

To do well in this assessment task I must:

- Follow all Humanities Portfolio guidelines;
- Contribute to class discussions consistently;
- Apply the geographic skills learnt in class effectively; and
- Write an engaging short story beginning by following a given prompt and using rich, descriptive language to instantly engage the reader.

Humanities Portfolio-40%



Your Humanities workbook is your Portfolio. It is expected that you follow **Humanities Portfolio guidelines**. These are;

- Ensure all work is completed. If absent it is your responsibility to catch up on missed work by talking to your teacher;
- Rule margins (as directed by your teacher) on all pages with a red pen and write the date on the top of your page;
- Underline all headings and subheadings with a red pen using a ruler;
- Glue all sheets in ensuring that no handouts are loose in your Portfolio;
- Write with a blue or black pen only;
- Write in full sentences and add as much detail and accuracy to your written responses;
- Use pencil when drawing diagrams;
- Never scribble over your corrections. Always rule a single line through errors and
- Never draw pictures in your book unless directed by your teacher to do so.

You will be assessed on the quality of your Humanities Portfolio and the level of contribution you make towards class discussions. For this semester, your portfolio will make up 40% of your overall assessment.

Your teacher will assess the quality of your Humanities Portfolio based on three areas;

- 1. How closely you follow the above Portfolio guidelines;
- 2. How effectively you apply geographic skills; and
- 3. Your ability respond to a narrative prompt to write an engaging 'sizzling' start that hooks the reader to gain instant interest.



Humanities Portfolio- 40%

CRITERIA	What will this look like at an A grade?	What will this look like at a B grade?	What will this look like at a C grade?	What will this look like at a D grade?	What will this look like at an E grade?
Organisation and communication	 Follows all Humanities Portfolio guidelines 	 Follows the vast majority of Humanities 	 Follows most of the Humanities Portfolio 	 Some Humanities Portfolio guidelines 	Few HumanitiesPortfolio
Outcomes:	without exception	Portfolio guidelines	guidelines	followed	guidelines
	Very high level of	High level of classroom	Sound level of	Little classroom	followed
HU-1	classroom	participation	classroom participation	participation	Very little to no
	participation				classroom
					particípation
/10	10-9	8-7	6-5	4-3	2-1
Geographic skills	A very high level of	A high level of	 An adequate level of 	A limited level of	A very limited
Outcomes:	geographic skills show	geographic skills	geographic skills shown	geographic skills shown	level of
		shown			geographic skills
HU-1,					shown
			1		
/15	15-13	12-10	6-7	6-4	31
Sizzling starts	 A highly original link to 	An original link to	An attempt to be	A common	No evidence of a
Outcomos:	the prompt	the prompt	original with some link	interpretation of the	link to the
Outcomes.		1	to the prompt	prompt. (Cliché)	prompt
HU-5, HU-6	 A range of highly effective language 	 A range of effective language choices to 	Some attempt to use		Limited use/no
	choices to engage the	engage the reader	language choices to	 Attempts basic 	use of language
	reader and evoke a	and evoke a	engage the reader	language choices	choices.
	response	actionical		engagement	Incorrect use of
			Some attempt to use		tense causing
	 A nignily enective use of tense to further the 	 An effective use of tense to further the 		 Unnecessarily changes tense 	confusion
	short story	short story	the short story		
/15	15-13	12-10	2-6	6-4	3-1

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Total:

Grade: