

Timeline Grading Rubric

	Excellent 4	Meets Expectations 3	Most expectations met - 2	Needs Improvement 1	BLU Below Level Understanding
Title	The timeline has a creative/attractive title.	The timeline has an effective title.	The timeline has a title.	The title is difficult to read or locate.	No title
Documentation of Events	The timeline contains all 15 significant events. This includes date and description.	The timeline lists 15 significant events. This includes approximate date.	The timeline contains at least 8-10 significant events. This includes approximate dates.	The timeline contains only 5-8 significant events.	There are less than 5 events on the timeline
Accuracy - Each Year is 1 Inch	Ruler clearly used to mark of years as inches and show months accurately; at some point on the timeline months are indicated for $\frac{1}{4}$ inches	Years are marked off by inches; months are accurately indicated.	Years are marked in inches. Some dates/months are correctly shown	Years are marked in inches; little attempt to show where months occurred	Line is drawn without using inches to indicate years.
Appearance	Highly attractive timeline that stands out clearly and is creatively completed	Timeline looks nice; efforts were clearly made to take time to complete.	Some erasing/scribbling visible; mostly easy to read.	Difficult to read in many areas; looks kind of "thrown together"	Hard to read and/or appears unfinished.
Graphics and Pictures	5 or more images are effective and clearly relate to items on timeline; balanced with text use.	5 or more images are used and relate to timeline events	3-5 pictures are on timeline, but one or more connections are unclear.	1-2 pictures were added.	No images are included