The Great Gatsby
Prezi Presentation Project

Introduction: The novel, The Great Gatsby, a study of American society's people and attitudes in the 1920's, is seen through the eyes of the main character, Nick, a newcomer to the East. The powerful themes of old money vs. new money, prejudice, and following your dreams, allows readers to make connections to their own lives by bringing personal experiences to their reading. To prepare for reading this novel, general knowledge of the novel, author and the time period are essential.

Project
● Your group will present a 3-5 minute Prezi on one of the following topics (each group must pick a different topic).
● You will be graded by the rubric attached. All members must contribute and present. While you will have to work closely together and you may have overlapping responsibilities, group members will each be the primarily person responsible for one of the following:
  o research
  o Prezi
  o works cited
● Your presentation must include all of the following:
  o pictures
  o audio
  o video
  o text
● All groups will be expected to present on the DUE DATE!

Topics

F. Scott Fitzgerald
- His childhood and family
- Education
- Major Works

Jazz Age
Science/Religion in Education in 1920s
Harlem Renaissance

Fashion

Cars

Sports

Technology

Crime and Prohibition

Popular Entertainment and Media of the 1920s
- Notable Movies/Actors/Actresses
- Radio
- Headlines of the 1920s
- Music of the 1920s

Women

More Project Details
Plan out a 3-5 minute Prezi Presentation. Prezi is similar to a PowerPoint, but it is a zooming presentation. Go to Prezi.com and sign up for a free account. Then follow the tutorial to learn how to create your presentation.

You must turn in a MLA style works cited page that includes at least five sources. This is on a separate piece of paper (use easybib.com).

Presentation Guidelines

1. Face the audience as you discuss the slides in your presentation.
2. Avoid just reading what is on your Prezi. Slide content should provide a simplification of information that you explain in greater detail. Use note cards or printouts to read from or memorize what you will say.
3. Time yourself! Presentations should be 3-5 minutes long. You will be cut off after 6 minutes. Each person in the group should take part in the presentation.

Presentation Date: _________________________________

http://tinyurl.com/Mrs-MartinPrezi
# Prezi Presentation Grading Rubric

**Student Names:**

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*(turn in hard copy and have it part of your presentation)*

## Total Points

| 100 points |  |