

Biography Presentation

Due _____

You must read a biography about a famous person. Then, you will give a presentation to the class about this person.

The two choices for the presentation are below.

1. Make a puppet that looks like your famous person. Your puppet will give a presentation to the class telling all about his or her life.
2. Dress up as the famous person. Give a presentation to the class, pretending to be that person, telling all about your life.

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- Remember that your puppet or your costume should resemble the famous person.
 - Your puppet or you (dressed up as the famous person) will give the presentation.
 - You may want to write a script or write notes on note cards to help you remember what to say.
 - Your presentation should be 2-5 minutes.
 - Be sure to include the following things in your presentation.
 - name of the famous person
 - date of birth and death (if no longer living)
 - place of birth
 - why he/she is famous
 - accomplishments
 - interesting facts
 - You need to **practice, practice, practice** your presentation at home. It is helpful to practice in front of family members, a mirror, or a video camera. If you have a video camera, you can watch yourself after to evaluate your presentation. Practice speaking loudly, clearly, and slowly.