



Project #1 - Person of the Year.

Due: 1/18/12 Cristian Enriquez

Essential Question: What makes a successful life?

Objective - Students will research a person they think deserves to be person of the year, answer a series of short answer questions about that person, and create a visual presentation about that person. Students will rename this google doc with their lastname (ex. jonespersonoftheyear) and share it with hugginsdocs@gmail.com.

1. _____ 30 Points - Research -

Find 3 other person of the year award winners and tell us why each one won the award. Each person must be from a different decade from the others. - (80's, 60's, 90's, 00's, etc.)

Year/Person Why?	1. John F Kennedy (1961) He was chosen as the person of the year for what he did during his presidency which included things like the Bay of Pigs invasion, the Cuban missile crisis, and the beginning parts of the Vietnam war.
Year/Person Why?	2. Ronald Reagan (1980) Ronald was chosen because he was president while the cold war ended and he helped stimulate and help the economy of the U.S.
Year/Person Why?	3. Barack Obama (2008) Barack Obama was person of the year because he was the first black president and he ended the war in iraq.

Find at least 2 sources about the person you have selected for this year and answer the following questions about each:

Title/Source/ Date/Link	http://www.timtebow.com/ 2010
What is the point of view of the article?	This article list some basic information about Tim Tebow and some videos of his career in football.
List 3 interesting facts/issues/problems raised in the article.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. One thing was all of the achievements that Tim Tebow has had. 2. Another was information about his size and weight. 3. Finally all of the videos of Tim Tebows games.

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I liked how organized this website was. I believe that there should have been more information on Tim Tebow.

Title/Source/ Date/Link	http://www.usatoday.com/sports/football/nfl/story/2012-01-11/tebow-exclusive/52518122/1 1-13-12
What is the point of view of the article?	This article listed several information on Tim Tebow's personal life and his perspective on life and on football.
List 3 interesting facts/issues/problems raised in the article.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The amount of information that was included in the article. 2. The different foundations that Tim Tebow has. 3. How faithful he is to his religion.
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2. 35 points - Short answer questions.

Students will answer the following questions included here. (If you are concerned about not writing enough then answer with at least 30 words each.)

Why should this person be the person of the year? I believe that Tim Tebow is the person of the year not only for what he has done football wise but because he is a great person for all of the different foundations that he has opened for children.

What does this person believe in? Tim Tebow is a christian which is a form a religion so he believes in god and most of the beliefs of the christian religion, since a child he has been religion having grown up in a christian environment.

What makes this person successful at what they do? He is a good football player because of the dedication that he has thrown into playing this sport.

What may have been some obstacles in their way on their path to their success? For Tim Tebow it may have been all of the people that have doubted him as a player. Another obstacle would have to be the media criticizing the way that he play.

What are some resources or friends that helped them along the way? Since Tim is a very religious man a friend and a resource would have to be the connection that he has with god. To him that is the only resource that he needs and the only friend that he needs to help him along the way.

What do you think this persons immediate future will look like? why? He will be an amazing football player because already he has made a huge impact in the NFL because of how good of a quarterback he is. There is no doubt that he will be one of the best that Denver has ever had.

What does this persons long term future look like? why? In the long term future he will still be playing in the NFL and he will be one of the best playing that position and will have helped whatever team that he will be playing for.

What inspired you to choose this person? To me it was his work outside of football. I am a very religious person and to see a professional showing his religious views to the world and always putting everything that he does into the hands of god, that is why I chose him.

If you were to have dinner with the person what would be the first 3 questions you would ask them? I would first ask him what he sees himself doing in the future? How is he keeping his religion interfering with his career as a pro? Finally What is it like to know that god has his back for all of his games.

3. 35 Points - Visual Presentation

Visual presentations must include at least 4 pictures and at least 200 but no more than 300 words of text.

The presentation should directly address the interesting points from your answers to the questions below. Students will orally present their visual presentations. May be a slide show, prezi, or other form of presentation software. Please ask Mr. Huggins if you think your creativity might be a problem for the rest of the class. Please include the link to your Prezi here or share, and or email the presentation to hugginsdocs@gmail.com. <http://prezi.com/zg9mxbnxxkkk/my-person-of-the-year/>