

ANCIENT ROME TALK SHOW

Introduction:

Talk shows are television programs where a host sits down with different guests to talk about topics that are important in the guests life and interesting to an audience. The talk show that you and your teammate will create will include a host and two Roman citizens, as well as one special guest of your choosing. The host will sit down and ask deep and engaging questions to be answered by the guests. Your talk show will focus on the the issues during ancient Roman times. You and your teammates will write out and present your talk show to the class.

Role	Student playing this role
Host	
Guest 1	
Guest 2	
Special Guest	

Presentation Requirements:

Introduction	The host will introduce the theme and topics that will be discussed and introduces each talk show guest to the audience.
Question & Answers	The host should ask each guest at least 3 deep and engaging questions. Each guest should respond to the questions in a detailed and interesting way. The responses of each guest should reflect factual content from ancient Roman times.
Conclusion	The host concludes the talk show by summarizing the main ideas and thanking the guests and audience.
Behind the scenes	All questions and general responses should be written out and submitted to the teacher by _____

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Introduction

The host will introduce and welcome each guest by describing them in 1–2 sentences.

Guest Name	Introduction

Questions & Answers

Decide on the topics of discussion. Brainstorm different questions and responses for each guest to go along with the topics you have chosen.

Topic #1:

Guest	Questions	Answers
Guest 1		
Guest 2		
Guest 3		

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Topic #2:

Guest	Questions	Answers
Guest 1		
Guest 2		
Guest 3		

Topic #3:

Guest	Questions	Answers
Guest 1		
Guest 2		
Guest 3		

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Topic #4:

Guest	Questions	Answers
Guest 1		
Guest 2		
Guest 3		

Conclusion:

How can the host wrap up the major topics that were addressed?

What final message will each guest say?

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Name(s): _____ Date: _____

	EXPERT	ACCOMPLISHED	DEVELOPING	NOVICE
PRESENTATION	Your final product and presentation show a thorough understanding of Ancient Rome and your content goes beyond what we learned in class.	Your final product and presentation show a thorough understanding of Ancient Rome.	Your final product and presentation show a basic understanding of Ancient Rome	Your final product and presentation does not show an understanding of Ancient Rome.
PREPARATION AND PLANNING	You consistently made the most of your time and stayed focused Your research is thorough and meets all of the specific project requirements	You usually made the most of your time and generally stayed focused. Your research meets most project requirements.	You sometimes made the most of your time. At times, your focus was elsewhere and your research was not thoroughly completed. You did not complete sufficient project requirements.	You were not focused and did not make good use of your time. You did completed minimal to no project requirements.
HOST QUESTIONS	Questions were consistently in depth, creative and thoughtful.	Questions were usually in depth, creative and thoughtful.	Questions were somewhat in depth, creative and thoughtful.	Questions were not in depth, creative and/or thoughtful.
GUEST RESPONSES	Responses were very detailed, creative and informative. You kept the audience's attention and did not read directly from your paper/screen.	Responses were usually detailed, creative and informative. You kept the audience's attention and did not read directly from your paper.	Responses were somewhat detailed, creative and informative. You kept the audience's attention and did not read directly from your paper.	Responses were not detailed, creative and informative. You did not keep the audience's attention and read directly from your paper.
TEAMWORK	You worked very well with your group. Contribution to your project was very evident.	You worked well with your group. Contribution to your project was evident.	You sometimes worked well with your group. Some contribution to your project was noted.	You did not work well with your group. You did not contribute to your project.

Comments:

GRADE:

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