

BIOGRAPHICAL OVERVIEW OF A SCIENTIST

This project will be done not as a paper, but rather as a collection of documents that will present an overview of your scientist's life. You will choose seven of the following documents (including the required ones) to complete the biographical overview:

1. A **birth certificate** designed and filled out by you.
2. A **laboratory experiment report** that covers an experiment that your scientist might have performed. Follow the steps of scientific method: question, background info, hypothesis, procedure, data, and conclusion.
3. A **wedding invitation**.
4. A **letter** to your scientist's government **requesting funding** for his/her scientific research. Include reasons for research and possible benefits to mankind.
5. A **newspaper article** written on the day of (or the day after) your scientist's most important contribution concerning this contribution. Pretend you were a journalist reporting on the discovery. This should be your own article, not the actual one.
6. Suppose two years before your scientist's death (or to date) he/she were to look for a new job or position, write a **resume**. This should highlight their major accomplishments, awards, discoveries, education, jobs held, position they're seeking, and address.
7. An **obituary** notice.
8. An **epitaph**. (tombstone) Include full name, years alive, and a quote that best describes your scientist or an actual quote they made.
9. If your scientist never existed, describe how life would be different for us now. This should be at least $\frac{1}{2}$ page.
10. Three or more pictures (no duplicates)

Keep a bibliography of all materials used in your research. This must be handed in with your finished project. You must list at least three sources. Assemble all finished documents in a folder or binder. Include a cover page that identifies your scientist by name and picture, your name, date, and period.

Grading will be based on accuracy of information, thorough documents, and creativity of design. The project is **due Friday, October 28th**.

*Extra credit will be given towards completed documents after the required seven.