**Gilgamesh Project**



**Overview**: In groups of no more than three, you will create a presentation regarding *Gilgamesh* to present to the class.

*Option 1:* Create a Google Slideshow (Prezi for extra credit) or a poster where you compare and contrast the flood stories from *Gilgamesh* and the *Bible*.

**Group Members’ Names:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

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| **Basic Requirements:**  *Slideshow/poster must include the following:*  -Title and group members’ names  -Overview of flood story in *Gilgamesh*  -Overview of flood story from the *Bible*  -Similarities (include at least two quotes and citations)  -Differences (include at least two quotes and citations)  -Conclusion based on similarities/differences (what do your findings suggest about the flood, the cultures, etc.?)  -Illustrations/images related to topic  -Information should be accurate and demonstrate an understanding of the text(s). | **Teachers’ Comments:** | **\_\_\_\_/16** |
| **Grammar/Spelling/Neatness:**  *Slideshow/poster must:*  *-* be neat, demonstrate effort  - be free of spelling & capitalization errors  - have appropriate punctuation (including how quotes are cited). |  | **\_\_\_\_/9** |
| **Presentation:**  -All group members must speak  -Presentation must be polished (should be obvious that you’ve practiced)  -Body language should be appropriate/professional  -Eye contact should be made |  | **\_\_\_\_/8** |
| **\*\*Bonus for Prezi +5** | **Total:** | **\_\_\_\_\_/33** |

*Option 2:* Create a Google Slideshow (Prezi for extra credit) or a poster where you compare and contrast the heroic journey of Gilgamesh to a heroic journey found in another book or movie.

**Group Members’ Names:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

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| **Basic Requirements:**  *Slideshow/poster must include the following:*  -Title  -Overview of heroic journey in Gilgamesh  -Overview of heroic journey in chosen movie/book  -Similarities (include at least two quotes and citations)  -Differences (include at least two quotes and citations)  -Conclusion based on similarities/differences (what do your findings suggest about the heroic journey?)  -Illustrations/images related to topic  -Information should be accurate and demonstrate an understanding of *Gilgamesh.* | **Teachers’ Comments:** | **\_\_\_\_/16** |
| **Grammar/Spelling/Neatness:**  *Slideshow/poster must:*  *-* be neat, demonstrate effort  - be free of spelling & capitalization errors  - have appropriate punctuation (including how quotes are cited). |  | **\_\_\_\_/9** |
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**Timeline:**

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| **Monday** | **Tuesday/Wed** | **Thurs** | **Friday** |
| *10/28*  **X** | *10/29 or 10/30*  -Intro to project  -Form groups  -Choose topic  -Brainstorm/begin research  -Gather info for background/overview | *10/31*  (half of period)  -Finalize background/overview info  -List similarities and differences  **(checked at end of period)** | *11/1*  -Find quotes  -Draw conclusion  **(checked at end of period)** |
| *11/4*  -Finalize and practice presentation | *11/5 or 11/6*  -Present and submit slideshow or poster |  |  |