Mr. Beckett

WWII/Holocaust Interview Project

**Assignment**

1. Write a 2-3 page informative history paper using primary source interviews from the veterans who served WWII or survivors of the Holocaust.
   1. WWII Veterans -- <http://www.loc.gov/vets/>
   2. Holocaust Survivor -- <http://www.yadvashem.org/>
   3. <http://www.ushmm.org/research/collections/resourcecenter/>
2. Create a 1-2 slide PowerPoint outline of the paper presentation informing the class of your findings.

**Directions -- Paper**

1. Using 2+ interviews from the websites provided identify a specific element of WWII or the Holocaust that is of interest.
2. Glean the necessary information from the interviews to create an overall historical perspective about the event.
   1. 5-paragraph paper
   2. Thesis statement
   3. Conclusion matches what is in the other 4 paragraphs.

**Directions – PowerPoint**

1. Using your paper as the source, create a 1-2 slide outline of your paper and present your findings to the class.
2. Maps, pictures and other supplemental material may be necessary to teach about your subject. No youtube or other video may be used (time constraints).

**Grading**

1. Your paper is worth 30 points and will be graded based on a crude rubric:
   1. 15 points – content
   2. 10 points – organization
   3. 5 points -- Thesis
2. Your PowerPoint is worth 20 points and will be graded based on a crude rubric:
   1. 10 points – content
   2. 5 points – organization
   3. 5 points – presentation

**Due Date**

**Papers – May 20**

**PP – May 17--20**