





Write 3 facts and 3 opinions for each topic from the Table of Contents.

For example: New Land, New Home is on page 7-9. Read those pages, and find THREE interesting facts that you didn't know or thought was very interesting. You may write more than 3 facts, if the topic is super interesting! PLEASE don't copy down the facts from the book - try to write the fact in your own words.

I will deduct points for copying/plagiarizing

Then write an opinion about what you think about the fact you just read. Try to write the opinion from the point of view from the book. For example, if you are reading about the settlers, write one opinion about how you wouldn't like to sleep on the hay floor because you get hay fever and you would miss your comforter from your own bed.

Timeline	Draft due in (Draft is asked at the end of each week but not required. I will check it and suggest ways to improve your piece of writing)
Friday 9 th January 2015	The 13 American Colonies
	New Land, New Home
	Hardtack, Anyone?
Friday 16 th January 2015	No Privacy in the Privy
	Dirty Jobs
	Hard Labor
Friday 23 rd January 2015	Rough Roads
	Witch Trials
	Bad Medicine
Friday 30 th January 2015	What's that smell?
	Difficult Times
	Times Change, Smell Remains
Friday 6 th February 2015	Write your final paper and turn in