

## Directions for Essay

You must write your essay in Google Docs or My Backpack (Word ONLINE in browser).

Example of essay format:

[your name]

Ms. Kearns

ELA

[today's date]

[Title of Essay]

This is the introduction of your essay. Include information about the person including full name, date of birth, and any details from early on in their life. Everything in this section should be based on facts.

This is the body of your essay (it can be 1-3 paragraphs, depending on the amount of information you have available). Make sure that you include at least 5 major events or ways that your person impacted history. Everything in this section should be based on facts.

This is the conclusion paragraph of your essay. Here, you can sum up the key points you have already mentioned, explain why you picked this person, and give your opinion.

Checklist:

Cover Page-

- Title of Essay
- Your Name
- Picture of Person essay is written about

Essay-

- Your name
- Teacher's name (Ms. Kearns)
- Class Name (ELA)
- Today's Date
- Title of Essay (centered)
- 12 point black font
- At least 3 paragraphs (Introduction, Body, and Conclusion)
- At the bottom of your essay, you must write: "All facts in this essay are from: \_\_\_\_\_" In the blank, put the title and author of the book where you got your information.

**When you are done, you have to share it with [ckearns@apsk12.org](mailto:ckearns@apsk12.org)**

