

Country Report  
Note Taking Packet

Country: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Due Date: December 16, 2014

Directions: This is a home project. Use books, magazines (National Geographic etc), and the internet to help research your country. The Weber County Library system has a plethora of resources. \*You must use at least one book and one magazine in your research.

If you need additional space for your notes, use the back of these sheets.

1) Where is your country located? What continent is it on? What are the neighboring countries? Give the specific location of your country including latitude and longitude of the capitol.

2) What are the geographic features of your country? Include important rivers, lakes, oceans, mountain ranges, deserts and other features.

3) What is the population of your country?

4) What languages are spoken in your country ?

5) What is the climate of your country (typical weather throughout the year) Is it usually warm, usually cold, or is it both? What Climate Zone is your country in? Be specific

6) What are the main holidays or traditions in your country? Who celebrates and when do these holidays take place?

7) What do people dress like in your country?

8) What is the tourism like in your country? What are the main points of interest?

9) What are some popular foods in your country? Give information about the food. See if you can find a recipe for your poster!

10) Give specific history about your country. What wars or important political events took place?

11) What type of government does your country have? Democratic, communist, monarchy?

11) More information: Did you find anything interesting you would like to include?

## Poster Requirements for International Festival

### Directions:

- 1) Complete your country research and notes before beginning your display piece.
- 2) Display must be a self-standing display board. Options include a tri-fold science fair display board.
- 3) Food, music, flags, costumes and other souvenir type items that will add excitement and dimension to your board are highly recommended.
- 4) \*A bibliography is required as part of your display board. We will discuss bibliography writing in class after Thanksgiving break.

Your display board can be as creative as you would like to make it. Please include representations of each category of research on your board. Because our international festival is taking the place of a holiday performance, the largest focus on your board should be that of traditions or holidays that are recognized and celebrated in your country.

\*\*This project is due on Tuesday, December 16th