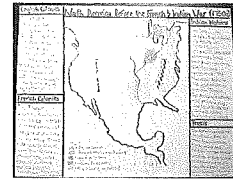




World War II Pacific Theatre

Annotated Map Project



For this project you can work with a partner or group of 3 MAX. I am asking you to create an Annotated Map of the War in the Pacific during WWII on the poster paper given in class. What is an annotated map? It is not just a map of locations, it is a map that shows where the major battles occurred AND identifies the key facts, significance, and outcomes of each battle/location.

Directions: Design an annotated map that shows your understanding of key battles, historical figures, significance and outcomes of the key battles of the War in the Pacific in WWII.

1) **WRITE A TITLE** at the top

2) **DRAW MAP:** Draw a map of Asia & the Pacific (during WWII)

3) **ADD GEOGRAPHICAL FEATURES:** Draw and label these places on your map. Create a key if necessary. Be sure to identify all major locations of battles, countries, etc.

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| ➤ Japan | ➤ India |
| ➤ China | ➤ Australia |
| ➤ Korea | ➤ Philippines |
| ➤ Manchuria | ➤ New Guinea |
| ➤ Mongolia | ➤ Philippine Sea |
| ➤ USSR | ➤ Coral Sea |
| ➤ Hong Kong | ➤ Marshall Islands |
| ➤ Taiwan | ➤ Hawaii |
| ➤ French Indo-China | ➤ Pacific Ocean |
| ➤ Thailand | ➤ Indian Ocean |
| ➤ Malaya | ➤ South China Sea |
| ➤ Borneo | ➤ Yellow Sea |
| ➤ Burma | ➤ Sea of Japan |

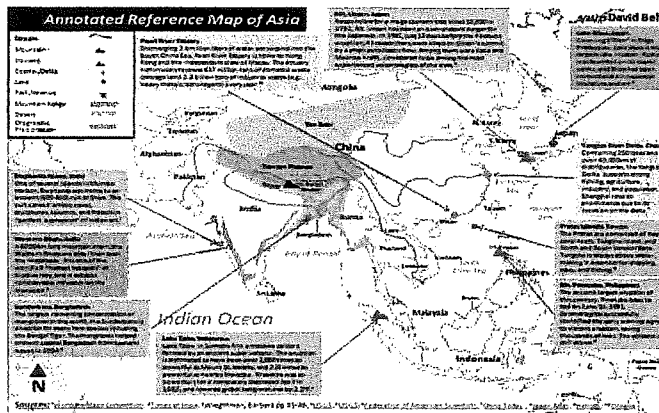
4) **ADD HISTORICAL BATTLES:** Draw and label these WWII Battles on your map. Create a key if necessary.

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| ✓ Pearl Harbour | ✓ Leyte Gulf |
| ✓ Battle of Hong Kong | ✓ Battle of Java Sea |
| ✓ Bataan Death March | ✓ Doolittle Raid |
| ✓ Coral Sea | ✓ Iwo Jima |
| ✓ Battle of Singapore | ✓ Okinawa |
| ✓ Midway | ✓ Battle of Guadalcanal |

5) ANNOTATE each historical Battle. In your annotation, Explain the Battle (who, what, when, where, why) and EXPLAIN ITS SIGNIFICANCE. Annotations should be 1-3 complete sentences. You can write the annotations on the sides of your map (and number them) OR you use lines or arrows to point to the appropriate location on the map

6) WRITE A THESIS at the bottom—your thesis is a 1-2 sentence response to this question:

What do you think were the major turning points in World War II? Which battles or events do you think were most important and why?



Assessment:

You will be marked on your overall effort, detail, following of instructions, annotations (including significance and outcomes), thesis answered, and ability to follow directions. (All 6 criteria must be clearly answered and it must be neat, organized, coloured, etc. to receive top marks). You will be given one of the following marks for this project:

Letter Grade: C C+ B A

Proficiency Scale	Emerging	Developing	Proficient	Extending
	The student demonstrates an initial understanding of the concepts and competencies relevant to the expected learning.	The student demonstrates a partial understanding of the concepts and competencies relevant to the expected learning.	The student demonstrates a complete understanding of the concepts and competencies relevant to the expected learning.	The student demonstrates a sophisticated understanding of the concepts and competencies relevant to the expected learning.