



Revolution, Reaction, Reform in History

**Northeast Georgia
National History Day Contest
February 18, 2012**

Research Help

5 Steps to Success

Choose...Connect...Support...Write...Present

1. Student **CHOOSES** TOPIC of interest from any past time period in any part of the world: For example:
 - Winston Churchill or George W. Bush
 - A Civil War battle or space travel
 - European art or the electric guitar
 - The Internet or cyber-cafes
 - Any focus on a person, a place, or an idea
2. Student convincingly **CONNECTS** TOPIC of interest to the annual theme.
3. Student explores a variety of information sources to **SUPPORT** topic's connection to the theme:
 - Libraries
 - Archives
 - World Wide Web
 - Real people who have experienced what the student is researching
 - Real places where the events took place
4. Student **WRITES** a short (500 word) paper containing:
 - The **PROCESS** of gathering and developing information
 - Bibliography with primary and secondary sources
5. Student prepares choice of **PRESENTATION**:
 - An original performance
 - A filmed or computer-generated documentary
 - An exhibit/display
 - An historical paper
 - A website

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