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### World War I - Individual Research Assignment

Speaking - Oral Presentation	I have some success.	I can present to an audience demonstrating some proper presentation techniques. Additionally, I do not consistently use media strategically	<b>I can demonstrate proper oral presentation techniques such as engaging the audience, making strategic use of media to enhance understanding, and adapting speech to a variety of contexts.</b>	<b>Additionally,</b> I display an understanding of the material that exceeds what is expected, use media in a unique or creative way, and have a clear introduction and conclusion to the presentation.
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**Choose one of the topics listed below to research:**

1. The Black Hand
2. Order of the White Feather
3. Rape of Belgium
4. Armenian Genocide
5. Trench foot
6. Use of poison gas
7. U-boat warfare
8. Dogfights
9. British tanks (Mark series)
10. Schlieffen Plan
11. Christmas Truce 1914
12. 1918 flu pandemic (Spanish flu)
13. Zeppelins
14. Italian front (Alpine warfare, soldiers on skis)
15. Treaty of Brest-Litovsk
16. Sinking of the Lusitania
17. Zimmerman Telegram
18. Balfour Declaration of 1917
19. Canadian Expeditionary Force
20. Battles:
  - a. First Battle of the Marne
  - b. Battle of Verdun
  - c. Battle of the Somme
  - d. Battle of Gallipoli
  - e. Battle of Tannenberg
  - f. Battle of Sarikamish
21. Azerbaijan Democratic Republic
22. Remembrance Poppy

\*Directions are on the back side of this paper.\*

**Directions:** Use the space below (or a separate piece of paper) to record information about your topic. **You are going to be asked to make a brief (2 minute) presentation about your topic.**

- You need to explain your topic to an audience that does not know anything about it
  - At minimum, you should explain who, what, where, when, how, and why. Most likely, you need to read much more than you write down to fully understand the topic
- You need to explain the significance, importance, and/or uniqueness of your topic within World War I
- You need to be ready to answer questions about your topic
- At the bottom of the page, **you must make a list of your sources** (It does not need to be a bibliography, but it should be enough information so that you can quickly find the source again if you need more information.)

SOURCE: