

Literary Periods Poster Assignment

Directions: In groups, create a poster that is representative of a period of literary history. Each group member should design his/her part at home and bring it to class for assembly of the poster.

Group Jobs:

1. Poster buyer/overall design – Get a poster board that is relatively large. Avoid thick posters that cannot be hung on the wall. Type out or draw the name of the literary period at the top and bring it to class as the title of the poster. Type out the dates of the literary period as well.
2. Photo person – Find pictures of famous authors and/or book covers from this literary period. This person must have a decent color printer to print out the photos for the group. Talk with the author people for authors and books to print.
3. Author person – Create a typed list in a large font (48 point) of at least two authors. Next to these in large font, type several of the works these authors wrote (minimum of three). Below their list of works, type a paragraph description of the types of themes these authors wrote about and perhaps why they are representative of this literary period (smaller font).
4. Literary period information person – Type out bullet points of the main features of the literature of this period. Use a font that is at least 28 point.

Rubric:

Neatness and Creativity; Legibility (fonts)	___/20
Complete Information	___/20
Presentation	___/10
Total	___/50 (per person)