

Biography Box Book Report Project

Teacher Instructions:

Your students need to select books that are biographies and read them. They will need to bring in an empty cereal box or one similar in size. The box needs to be covered with butcher paper, construction paper, or wrapping paper. Using the components, included in this download, your students will create adorable Biography Boxes by cutting out and gluing the completed components to the front, back and sides of his or her box.

The finished product will include a Biography Portrait, a report, and five objects (placed inside the cereal box) to symbolize something about the person. The report will tell: what students liked best or least about the biography, information about the person's childhood including influences that later affected him or her as an adult, the person's achievements, why he or she was well-known, interesting facts about this person, and an explanation as to why you think the author chose this person to write about. Students will give an oral presentation about his or her Biography Box.

Inside each box, your student should place 5 items that you would associate with this person and be prepared to explain what the items symbolize. For example, if your student wrote a report about Amelia Earhart, he or she could place a toy airplane, goggles, scarf, a small notebook to symbolize a diary or flight log, and a compass.

Use the photograph, on the front page, to see what the finished product looks like and how to assemble it.

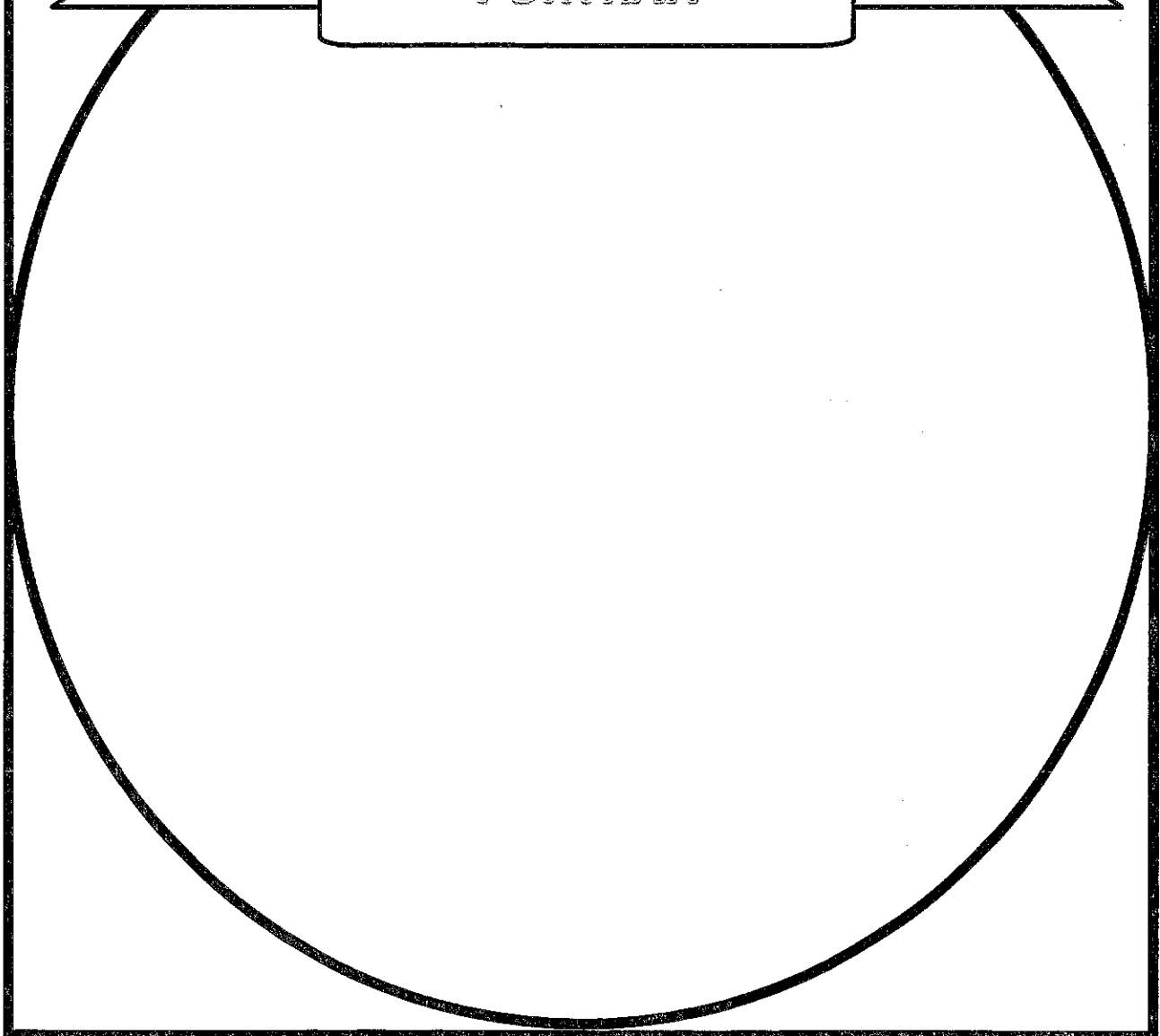
This is cut out and goes on the front of the cereal box.

Biography Title _____

Person _____ Author _____

Student _____

**BIOGRAPHY
PORTRAIT**



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BIOGRAPHY BOOK REPORT

When was this person born? _____ Where was this person born? _____

What were this person's greatest achievements?

Why was this person well-known?

Write an interesting fact about this person. Explain.

Why do you think the author chose this person to write about?

Write another interesting fact about this person. Explain.
