Task 4: Designing a Website

You will work to design a website that will answer the following essential question:

***How did diverse ideologies impact social, political, and economic conditions in the United States?***

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| **Website Rubric** | **4** | **3** | **2** |
| **Content**  Historical Analysis | The student digs deeper into the content by connecting the key concepts of the learning goal to previous learning or to contemporary issues. | 3A – **Analyze** how diverse ideologies impacted political and social institutions during different eras. (SS-9-12.13)  3B **- Evaluate** the impact of gender roles on social, political, and economic life in the U.S. (SS-9-12.14) | A level 2 website fails to meet the level 3 learning goal in one or more areas:  -Civil Rights  -Reagan  -Millennium |
| **Source Analysis**  Written description of each source | Artifacts chosen include both primary and secondary sources.    Website shows high levels of thoughtfulness, preparedness, and creativity—product looks polished. | Artifacts chosen include both primary and secondary sources.  Website shows evidence of thoughtfulness, preparedness, and creativity, but product does not look polished. | Artifacts chosen include either primary or secondary sources.  Website is lacking evidence of thoughtfulness or preparedness. May show creativity, but product does not look polished. |
| **Writing Arguments**  Writing about significance of American diversity and culture | Writes argument that demonstrates a depth of knowledge by going above and beyond the grade level expectation. The student digs deeper into the content by connecting the writing to previous learning or to contemporary issues. | -Introduce a knowledgeable claim, establish the significance of the claim, and distinguish the claim from opposing claims.  -Organize claim(s) and evidence clearly (chronologically, thematically, etc.).  -Develop claim(s) with logical reasoning, accurate data, evidence, and examples.  -Provide a concluding statement. | A level 2 writing sample fails to meet the level 3 standard in one or more areas:  -Introduction  -Organization  -Use of evidence  -Conclusion |