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Literature & Composition I

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***Montana 1948:* WebQuest!**

**SECTION I: MONTANA**

Click on the link on the WebQuest site for information to answer the following questions:

1. Where in the United States is Montana located? What other states (and country) does it border?

2. What Native American tribes can be found in Montana?

3. How did the Homestead Act of 1909 affect Montana?

4. How did the Great Depression affect Montana?

**SECTION 2: THE UNITED STATES IN 1948**

The United States was involved in WWII primarily from 1941-1945. Click on the link on the WebQuest site for information to answer the following questions:

1. What event caused the United States enter forces into World War II?

2. List 3 important changes that occurred in the United States as a result of World War II:

 1.

 2.

 3.

3. What changes occurred for the men who returned from the war?

4. How were women’s lives affected by the war?

5. How did the position of the United States change in the world as a result of the war?

6. How was the Civil Rights Movement affected by World War II?

**SECTION 3 – THE SIOUX**

Click on the link on the WebQuest site for information to answer the following questions:

1. Who were the Sioux? In what areas of the country did they primarily live?

2. What did the Sioux do in 1837 and 1851? How did the Sioux feel toward the government after making these decisions? What happened as a result?

3. Who were some of the Sioux leaders?

4. What is important to remember about “Custer’s Last Stand” or “The Battle of Little Big Horn”?

**SECTION 4: NATIVE AMERICANS IN WORLD WAR II**

Native Americans are sometimes also referred to as “American Indians” or just “Indians”, though neither of these is exactly correct. Click on the link on the WebQuest site for information to answer the following questions:

1. How many estimated Native Americans (“American Indians”) were alive when Columbus arrived? How many were alive in the 1940s?

2. How many Native Americans entered the armed services during World War II? Why did so many join?

3. How did Native Americans assist on the homefront in the United States? What role did women play?

4. How did life for Native Americans change when they returned from war? How did it stay the same?