

UNITED NATIONS DAY

2 lessons preparation

1 day - $\frac{1}{2}$ day preparation and $\frac{1}{2}$ day presentations to whole year.

Pupils will be given 1 developing country and you will be given 1 teacher information pack on that country and the United Nations

Pupil task is to produce a booklet and a presentation on that country, which will be delivered to the whole year group.

The theme is to get money from the United Nations to invest and improve the country.

Suggested activities

In registrations before 1st preparation lesson

- Explain task - maybe sharing task sheet with pupils if possible
- Divide class into groups so they can share out research on the key areas - use headings for booklet as groups

Preparation lesson 1+2

- Pupils research their chosen area.
- Get pupils to write 10 key questions to find answers to before they start research
- Pupils research on computer their area

On the day

Lesson 1+2

- Produce standard design for booklet. Each group to produce page/s for the booklet using format

Lesson 3+4

- Produce standard design for power-point. Using research and booklet produce power-point and presentation
- Rehearse presentations/power-points

Some new groups will need to be formed to work on presentation table, and to design/edit power-point.

UNITED NATIONS TASK SHEET

Name of Country:

Task:

To produce a booklet and a presentation on why your country deserves United Nations money and on what you would spend it on.

On the day you will need to:

- Produce a booklet
- Plan a power-point presentation
- Prepare a stand on your country

Before the day you need to research your country looking at the following areas:

- History
- Government
- Geography
- Money
- Problems
- Possible Solutions e.g. tourism, education, health, businesses

You should produce a booklet on your country on the day. You should think about the following in your booklet

- Have you showed what you learnt in all the key areas you researched
- A standard style and font on each page
- Titles and pictures
- That it emphasises the positives - what your country could do with the money

You need to produce a power-point on the day to get the message across for exactly why you need the money and the impact it would have. You should think about including the following:

- Background information on that country
- Existing problems
- Solutions e.g. tourism, education, health, businesses

You should think about the following when producing the power-point and presentation:

- Standard style, background and formatting of slides
- Key points only not lots of writing on power-points
- Pictures to illustrate points
- Effects - but not over the top!
- Background music
- Speeches that explain not repeat slides
- Rehearsing the speech and power-point

You also need to produce a presentation stand/table about your country to accompany the power-point and booklet. You could think of including the following on the table:

- Copy of your booklet
- Copy of power-point
- Pictures of your country
- Food from that country
- Money from that country
- Music
- Cultural Objects
- National Flag
- Banner
- Posters
- Anything interested connected to your country!

What to go on Presentation Table.

Food from that country/associated with country

Currency from that country

General information on that country

Music from that country

Evidence of their culture

Language - keywords

Extra pictures

National Flag

Cultural objects

Booklet

Banner

Any extra information

Posters

Real life citizen from that country

What to go in power-point.

Key facts about country

Natural beauty

Problems in the country

Clear facts

Tourism

Formatting

Same background design

Consistent style and size of font

Pictures

Health and education

Background music

Effects

Colourful

Written speeches (on paper or card to accompany power-point)

Bullet points

Don't overload with information

Creative

Persuasive

How:

Research your chosen country

Produce 1 booklet on your

Produce Power-point on country

Produce presentation table on country

Exactly what they are expected to find and how they will find it.

Specific to that country??

What it is for - purpose of the day

How it will be judged

Background information on the country in question???

How long power-point should be in time and slides

How long booklet should be.

What to go in booklet

Background information on the country

Government

History

Money

Geography/Location - maps and flags

Famous places/landmarks

Problems in the country

Solutions to the problems

What existing charities do to help

Politics

What the future holds

Creative and unique

What the country needs and what it has got already (positives)

Formatting

Same font (preferably same size where appropriate)

Same background design

Title on each page

Pictures to help illustrate

No more than 8 pages?

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Practice the power-point and speakers
Do not just read what is on screen

Judged by a vote?
Or by external panel.

Suggestions to produce a web page instead on country

Can we put each power-point on school website?