

# **Biography Outline**

**Write an essay describing the life of the person you chose to read about. Use this outline to help you organize your writing. Please fill it in and take notes as you read your book.**

**Name of person:** \_\_\_\_\_

## **I Introduction:**

Briefly describe who the person was and what notable thing they did.

## **II Personal Information**

1. Birthdate and birthplace
2. Family life (Did this person have brothers or sisters? Mom and Dad?)
3. education (What kind of schooling has this person had?)
4. occupation(s) (What were some of the jobs this person had?)
5. death date and location

## **III Accomplishments**

1. What did the person accomplish that makes him/her memorable (2-3 accomplishments and explain what they were)
2. What contribution did they make to society. (Why is this person important to society?)

#### **IV Qualities that made the person interesting**

What are some qualities that made the person worth reading about (write about 3 qualities and explain what makes these good qualities)

1.

2.

3.

#### **V Conclusion**

1. Are they still impacting the world today? IF so, tell how.
2. How has history remembered them? (Are there memorials or special days honoring this person?)
3. What are your thoughts about this person and his/her accomplishments?

Your essay **MUST be typed**. It will be graded based on following the outline and the PARCC Writing Rubric. It will count as a PROJECT/TEST grade!

Essays are due on Friday, February 20th . Points will be deducted for each day it is late!