

You are beginning your study of the continent and the people of Africa. You will also be testing various note-taking strategies to see which style gives you the best outcome.

Each stage of the project will have a different due date. As always, no work may be turned in after a due date, but may be turned in early. This project will require you to work at home as well as in class. If you do not have access to the Internet at home, you must let me know prior to a due date. You may not wait until an assignment is due to mention this, unless your computer dies the night before. Remember, I will accept written work, so a broken printer is no excuse for a missed assignment.

### Assignments

- Dowling pages: These will be distributed in class. If you lose your copy, you must print a new one at home, not at SJA. Due dates will be given verbally when these are distributed.
- You will create a book:
  - The cover of your book must have a hand drawn map of Africa, including labels of important geographic features, and places we are studying. It should show a compass rose, a map key, and a mileage key.
  - You will create four chapters. The first three chapters will include notes from the corresponding section in your text book. The mandatory style is described below. The vocabulary and definitions must be in each section. A Guided Reading activity will be distributed and must be included at the end of each section. The last page of each section will be the Section Quiz.
  - The fourth chapter will include the Skills for Life completed handout, formally written answers to the questions on page 317 of your text, and formally written answers to the essay questions you will receive in class. (By 'formally written', I mean: write the question first, then the answer, in cursive, in ink, or typed.) This section will include any Dowling pages and other work you completed for this section.
- Section Quizzes: There will be a quiz after each section. There will not be an online study guide as you are working on creating your own.
- Africa Test Ch. 11: All of these activities will lead to a final test.

Due Dates

Section 1 Book	
Vocab & Outline	2/19
Guided Reading	2/19 (classwork)
Section 1 Quiz	2/23
Section 2 Book	
Vocab & Cornell	2/26
Guided Reading	2/26 (classwork)
Section 2 Quiz	3/3
Section 3 Book	
Vocab & Free Style	3/5
Guided Reading	3/5 (classwork)
Section 3 Quiz	3/9
Chapter 4 Book	3/12
Chapter 11 Test	3/19

Remember, Dowling due dates will be given in class, so you must be aware and write down when they are due.

**Conclusion**

At the end of this process, you will have a complete knowledge of the history of Africa, as well as some knowledge as to your best note taking and study strategies.