ADVANCED PLACEMENT EUROPEAN HISTORY
Research Paper Assignment Sheet

Paper Overview
Throughout the course of the school year, you will be expected to research a topic in Modern European History, turning it into a research question, notes, an outline, a rough draft, and finally a research paper. This project is individual and self-guided. While every attempt will be made to give you some in-class time, most of the time you spend on this will be out of the classroom.

Paper Assignment
Please write a research paper that answers a historical research question based on a topic in Modern European History. This time period and topic includes any aspect of cultural, social, political, economic, religious, or military history from the years 1300 to the present day. In order to do this correctly, remember that you will need to have a clear research question that you will present a clear claim/answer to in the course of your paper. You have not answered your research question if you do not make a claim in the paper. Completion of a final product paper is required in order to receive a passing grade in this course.

Paper Construction Guidelines
6-8 pages
Double-spaced
Times New Roman font face
12-point font size
1” margins on all sides
Cover Page
Bibliography (alphabetical)
Footnotes for in-text citation

Important Dates and Deadlines
Friday, November 4, 2016 – Paper Assigned
Friday, November 18, 2016 – Topic Due
Friday, December 2, 2016 – Research Question Due
Monday, January 23, 2016 – Sources Due
Friday, February 10, 2016 – Outline Due
Friday, March 3, 2016 – Rough Draft Due
Wednesday, March 8, 2016 – Final Paper Due

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