Ancient Civilization Project

During our studies of Ancient Civilizations we have seen many examples of their beautiful art, architecture and writing, as well as drawn several maps of the various regions and cultures. For this project you are to select one of these ancient cultures: India, Persia, Mesopotamia or Egypt and create something visually artistic out of this culture. This could be a beautiful 3 dimensional map of India, a replica of a ziggurat, a pyramid, a copy of King Tut’s mask, a sculpture of Buddha, a clay tablet replica with cuneiform writing, etc. I will provide time in class to look through books, etc. for ideas.

Though most of this work will be assigned as homework, there will be one class a week when you will have the opportunity to work on your project at school.

You will need to have a fairly detailed sketch of your project and a materials list available to turn in to me on Monday, December 6 for approval. The project will be due on January 3.

Note to students and parents: All work on this project should be done by the students. The exception to this is in helping the students procure the materials they will need for their projects and if hot glue guns are needed (this should always be with parent supervision/help). Of course, if an extra hand is needed here and there during assembly that is fine, too. If you have questions about parental involvement, please ask me.

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