

Illustrated Timeline Project

World History and Geography I Rev. 2/22/11

Your mission is to plot six major historical developments on a timeline.
These historical events correspond to the six units of the *Student's Friend*.

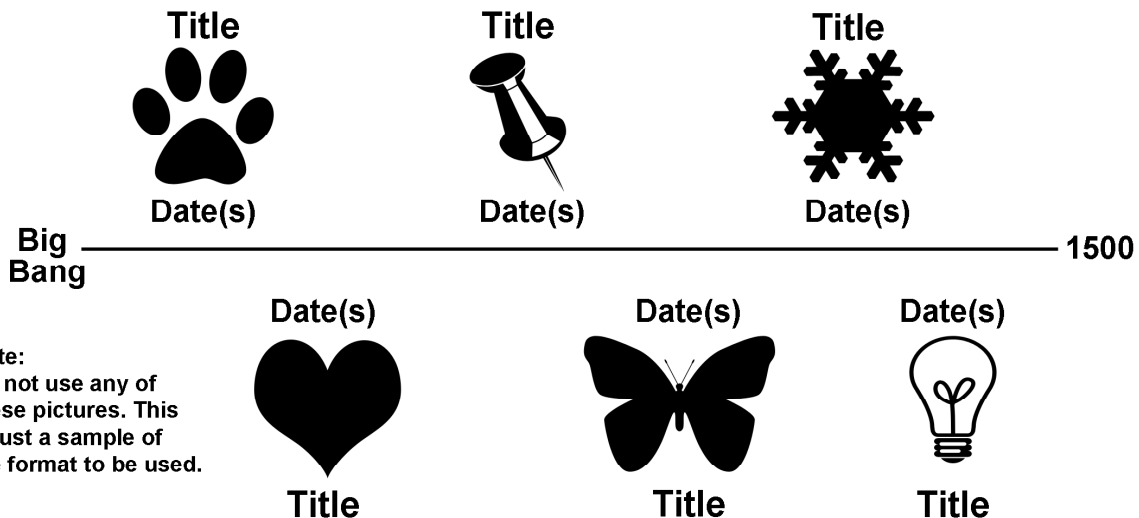
These are the six historical developments:

- 1. Emergence of humans**
- 2. Civilization arises in Mesopotamia**
- 3. First Emperor of China**
- 4. Fall of Rome**
- 5. Islam founded by Muhammad**
- 6. The great voyages of discovery**

Instructions:

- A. The timeline will not be proportional...that is, the events will be evenly spaced on the timeline although the real time between events may vary greatly.
- B. Each historical event is to be illustrated by a colored drawing representing the event and labeled with the title of the event and the date or dates of the event.
- C. The drawings of your events will be alternated above and below the timeline, with the first event above the timeline, the next below, the next above, and so on. (Creativity is encouraged; if you wish to try an alternative format for your timeline, it must still work as a timeline. See the teacher for approval.)
- E. The criteria for a quality project will be identified on a rubric. Quality work requires strong effort.

Hint: lay out your six sections first, then use pencil to sketch labels and illustrations so you can make changes if needed. After everything is arranged the way you want it, then use ink and color.



Note:
Do not use any of these pictures. This is just a sample of the format to be used.