

Silverwood School
Senior Class Homework Project - 2010
My Island

You will design and develop an island that will reflect many aspects of nature, geology and geography. This project will be broken into seven (7) weeks.

Week 1: **Due January 14, 2010**

- Design an island incorporating specifically required **land and water formations**. Use graph paper. Name and **label** the land and water formations.
- Create a **scale** of size. Put the key on your island map.
- Add **contour lines** to show elevations.

Week 2: **Due January 21, 2010**

- Identify the **latitude and longitude** of your island.
- Describe the **climate** and seasons.
- **Name** your island.
- Describe how or why your island was named its name. (Min. word count: 25 words)

Week 3: **Due January 28, 2010**

- Describe the type of **rock** found on your island.
- Describe the type of **soil** found on your island.
- Illustrate and label three different types of rocks on your island.

Week 4: **Due February 4, 2010**

- Describe the **flora and fauna** of your island.
- Illustrate at least 4 types of **animals** that inhabit your island
- Illustrate at least 4 types of **plants** on your island.

Weeks 5 & 6: **Due February 18, 2010**

- Create a **model** of your island using foam core board, or another material approved by Sue. Include **contours** for elevations. Create an elevation key for your model. Add **flora and fauna**, as desired.

Week 7: **Due February 25, 2010**

- Write a story about your island. You may choose to write the story of the discovery of your island or you may write a legend about the island. Minimum word count: **250 words**. Story may be handwritten or typed. Please **double space**, whether you hand write or type your story.