**Your assignment is to re-imagine American History through the lens of these 10 scenarios. You must re-imagine our country’s history and to do so you will create:**

1. A plausible and detailed explanation for each scenario listed (1 paragraph describing actual historical background, 3 paragraph minimum describing how history would be different) **MUST BE DONE FOR ALL 10 EVENTS THAT YOU CHOOSE. 50 points**
2. A 15-point (at least) timeline for **ONE** scenario, from that time period, to the present, outlining the **changed history** and why. **10 points**
3. Google Presentation of your **ONE** scenario that you focus on. **20 points**
4. A full news OR historical article from **2018,** for **ONE** scenario depicting the legacy of history’s changes (this can be done as a news cast, an online news article, or a newspaper article). **20 points**

**You will be graded on:**

* Completion – Daily participation for each team member factors into this section
* Creativity
* Participation – Daily Grade
* Teamwork
* Historical accuracy for actual history
* Historical plausibility for reimagined history
1. What if the Nazis had first developed the A-Bomb..? (Remembering we were at war with Japan too)
2. What if Alexander I had not put a stop to the War of 1812..?
3. The North American continent had not consolidated under one government after the revolution, but under all of its original colonial governments..?
4. What if Lincoln had lost the election of 1860 and Breckinridge won..?
5. What if all of the Indian Nations banded together against the early colonies (Jamestown, St. Augustine, Santa Fe, New Amsterdam, etc.) and won..?
6. What if John Brown succeeded in the Harper’s Ferry raid and slave revolt plan..?
7. What if North America were settled by the Kingdom of Songhai..?
8. What if the 2nd Continental Congress’ “Olive Branch” petition had worked..?
9. What if Madison’s Bill of Rights was rejected and the Constitution/America proceeded without it..?
10. What if America had become disenchanted with capitalist Democracy in the Great Depression and elected a communist to replace Hoover instead of FDR..?
11. What if Lincoln had lost the election of 1864 to McClellan?
12. What if Bill Clinton had been removed from office during the impeachment proceedings?
13. What if Andrew Johnson had been removed during the impeachment proceedings?
14. What if the Supreme Court had not voted to stop the recount in the election of 2000?
15. What if the Soviets had not backed down in the Cuban Missile Crisis?
16. What if Virginia had voted to emancipate its slaves after Nat Turner’s Rebellion?
17. What if the French had won the French and Indian War?
18. What if the British had entered the American Civil War after the *Trent* Affair?
19. What if the United States had remained neutral in World War I?
20. What if the United States had not withdrawn from Vietnam?
21. What if Kennedy had not been assassinated in Dallas?
22. ONE-TWO scenarios of your own choosing that is not on this list.