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Topic assigned: _____

THIS IS THE WORKSHEET WHERE YOU PUT YOUR RESEARCH NOTES

You have been given a specific topic on China. You will be asked to research this topic. Please try and use at least two different resources, and cite the source. When researching think about the following:

LOCATION: General overview of what it is exactly and location.

HEI (Human Environment Interaction): How do humans impact or interact with your particular topic? How do they adapt? This could be negative or positive.

Regions: Can your topic be found in a particular region, many regions, or does it help to define a region?

Place: What are the animals like in your location? What is the culture like in your location?

Movement: How do people get around? Does it cause people to move to or away?

Topics: **YOU WILL BE ASSIGNED TO ONLY ONE**

Animals: You have to fit animals into the 5 themes above. In addition make sure you are covering different animals from all the different regions. Are there animals being hunted to extinction, are there animals who are taking over? Any animals impact culture?

Mountains: You can pick two major mountain ranges and make sure they can represent all five themes. Really focus in on how people live, or interact with the mountains. How is life different there from other places?

Cities: Talk about two major cities and make sure you represent all five themes. How have cities changed the culture, and the environment?

Climate: Does China have the same climate everywhere? Does it change? If it does, does that impact how people live? Could it cause differences in culture. Make sure you focus in on that, but also get in the 5 themes as well.

The great green wall: Have fun with this one. Make sure you fulfill all the required 5 themes, but feel free to throw in great science info and data (can you make a graph?) and current events.

Northern China Plain: This is straight forward; make sure you touch on all five themes when researching this topic.

Rivers: Find two rivers one can be a major river we place on our memory map, and the other one a more “unknown” river. Make sure you really focus in on how the rivers change people’s lives, and are the rivers being cared for?

Researching China

USE THIS AS A STEP BY STEP GUIDE TO FOLLOW ALONG

Step 1 – Take topic and research, focusing in on the 5 themes.

Step 2 – Create a google slide presentation, one slide for each of the 5 themes. 7 slides total -including a title slide and a work cited page.

Step 3- Create a picture (this will be done individually). That would represent your topic. It should be a scene, not random pictures. Each partner should represent the topic in different ways to really get a larger representation.

Step 4- Take your picture and make it into a Chinese lantern.

View this link: http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SP1xz_rRecw

If the link does not work you can search on youtube Pop'n'Olly How to make a Chinese Paper Lantern. Should be 1:35 long. Also you will want to not use Chrome, but Mozilla. Remind students to draw the picture before cutting.

Step 5- Write a paragraph that explains your picture and how it represents your researched topic. Don't forget to explain all the little cool details represented in your picture!