

Mock Trial Cheat Sheet: What am I supposed to be doing TODAY for Ms. Hutcheson?

WEDNESDAY (9/9)

Everyone

- Sign up to Google Docs through emailed invite or the codes below at classroom.google.com
 - 1st period AP World: **rrwt1up**
 - 4th period AP World: **292s87n**
 - 5th period AP World: **nxmxw7f**
- Chapter 11 Reading + Questions – Submit to Google Docs
- Chapter Notecards in Correct Format – Will be collected in class Thurs. 9/10

Attorneys: Prosecution

- Review trial procedures: get familiar enough that you could recite them in your sleep!
- **Where/How should you start?** Refer to the textbook for background information about the Mongols—remember, you need to be an expert for both arguments. Go beyond the required reading for Ms. Hutcheson’s class and examine some of the other parts of the chapters.
 - What evidence is given that will help support your case (that the Mongols were uncivilized conquerors and rulers in the 13th and 14th centuries)?
 - What evidence is given that will help the opposing case (that the Mongols were civilized conquerors and rulers in the 13th and 14th centuries)?
- After you’ve exhausted your textbook as a resource, look into other sources on the internet (WIKIPEDIA is not your answer).

Attorneys: Defense

- Review trial procedures: get familiar enough that you could recite them in your sleep!
- **Where/How should you start?** Refer to the textbook for background information about the Mongols—remember, you need to be an expert for both arguments. Go beyond the required reading for Ms. Hutcheson’s class and examine some of the other parts of the chapters.
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Witnesses:

- Among the group of witnesses, Ms. Hutcheson will have either assigned you prosecution or defense, choose from the roles listed on page 6 of your mock trial packet. **If you end up with the same role in Mrs. Marinelli's class, time management logic says you should probably choose the same witness if you get the chance.**
- Research your character and his relationship with Chinggis Khan and/or his descendants.
- Prepare notes to share with your attorney that will help in the creation of examination questions tomorrow.

Jurors:

- Review trial procedures: get familiar enough that you could recite them in your sleep!
- Among the group of jurors, decide which topic listed on page 5 of your mock trial packet you would like to research more about.
- Begin research (start with your textbook) to support a 1-2 page paper on the topic you are assigned. **There should be no doubling up on topics.**

HOMEWORK

Everyone:

- Complete the week's notecards (there are only three) to format specifications, please use a rubber band to keep them together.

Attorneys:

- Find additional sources/do additional research that will help support your argument.

Witnesses:

- Do additional research to get to know your character. Consider: How might you benefit the prosecution's argument? The defense's? How can you counter what the opposing counsel has to say?

Jurors:

- Continue research on your paper about how other rulers led large states and armies.