******National History Day – Classroom Outline**

**(Insert Theme)**

Mondays are dedicated to NHD Lessons, Research and Construction

**September 28** What is NHD? Project information and guidelines presented to students

**October 9** DUE: Submit Topic Applications for Approval (Topic must be specific and connected to this year’s theme.)

**October 12** *HD Monday Lesson: What the heck is a Thesis?*

**October 13** *HD Lesson: How do I Cite & Annotate for my Bibliography?*

**October 19** HD Monday Lesson: What came comes first, Primary or Secondary sources?

**October 26** DUE: Thesis proposal and project title/subtitle (Draft) and preliminary annotated bibliography #1 (Minimum of 6 sources)

**October ?** Parent Workshop/ Kiwanis Bar-B-Que

**November 2** HD Monday Lesson: Societal Effects; Economic, religious, political and cultural changes?   

**November 9** HD Monday Lesson: How to respectfully show differing perspectives?

**November 30** HD Monday Lesson: What is story line? How do we storyboard?

**December 7** DUE: Preliminary annotated bibliography #2 (Minimum of 15 sources)

**-WINTER BREAK-**

**January 4** HD Monday Lesson: How do I layout what my project will look like? 

**January 7** Backboard Construction Day, 10:00-2:00 pm in the Quad!

**January 8** DUE: Supplemental annotated bibliography #3 (Minimum of 20 sources. (Photographs/Maps/Graphs due)

**January 11** HD Monday Lesson: How do I write a Process Paper?

**January 18** Student interviews, project evaluations, and research check.

**January 19** DUE: Written Material, Title Page, Process Paper (final draft Attach editor signature page) & Annotated Bibliography (Minimum of 20 sources – at least 10 primary)

**January 19** DUE: All Projects are due in the gym. (Class time is available to make final adjustments. 6th and 7th grade students preview projects.)

**January 20** School History Day (Judges screen projects for County Competition.)

**January 21** School NHD Community Showcase (Student Presentations/Parent Night)

**January 29** County History Day Registration

**February 12** Documentaries/Papers/Websites Due

**March 5** County History Day