***“THE BATTLE ROYALE”***

**LOUIS XIV vs. PETER THE GREAT**

You (alone or with a partner) are tasked with comparing, assessing and evaluating Louis XIV and Peter the Great. You will create a Google Slide presentation which presents information and visuals for each monarch, satisfying the following categories. Finally, you will make a final evaluation as to which monarch you believe is “better.”

Your presentation must include the following for each of the two monarchs:

1. An **image** of each monarch **(1e=2)**
2. The name of the **country** each monarch ruled along with a map showing the country and where it was located. **(2e=4)**
3. **Dates:** year each monarch was born, began ruling and died. **(3e=6)**
4. Name of each monarch’s **family dynasty (1e=2)**
5. A **family tree** for each family **(2e=4)**
6. An image of each monarch’s **magnificent palace** accompanied by a description of each. **(3e=6)**
7. **DOMESTIC POLICY** – For each monarch, provide **TWO examples** of domestic policies or actions accompanied by a brief explanation for each policy as well as the impact/effect or outcome. Include a picture or image with a descriptive caption for each action/policy. ***DOMESTIC POLICY: Identify & explain examples of actions, laws or policies that affected the people, society, and/or economy. Identify significant taxes, economic plans, religious and cultural policies within the nation/region ruled.* (8e=16)**
8. **FOREIGN POLICY –** For each monarch, provide TWO examples of foreign policies or actions accompanied by a brief explanation for each policy as well as the impact/effect or outcome. Include a picture or image with a descriptive caption for each action/policy. ***FOREIGN POLICY: Identify & explain examples of actions, policies, wars, treaties, colonial plans/acquisitions or territorial expansion that affected the country’s relationship with other nations of Europe or the world.*** **(8e=16)**
9. Identify and describe each monarch’s **greatest/ most celebrated accomplishment** which was a benefit to the country & people. Include a picture or image with a descriptive caption. **(4e=8)**
10. Identify & describe the monarch’s the **biggest criticism, or harmful/dangerous action or failure** which the ruler was at fault for. Include a picture or image with a descriptive caption. **(4e=8)**
11. **FINAL EVALUATION:** Identify which monarch you believe was “better.” Describe at least **THREE reasons** why you believe one was a better ruler than the other, supported by evidence. **(4)**

**\*\*\*Will count as 50% of your assessment grade for Chapter 21**

**The remaining being a quiz.\*\*\***