

# California State Report

## People

### **Due Sept 30th**

(All five topics below require a ½ page written or typed)

- Junipero Serra (use Google)
- Juan Rodriquez Cabrillo (use Google)
- John Sutter (use Google)
- William Mulholland (use Google)
- Gold Rush Entrepreneurs p.192/193 (textbook)

## Visitors Guide

### **Due Oct. 7th**

(Both topics are required)

- Places to visit (1/2 a page written or typed)
- Annual events (1/2 a page written or typed)

## Land and Climate

### **Due Oct. 21st**

(All eight topics are required)

- Land regions (one page written – include all 4 regions) p. 22 (textbook)
- Coastal People (1/2 a page written)  
p.48-49 (textbook)
- Mountain People (1/2 a page written)
- Desert People (1/2 a page written)
- Death Valley (1/2 a page written  
and include color graph) p.26 (textbook)
- Rivers and lakes  
(1/2 a page written)

## Land and Climate (continued)

- Plant & animal life  
(1/2 a page written)
- Climate (1/2 a page written) p.20 (textbook)

## Economy

### **Due Nov. 11th**

(Choose four topics only and write a ½ page on each topic you chose)

- Natural resources p. 30=31 (textbook)
- water resources (how does CA. get its water?)  
p. 414 (text)
- Service industry p.408 (textbook)
- Manufacturing
- Trade p.370-371 (textbook)
- Agriculture (Use Google)
- Technology & Silicon Valley p. 371 (text)
- Electric industry (use Google)
- Transportation (use Google)
- Mission Configuration (how were the missions set up?) p.100-101(textbook and Geddescafe website)

## History

**Due Nov. 25**

(All ten topics are required)

(Write one paragraph for each topic below)

- Statehood (one paragraph) p. 202
- Women who built CA. p.204-205 (textbook)
- State flag (one paragraph) p. R7 (textbook)
- State seal (one paragraph) p. R6 (textbook)
- State bird (one paragraph)
- State flower (one paragraph) p. R7 (textbook)
- State tree (one paragraph) p. R7 (textbook)
- State motto (one paragraph) p. R6 (textbook)
- State song (one paragraph) p. R6 (textbook)
- The Gold Rush p. 172 (textbook)
- El Camino Real – include color map  
p. 112-113 (textbook)

In the **Land and Climate** category, please include the following in your report. (Use Google)

- Sq. Area (How big is your state?)
- Elevation (above sea level)
- Coastline (how many miles long)
- Record high temperature
- Record low temperature

## Government

**Due Dec. 9th**

(Choose four topics and write  $\frac{1}{2}$  a page on each topic)

- Calif. constitution p.398-399 (textbook)
- Executive p. 398-401 (textbook)
- Legislature p. 398-401 (textbook)
- Local Government p. 402 (textbook)
- Indian Reservations p.216 (textbook)
- Missions
- Presidios

Where are the following cities located? Look up the latitude and longitude and create a list. (Use Google)

1. San Jose
  2. Bakersfield
  3. San Diego
  4. Los Angeles
  5. San Francisco
  6. San Jose
  7. Baldwin Park
- Pgs. R44-R49 (text)

*Please be sure to follow the guidelines when writing your report. Some categories require that you  $\frac{1}{2}$  page reports while others only require one paragraph. Some categories do not require reports on all subtopics.*