

WHAP!! Kiddie Book, 1100 1500

Create a Kids Book on a topic in World History, 1100 - 1500

Option one: Steal an existing character

e.g.: *Oliwia Emancipates the Slaves*

or: *Curious George and the Man in the Yellow Hat get Yellow Fever in the Belgian Congo*

or: *The Cat in the Hat Claims Chinese Ports as Colonies*

or: *British Industry...One Hungry Caterpillar*

Option two: Create new character(s)

Topics (could include but does not have to be from the list):

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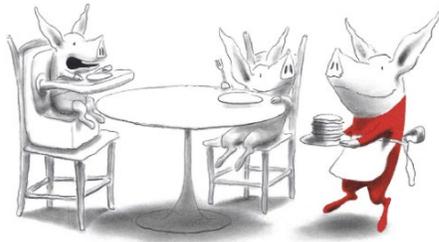
Don't restrict yourself to Europe (because it is overrated, too much drama, too white)

There are 5 other inhabitable continents, after all.

Story ideas might include:

Crusades, travelling the Silk Road, building a Gothic Cathedral, dying of the plague, start of the Renaissance, trading in the Indian Ocean

DIRECTIONS:



Before school, Olivia likes to make pancakes for her new little brother, William, and her old little brother, Ian.

A picture, a sentence, next page.

Minimum 40 pages, includes title page, copyright page and an "About the Author" page

Images can either be hand drawn or copy/pasted

Your kid's book should accurately, factually reflect the historic topic you have chosen without freaking out any children. **DO NOT TRAUMATISE ANY CHILDREN.**

Give page numbers

It should LOOK like a kid's book (see example at left)

On a separate document, give a two to four page summary (all WHAP-like) of the topic

COLOR IS A MUST

Sources included at end of summary

This **MUST** be your own work

“About the Author Page”



Alyssa Kirk would like you to know this is not her best side She graduated from Parsons School of Design (with Honors) and has been writing kiddie books for the last 25 years. She likes to play softball and paraglide. She has performed with the Laker Girls and “Barney Live.” She lives in Martha’s Vineyard with her husband

Shawn Mendes and her 27

cats.

About the Author should be one paragraph long and must be between 25 and 100% factual.

- clever
- clean
- funny