**Valentine’s Day**

**Project**

**As Valentine’s Day has been celebrated with great passion since Queen Victoria’s time, you are hereby assigned to create a Valentine on the topic of European History.**

**Choose one of the following options:**

***OPTION 1:* Select 2 individual people in history: to receive and send Valentines. They may be friends or they may be enemies/competitors. They don’t have to be from the same time period. Choose 1 name from each list given.**

 **List 1 List 2**

 **Henry VIII Martin Luther**

 **Michelangelo Pope Julius II**

 **Louis XIV Peter the Great**

 **Galileo Gutenberg**

 **Queen Elizabeth Joan of Arc**

 **Shakespeare Columbus**

 **Rousseau John Locke**

 **Napoleon Metternich**

 **Marx Adam Smith**

 **Robespierre Marie Antoinette**

 **Catherine the Great Maria Theresa**

 **Richelieu Machiavelli**

 **Darwin Malthus**

 **Newton Copernicus**

***OPTION 2:* Choose 2 groups of people to send Valentines for. Choose one group from each list.**

 **List 1 List 2**

 **Lutherans Calvinists**

 **Catholic popes Anabaptists**

 **Enlightenment authors Renaissance artists**

**European explorers European kings**

 **Jacobins Middle-class mothers**

 **England France**

 **Spain Germany**

 **Child factory workers Luddites**

 **Nationalists Romantics**

 **Liberals Conservatives**

**\*\*\*IF you have any other ideas for people or group you must get my approval first!!!!\*\*\***

**Then, write a clever verse or poem\* that each would send to the other which brings in historical information about the two, but still relates to love or admiration if possible. It must be at least 8 lines and have historical references.**

**Design one beautiful, creative card (one from each person or group to the other). Create it to look romantic or design it so that it relates to the relationship of the two topics/people. No larger than an 8.5x11 piece of paper.**

**Due Date : Friday February 16 (to be displayed in class.)**

**\* NO Roses are Red…**

**Violets are Blue**

**Poems do NOT have to rhyme.**

**You will be graded on**

1. **the creativity of your verse/poem (10 pts)**
2. **historical references (20 pts)**
3. **card design (cards may be handmade or computer generated) (10 pts)**

**This project will be worth 40 points**

***Cards are due at the beginning of class on the due date. Not in your locker, car, your mom is bringing it later, etc.***