Early Humans Project Grade 8 Social Studies

Due Date: Thursday October 19th, 2017

* Create a tool, weapon, clothing, accessory or useful device that would have been made and used by early humans.
* You may only use material that would have been available to an early human. (rocks, sticks, branches, twine, leather… as natural as possible!) **Remember that early humans did not have access to hardware stores!**
* After you have completed building your model, you will write two paragraphs about it.

Paragraphs

1. Model explanation:
   1. Introduce your model and explain what you made,
   2. List the materials you used, and the steps to make it,
   3. Explain what it would or could be used for, and
   4. Explain the problems or challenges you had while building it.
2. Write a paragraph explaining what limitations early humans had because of their lack of technology.

Assessment:

**/ 10 Critical thinking:**

* + Creative model made using only natural materials and tools that would have been available to early humans.

**/ 15 Knowledge and Understanding:**

* + Written explanation includes materials list, steps, uses and challenges.
  + Connections to early human development & resources