

## WRITING ASSIGNMENT - HISTORYATOURHOUSE - Jr/Sr High

DUE: Wednesday, before class! (Earlier is better!)

The students are assigned a paragraph length explanation of the main connection between the present and the ancient past. To help them focus their writing an introductory sentence is provided...

*“The United States of America today is a republic that people call a democracy, and both of these ideas come from the ancient world.”*

Students should use this sentence as the first sentence of their paragraph, unless they feel strongly that they are in full command of the theme and would rather stylize the introduction in their own words.

The remainder of the paragraph was outlined by the class in class, and students were assigned note-taking in order to prepare for writing. If need be, students can refer to the class recording of lecture 9 to get any material they need to help them complete the assignment.

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