

Writing the Progressive Research Paper

What will the end product look like?

3-5 Pages Typed- in 12 font Times New Roman and double spaced. Your last name and page number is typed in upper right corner (title page does not count as one of the pages).

Title page- title of reform in center of page and put your name, class period, Ms. Cantwell, and due date in lower right corner (see sample on back).

10 or more parenthetical citations-after written information taken from resources put a parenthesis with Noodle Bib's proper citation (this is usually author's last name and book page number or if no author, then "title of article"). The period comes after the parenthesis.*

Works Cited-this is the last page and will appear at the end of the 3-5 pages typed and will be printed from Noodle Bib. Do not change the Noodle Bib format. It should be in alphabetical order and double spaced. Your last name and page number should also be typed in the upper right corner.

Paragraph Setup

This is just like the DBQ format with thesis sentence, topic sentences, and transition sentences. Instead of document number in the parenthesis you will use the Noodle Bib citation in parenthesis.

Introduction Paragraph-using the historical context briefly mention the time period, your specific problems, and reforms that you researched. The thesis sentence should be the last one or two sentences of this paragraph.

Problems' paragraphs-write about the problems that occurred during the 1800's or due to the Rise of Industry in America (this could be 1-2 paragraphs).

Progressive reforms' paragraphs-write about the leaders or groups of the reform discussing any specific changes or new reform laws passed (this could be 2-3 paragraphs).

Success of the Reform paragraphs-write about how successful was your specific reform movement in bringing about change for the better (this could be 1-2 paragraphs).

*Remember to use at least 10 or more varied parenthetical citations throughout the paper.

Child Labor Reform during the Progressive Era

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