

Industrial Revolution Assignment- Days 115-117

You have a choice of creating:

- 1) A research paper.
- 2) A video, similar to ones I make at the end of classes. (<https://screencast-o-matic.com/>)
- 3) A presentation software of your choosing besides PowerPoint or Google Slides.
(<https://business.tutsplus.com/articles/online-free-presentation-software--cms-30002>)

These are the seven areas of research that relate to the Industrial Revolution and I want you to research and answer these questions in your assignment. I also need a bibliography of sources if you choose options #1 and #3. Use class Moodle page if you are struggling to find reputable sources.

1. What are the philosophical differences between capitalism and communism? What role did capitalism play in the growth and fueling of the Industrial Revolution? How is it more conducive for innovation and economic growth?
2. Explain the two concepts of interchangeable parts and economies of scale. How were these vital to the Industrial Revolution? Provide two real-world examples.
3. What happened to the world population between the years 1750-1945? How did industrialism contribute to this change?
4. What is the history of labor unions in the United States? How did they usher in the era of the working class? Saying Michigan is a, "Right to Work" state, what does that mean and how do you think it effected unions?
5. One consequence of industrialism was mechanized warfare. How many people were killed in the 20th century? What weapons were created that contributed to this unprecedented killing?
6. Using the United States as a case study, what groups of people, or major waves (there are four of them) migrated to the United States from other places in the world during the Industrial Revolution? (1750-1945) Why was this diversity a strength to our economic growth?
7. The Industrial Revolution was born in England but soon spread all over the world. In particular, it took over Russia, Japan, the United States, Germany, and France, in addition to Britain. However, they all shared some commonalities. Please show how the Industrial Revolution affected the following:
 - A. Impact on Women and Children.
 - B. Impact on people of color.
 - C. Environmental impacts and usage of fossil fuels.
 - D. Social problems caused by urbanization.
 - E. Detroit, Michigan