***MT 8 Level 4 Project choices***

***WWI and the 1920’s***

1. *Investigate America’s reluctance to get involved in a European war. The US had just spent many of the last 60 years getting involved in international matters, going to war with Spain, etc… and then we go into an isolationist bubble. Why did this occur? And what drew us out of the cocoon to get into the fighting? Does this connect to any war since this time, or a current war?*
2. *Analyze the civil rights changes during the 1920’s. What changes occurred and why did they occur? What was the reaction of the country as a whole to the violations of civil rights that occurred? Compare and contrast this time period with the time period right after the attack on Pearl Harbor, and or, the attacks on the Twin Towers on 9/11.*
3. *Analyze the evolution of women’s rights in the US from 1789-1920. How long did women fight to get the right to vote? Why was it so important that they get this right? How did they go about pushing for this right? What changes occurred due to the new found freedom to get involved in politics and have their voices heard on a national stage?*
4. *Examine the effect that new technologies had on the people of the 1920’s. Use at least 4 different inventions and the changes that occurred due to their invention. Then compare the changes brought about by the new technologies of the 1920’s to technologies today. People always say technology is so different and better today, but has our lives changed more than those in the 1920’s or less. Be able to defend your answer.*