## 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Music Artist Research Project (PowerPoint version)

## **Instructions:**

Instead of filling out the research page, you may create a PowerPoint presentation that contains the same information. You presentation should be at least 9 slides long, each covering one of the questions from the research project.

- Title: Title slide with artist's full name, date of birth, pictures
- Top Songs: List the artist's top 5 songs & year of release, pictures
- Albums: List the artist's albums & year of release, pictures of some of the albums
- Backstory: Pictures of artist before they were famous, describe their early life, interests, etc.
- Inspiration: List your artist's inspiration, include pictures of the bands that inspired them
- **How they became Famous:** How did your artist become famous? Describe the events that lead to your artist becoming famous, include pictures
- **Genre:** What genre is your artist's music considered? Does your artist bring anything new to the genre? Include pictures if similar artists.
- Why do you like this artist?
- Works cited page at the end list all the websites you used for the project

Each slide is worth 3 points for content and effort.

Projects are due on the final day of the marking period, either emailed to Mr. Schaefer @ <a href="mailto:eschaefer@wpschools.org">eschaefer@wpschools.org</a> or saved to the 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Music Artist Research Project folder on the S drive.