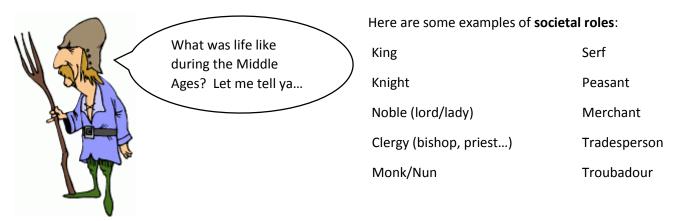
# Medieval Character Project

What was life like for different people living in Europe during the Middle Ages?

To explore this question, you will be choosing a **societal role** during this period, and will create a character based on their role in society.



You will research and find information about this person's *food, clothing, house, job/duties, responsibilities, rights/privileges, entertainment & fun, and any other interesting facts!* 

You will use this information to create some kind of product (poem, song, sketches/artwork, slideshow) which will teach the rest of the class about your character and his/her role in medieval society.



# **Steps:**

Decide which societal role your character will have and <b>sign up</b>
Fill out the "organizer" with information from the textbook, or internet resources
When you have gathered all of your information, decide how you want to present your character; what kind of
"product" will you create? (BE CREATIVE!)
Come see me so I can check over your information and approve your "product" choice
Create your product
Decide how you will present it orally
Practice presentation for at least one friend (or a small group) and complete peer-assessment.
Present your character to the class
Complete the <b>self-assessment</b> , hand in your product, and celebrate all of your hard work ©

# **Product Ideas:**

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Journal entries PowerPoint/Prezi Rap/song Acting/role-playing

Video Story Popplet Your choice...

## **Resources:**

- Print resources provided in class
- Visit <u>www.missbecksclass.weebly.com</u> to see a list of website resources for this project

# Pathways textbook:

Peasants (commoners, serfs, tradespeople, villeins, etc..)

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Nobles (Lord/lady of the manor)

• p. 50-53

## Monks/Nuns

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## **Knights**

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## Merchants/tradespeople

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<sup>\*</sup>Even if you choose a visual or written product, you must orally present it to the class in some way so that we can summarize the main points about your character.