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Travel Brochure of Constantinople

The year is 600 C.E. It's a relaxing Sunday afternoon and you are munching on toast and reading the newspaper. You come across a "Help Wanted" ad in the Classified section. *Tours & Co.* is in need of an experienced, knowledgeable and articulate tour guide to teach tourists about the city of Constantinople during medieval times.

The responsibility of a tour guide is to lead a group of tourists to various important sites and share information about the culture and history of each site. In lieu of a formal interview, *Tours & Co.* has requested that job candidates submit an original travel brochure. The travel brochure, which includes images and descriptions of sites, would be given to potential tourists to prepare them and teach them about the location that they will soon visit.

The creator of the most informative and interesting product will be hired as a tour guide for *Tours & Co.* You finish your breakfast and get right to work creating your product!

Follow these steps to create a brochure for *Tours & Co.*

1. Include information on the following topics and locations.

Layout of the city	Markets	Social services (hospitals, orphanages, etc.)	Hippodrome stadium	Byzantine church
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2. Research each chosen topic and site. In your notebook, write down eight interesting facts per topic. Be sure that your notes are in your own words!

3. If you're creating a brochure, include the following requirements:

Cover Page:

- * An image to represent ancient Constantinople.
- * A 4 - 5 sentence introduction to the history and culture of Constantinople.

Body Pages - On each body page of your brochure include:

- * An image to represent each chosen topic / location.
- * Write 6 - 8 sentences describing the main ideas of each topic / location.

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Rubric: Travel Brochure

Category	Exceeds Expectations	Meets Expectations	Approaching Expectations	Does Not Meet Expectations
Development of Ideas	Includes rich and specific evidence. Everything is explained fully and completely.	Includes specific evidence that is almost all fully explained.	Evidence is occasionally not specific enough and needs further explanation.	A lot more evidence is needed. Almost all areas need more explanation.
Images	Exceptionally detailed and colorful. Show exceptional effort.	Neat, detailed and colorful.	Can be neater, more colorful and include more details.	Can be much neater, more colorful and show much more effort.
Layout and Design	The poster is exceptionally attractive in terms of design, layout, organization and neatness. Exceptionally creative.	The poster is attractive in terms of design, layout, and neatness. Creative.	The poster is acceptably attractive though it could be neater. Can be more creative.	The poster is minimally attractive due to its design, layout, and messiness. Little attention was paid to creativity.
Mechanics	0 - 1 errors in spelling, grammar and punctuation.	2 - 3 errors in spelling, grammar or punctuation.	4 - 5 errors in spelling, grammar or punctuation.	6+ errors in spelling, grammar or punctuation.

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