**Feudalism Project**

You are a Medieval Lord who owns his/her own manor! Complete the following tasks for a test Grade.

I. **Design your manor (50 points)**

Design your own Feudal manor. Your manor must be neat, hand-drawn or designed on a computer, in color, and must include: (extra credit for a model built- up to 25 points)

1. Lord’s Castle
2. Serfs’ Cottages
3. A Church
4. A Blacksmith
5. A Forest
6. Farmland
7. An Orchard
8. A Stream
9. A Pond
10. Roads

II. **Create a contract (25 points)**

Draw up a contract between yourself (the lord of the manor) and a vassal (one of your serfs). Make sure you include:

* The Responsibilities and Obligations of the Serf (What is he/she expected to do for you?)
* Your own Obligations to the Serf (What do you provide him/her?)
* Signatures of both the Vassal and yourself agreeing to the contract (Make up the Vassal’s signature or have someone else sign)

III. **A Letter (25 points)**

You have found a letter from one of your serfs to his/her best friend who lives at another manor. What does the letter say? Write it in the first person as if you were the serf, and Include:

* What kind of work you do on a normal day
* What restrictions the lord places on you
* What you eat
* Where you live