**Project Preparation Questions**

**Chief Diplomat**

**5 member group**

**Directions:** Answer the following questions concerning the powers associated with the President’s role as Chief Diplomat.

**III**

1. What is the role of the President at Chief Diplomat? (1 slide)

**I**

2a. What is the main goal of diplomacy? (1)

b. What are some ways the President and/or his advisors might try to accomplish this goal?

(2 examples)

3. What member of the White House Staff is the President’s chief advisor on foreign affairs? (1+)

Provide examples of how this person advises the President daily. (2-3 examples)

**II**

4. What cabinet department is in charge of conducting US foreign policy for the president? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(1)

What cabinet member is the president's chief representative in foreign relations? (2 examples)

Provide examples of how this person serves the President. (2-4 examples)

5. The President is responsible for establishing the policies and the type of relationship the United States will have with another nation. Provide an example of a policy with a friendly nation, and an example of a policy with a nation with whom the United States is not friendly. (2-4 examples)

**III**

6a. Who does the president select to help carry out his foreign policy wishes with each individual nation? How do these people serve the president? (2 examples, be sure examples demonstrate helping President).

b. Who do other nations send to the US to carry out their foreign policy goals? What role does the President/Executive Branch play in that arrangement? (2)

**IV**

7. Who does the President select to represent the US at the United Nations? How does this person serve the President? (2)

8a. The president is responsible for negotiating many different types of treaties. List at least 3 different types.

(3 different types. More slides if you show multiple examples).

b. What must happen to a negotiated treaty to make it "official"? (1)

**V**

9. The president often attends summits with other foreign nations to deal with a variety of issues. Identify 3 different summits and explain the purpose of each summit. (3 examples).

10. The President/Executive Branch may serve as a mediator between hostile or unfriendly nations. Provide 2 examples of how the President and/or his staff carry out this role. (2+)