Great Thinkers Research Quiz

How well have you researched your Great Thinker? This is an open note, closed book quiz.

Name _____

The Personal Life of your Great Thinker:

What is the name of your Great Thinker? (Yes, spelling counts!)

When and where were you born?

What are the names of your parents and siblings?

What level of education did you accomplish? (Graduated from? Self taught?)

Did you marry? Name your spouse and any children:

Choose one additional question to answer:

- Describe your early life in one word; then tell why you chose that word.
- □ Briefly tell one story or piece of trivia from your early life.
- Describe one thing from your childhood that might have led to your later accomplishments.

The Work of your Great Thinker:

Were you recognized in any way for your work during your lifetime (awards, positions, patents...) or were you only recognized after your death? Explain.

In one sentence, tell why you are a Great Thinker.

What are some of the characteristics/qualities you possess that make you a Great Thinker?

What impact did your work have on the world? How did your work make the world a richer, better place?

Who did your work impact?

The World of your Great Thinker:

Name another Great Thinker who worked during your time period.

Name one world event that might have impacted your Great Thinker.

Choose one additional question to answer:

- □ Name another Great Thinker whose work would have influenced you. Explain.
- □ Name a future Great Thinker who might have been influenced by the work you did. Explain.
- □ Describe a social situation of the time period and explain how that would have made your Great Thinker's work more difficult. (Example: women's rights at that time, treatment of minorities at that time, laws, expectations...)

The Trivia of your Great Thinker:

Share a brief, interesting story piece of interesting trivia about your Great Thinker: