

Chinese Philosopher RAFT Project

Role: You are an ancient philosopher (you may choose which one)

Audience: The president (you may choose which one)

Format: A letter

Topic: How his philosophy can help the United States

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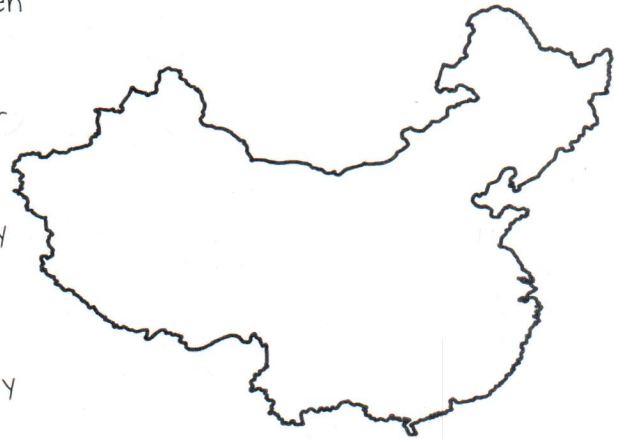
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Help Wanted Ad: Ancient Chinese Philosopher Needed

Introduction:

You live in ancient China and you have been chosen by the emperor to design a Help Wanted Ad for one of the following Chinese philosophies:

Legalism, Daoism or Confucianism. Your emperor is hoping to hire a philosopher to guide people in the chosen philosophy. Your task is to create a Help Wanted Ad describing the chosen philosophy with a focus on the teachings of the philosophy. Your goal is to make the job appealing so people will want to become philosophers. Be sure to explain the job accurately so qualified people apply for the job. Make the Help Wanted Ad visually appealing so people are drawn to it and notice it.



Requirements:

Include the following components in your Help Wanted Ad:

- ✓ Title
- ✓ At least three characteristics required to be a philosopher of the chosen philosophy.
- ✓ A 5 – 8 sentence description of the chosen philosophy, with a focus on at least three teachings. This part of the advertisement serves as the job description.
- ✓ A 3 – 5 sentence description of the founder of the chosen philosophy (you want to be sure that the job applicant has an understanding of the origins of the philosophy). See the list of founders below:

Confucius – Confucianism	Laozi – Daoism	Han Feizi – Legalism
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- ✓ At least three original illustrations that relate to the above information.
- ✓ Additional, decorative details to get people to notice your advertisement.