

# U.S. Military in New Zealand Guide Assignment and Rubric

It is May 1943. You are a liaison officer with U.S. military in New Zealand. Using what you know of behavior and activities of U.S. troops in New Zealand, draft a guide for servicemen in New Zealand. In this guide, you should address four major challenges faced by the U.S. military in New Zealand and how those problems can be addressed.

Your two-page (minimum) guide must cite specific textual evidence when explaining challenges, and justifications for the guidelines.

Submit your World War II Outline Map as part of your assessment

	Advanced	Proficient	Basic	Emerging
<b>Geography</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>–The map correctly identifies all required locations. The map contains a key that identifies Allied and Axis Powers.</li> <li>–The map contains labeled and correctly estimated distances between the U.S., Hawaii, the Philippines, and New Zealand.</li> <li>–The map reflects detailed work (no spelling mistakes) and precise measurements.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>–The map correctly identifies most required locations. The map contains a key that identifies Allied and Axis Powers.</li> <li>–The map contains labeled and correctly estimated distances between the U.S., Hawaii, the Philippines, and New Zealand.</li> <li>–The map reflects solid work (few spelling mistakes) and/or careful measurements.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>–The map correctly identifies some required locations. The map contains a key that identifies Allied and Axis Powers (but may contain errors).</li> <li>–The map contains labeled distances between the U.S., Hawaii, the Philippines, and New Zealand.</li> <li>–The map reflects work (some spelling mistakes) and/or some measurement errors.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>–The map correctly identifies few required locations. The map lacks a key that identifies Allied and Axis Powers.</li> <li>–The map does not include labeled distances between the U.S., Hawaii, the Philippines, and New Zealand.</li> <li>–The map reflects minimal effort (significant spelling mistakes) and/or major measurement errors.</li> </ul>
<b>Purpose of Guide</b>	The guide includes a clearly defined purpose.	The guide includes a defined purpose.	The guide includes a weak attempt at a purpose.	The guide is more summary and does not include a defined purpose.
<b>Historical Evidence</b>	The guide contains four or more identifiable primary or secondary source documents integrated into the narrative.	The guide contains three identifiable primary or secondary source documents integrated into the narrative.	The guide contains two identifiable primary or secondary source documents integrated into the narrative.	The guide contains one or no identifiable primary or secondary source documents integrated into the narrative.
<b>Accuracy</b>	The guide reveals a deep understanding of the challenges facing the U.S. military in New Zealand. There are no factual errors or major omissions.	The guide reveals a solid understanding of the challenges facing the U.S. military in New Zealand. There are few factual errors or major omissions.	The guide reveals some understanding of the challenges facing the U.S. military in New Zealand. There are some factual errors	The guide reveals a poor understanding of the challenges facing the U.S. military in New Zealand. There are significant errors and
<b>Professional Product</b>	The guide is coherent and convincing with no spelling or grammatical mistakes.	The guide is coherent and convincing with few spelling or grammatical mistakes.	The guide is generally coherent and convincing with some spelling or grammatical mistakes.	The guide is not coherent and contains significant spelling and/or grammatical mistakes.