

Assignment 1: Discussion Questions

THIS ASSIGNMENT IS TO BE COMPLETED BY EACH INDIVIDUAL, NOT AS A GROUP.

As you research your presentation topic, keep a list of possible discussion questions. These questions should not all relate directly to your topic. Many will be suggested by ideas that run parallel to or on a tangent from your discussion topic.

For the assignment, you will turn in a list of 5 discussion questions. If possible, keep related questions together by theme. Even better, find discussion questions that fall into the areas covered by the character education committee, ie. scholarship, courage, discipline, etc.

Due date is classtime, Monday, February 13, 2012.

Opportunity 1: Podcast

THIS OPPORTUNITY IS ONLY OPEN ON AN INDIVIDUAL, NOT GROUP, BASIS.

The character education committee wants your podcasts. So do I. You want extra credit. I'm willing to make it available. Here's how:

- ⇒ Create a 3-5 minute podcast. It can be video or audio only.
- ⇒ It has to be connected to one of the theme areas from the character ed committee. Don't know them? Do a little looking around; they're posted around the school.
- ⇒ The podcast must tie to or include some discussion questions (see assignment above) AND tie in some way to your TOK presentation.
- ⇒ Podcasts submitted that really tie into character ed ideas will be submitted to them for use across the school.

That's it. Now the pay off. If you create a podcast by the deadline, you can receive 1% of your term grade as bonus. Create a podcast by the deadline that ties to a character ed theme, you can receive 2%. Create a podcast by the deadline that ties to your TOK presentation AND a character ed theme and receive up to 3%. Finally, create a podcast by the deadline that ties to character ed, your TOK presentation and is accepted and used by the committee, you can receive up to 5% of your term grade as bonus.

The deadline for submission to Dibler is 9:30 am, Sunday, February 19, 2012.