**Essential Question**: How can I help end one of the biggest human rights violations of our time?

**Assignment: ( Choose ONE human rights issue and complete ONE project below)**

Volunteer

* + 5 hours minimum
  + Must receive formal documentation/ show proof of volunteer work (a signed letter from the organization)
  + Must have a photo journal to accompany the project with a minimum of 15 photos documenting your experience (individual creative control)
  + Must identify volunteer place in the proposal
  + Many places require you to volunteer with a parent if you are under 16

Fundraising

* + Must raise a minimum of $100 dollars for the cause
  + 10 givers minimum ($10 minimum donation)
  + Must keep track of all donations
  + Funds must go directly to the organization (try crowdrise.com)
  + No Gofundme accounts will be allowed
  + **Must have proof of donated money to organization of choice**
* Must have documentation of active and ongoing process to raise money
  + Organizations must be established and must be identified in the proposal

Infographic/ Public Service Announcement OR Documentary Creation of new social media account

* + Create an infographic **AND** a public service announcement (2-4 minutes)
  + Infographic should be professionally printed and included in your final presentation
  + **OR** 8-10-minute documentary
  + You need to research the difference between the PSA and documentary
  + Include a variety of facts/ information regarding the human rights issue
  + Include visual artifacts and/or pictures/photos
  + Should be posted to a platform that will get your information out to society
  + Will be graded for creativity, visual presentation, and information conveyed

**Project Steps:**

* Goal Setting:
  + Inquiry process and research
  + Goal Creation
  + Project Pitch Presentation
* Ted Style Talk Presentation (graded 100 pts)
  + 5-6 minutes
  + Follows TED Talk Commandments
* Implementation
  + Write formal declaration
  + Implement plan according to goal setting and timeline
  + Reflection writings to process successes/failures/learning
* Visual component

**Due Date (subject to change at teacher discretion) and Grades:**

* **Project Pitch**: Due May \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_\_ as needed) (names will be pulled to designate day) 30 points
  + 3-6 slide PowerPoint
    - Hook
    - Motivation
    - Timeline and Resources
    - Goal
  + 2-3 minutes (note cards may be used)
  + Q & A
  + Informal dress
* **Reflective Journals** – April \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, May \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ , May \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ - 3 journals at 30 pts each
  + Should be typed and printed
  + Should establish voice
  + Include the word count (not counting name & title)
  + The first journal should be at least 150 words and the word count should increase every journal (this should be a personal goal)
* **Final Presentation—**May \_\_\_\_\_\_- \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_\_\_ as needed) - --120pts
  + 5-6 minutes
  + Organization (hook, transitions, logical order, effective conclusion)
  + Delivery (refined, poised, & enthusiastic)
  + Formal dress
  + Formal presentation (limited to no use of note cards)
  + Use TED Commandments

**\*\*\*In-class viewing day**-On May 21st, we will view any documentaries and PSAs that were created.

*\*\*\*Include personal touches, creative aspects, individualized components that will not only make this project yours, but will help you to enjoy it even through the obstacles (there will be obstacles)! Let this project be something meaningful and not just something to get “through”.*

*Collaborate with like-minds to see what is working and not working for them. Use the project to project your student-voice!\*\*\**

Proposal Presentation – your presentation should include the following. You need to have a typed outline of your pitch. You should add your project pitch slide to the class presentation. You slide should include the same information that is on your printed outline. **Do NOT change the entire presentation as this will impact others in the class!!! ONLY make changes to your individual slide**

***The shareable link is on the blog***

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| Slide 1: Title Slide   1. Should have your name 2. The title of your project   *The title should not just be your issue*   1. Include an image on this slide 2. Research (Why is this issue important/relevant?)   *What is the current problem…?*  *Identify research that you have found that proves why this project is necessary and how it can possibly help society* |
| Slide 2: Goal Statement (include your name and the title of your project)  The What behind your project?  My project will…(be specific as possible—should include specific and measurable aspect of the goal)  **S**pecific  **M**easurable  **A**ttainable  **R**elevant  **T**imely  Why?  I want to do this project because…  **Resources**  I will tentatively need these resources in order to accomplish this goal… |

**Slides one and two need to demonstrate cohesion between the two as it will be added to the class presentation.**

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| Slide 1 |
| Slide 2 |

**Project Pitch Planning Form**

Name\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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| Slide 1 | Slide 2 |
| Slide 3 | Slide 4 |
| Slide 5 | Slide 6 |
| Slide 7 (if needed) | Slide 8 (if needed) |

Human Rights Project Proposal Brainstorming Sheet