Community Service Reflection Instructions

Liberty Union High School District Requires that all seniors taking American Government or Economics must complete 15 hours of Community Service and reflect upon these 15 hours. Students must submit a written reflection essay or PowerPoint presentation.

Written Reflection Essay Option

- 1 ½ Page Double Spaced Essay
- Times New Roman, 12-point font, 1-inch margins
- Name, Title, Class, Period, and Date
- Accommodations/Modifications for students with additional needs (SWANS)

What is to be in the essay?

- Describe the service or services you provided.
- Describe the organization(s) (where you earned your hours) and describe how this/these organization(s) is/are part of the community.
- What goal or goals does this organization, or these organizations have to benefit the community?
- How did your service benefit this/these organizations to achieve their goal(s) for the community and/or government?
    - Give two or more specific examples
- How were you benefited by this experience, other than just completing the assignment?
- Connect (from past experiences) when others in the community have helped you and show how your community service (can, may, or did) helped others.
- Conclusion
    - Any observations or positive comments
    - Will you do community service in the future?

PowerPoint Presentation Option

- 10-Page minimum PowerPoint Presentation
- Name, Title, Class, Period, and Date
- Include pictures
- Use Bullet Points/phrases instead of sentences. Explain bullet points and any connections. Do not just read from the screen.
- Maximum of 40 words per slide, do not put your essay on your presentation.
- Accommodations/Modifications for students with additional needs (SWANS)

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- Describe the service or services you provided
- Describe the organization(s) (where you earned your hours) and describe how this/these organization(s) is/are a part of the community.
- What goal or goals does this organization, or these organizations have to benefit the community?

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- How did your service benefit this/these organizations to achieve their goal(s) for the community and/or government?
    - Give two or more specific examples
- How were you benefited by this experience, other than just completing the assignment?

Slides 8-10

- Connect (from past experiences) when others in the community have helped you and show how your community service (can, may, or did) helped others.
- Conclusion
    - Any observations or positive comments
    - Will you do community service in the future?