



Assignment 3: Social Media and Me

Social Media is a wonderful way to connect with others: your peers, those in your local community, and in the larger global community. It can be used in positive ways to develop your social network. EVERYONE (who chooses to participate) has a voice on social media. However, having so much information can create confusion, and interacting online can have negative health impacts.

STOP! Before you begin this Assignment, watch this video.

https://youtu.be/UyWwX_VzIBY

INTRODUCTION:

For this assignment you will be making a **CREATIVE MEDIA PRESENTATION** that shows the connections you have made to the information given below. You will answer the questions and provide your own reflections. You may choose a presentation format of your choice. (Powtoon, Canva, Sway, Powerpoint, Google Slideshow, etc...) and post your completed presentation to your Blog.

STEPS:

Step 1: Consider the following information: Read and/or watch each of the resources below. For each section, there are questions listed. You will answer these questions in your Creative Media Presentation and then post that to your blog.

Section 1: Read this article: <https://bit.ly/2HXNOzh>

- How have social media platforms changed the way we consume and understand information?
- When you see or read “news” on social media, do you take time to research the story further?

Section 2: Watch this clip: <https://bit.ly/2unykti>

- What value do you get from online social interactions?
- How is social media and social capital helping to form youth culture?
- When you post online do you consider how the post may be seen by others? What it may say about you? Or how that post may be seen in the future?

Section 3: Consider this future: <https://tinyurl.com/ugo9xgn> 1:27 and <https://tinyurl.com/y7y9b3zg> 1:17

- Do you see any similarities between the world presented in this video and the world you live in?
- How does the main character gain and lose points? Why are these points important to her?
- What value might be derived from this type of social interaction?
- How are social interactions changed in the world of these clip?

Step 2: Make a CREATIVE MEDIA PRESENTATION to show the connections you made. You choose the format.

- Make a **Powtoon, Canva, Sway, Powerpoint, or Google Slideshow** to your understanding for the questions in Step 1. These answers should be more than a simple “yes” or “no.” Each section should demonstrate reflection on the resource and critical thinking about each of the questions.
- **Critical Thinking Core Competency Reflection:** Include a section in your Presentation that addresses these Questions:
 - How did you tell the difference between facts and interpretations, opinions and judgements?
 - How did you analyze evidence from different perspectives?

Step 3 : Share your work via Edublogs

- Add a New Post Called **Social Media and Me** and share your media.
- Add the hashtag **#Assignment3** to your post.

THIS ASSIGNMENT IS DUE ON March 3rd, 2021.

Check with your DL teacher for times that Block X is available if you need to come in to the classroom to work on this Assignment. You may also contact your teacher through TEAMS at any time.

Name: _____ Edublogs Handle: _____ Homeroom #: _____

Social Media and Me Rubric

In this rubric, please indicate the mark you think you earned, based on your work and understanding of the assignment.

	Not yet meeting... 1/3	Minimally meeting... 2/3	Fully Meeting... 3/3
Information Fluency Did you convey your understanding of the volume and accuracy of information available through social media?	I have answered all of the questions.	My responses demonstrate that I have reflected upon the selections and answered each question full. 3-5 sentences each.	My responses show that I have fully engaged with the material and linked my own life experience with what was presented.
Creative Fluency Were you able to create a Creative Media Presentation using a format of your choice? Was the chosen format effective for this type of assignment?	I have selected an appropriate medium to present my answers and reflection.	My responses to the questions and reflection on the selections demonstrates my understanding of the material.	My presentation clearly shows a thoughtful response to each of the selections and is presented in a clear and creative manner.
Media Fluency Were you able to successfully add a new post to your Edublog entitled Social Media and Me ?	I created a new post on my Blog for this assignment	I included my Creative Media Presentation embedded in my post.	I have Titled my post Social Media and Me. I have tagged my post with #assignmnet3.
Total Mark:			/9