**ASSIGNMENT 1: HOW TO SET UP**

**YOUR EDUBLOG**

***This assignment is designed to get you started in DL 10.***

***The blog is an essential piece to sharing your learning publicly.***

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1. **Access your Edublog account**

* Edublogs Manual Steps 2 - 3
* Log-on direct at [pmss.sd43.bc.ca](http://pmss.sd43.bc.ca/) using your network username (088-firstinitiallastname) and password.

1. **Create your first page**

* Edublogs Manual Steps 5 - 8
* On the “About me” page, write a paragraph to introduce yourself. Only share what you feel comfortable with and make sure you do not share any identifiable information such as your full name or where you live.

**3. Create your first blog posts**

* Edublogs Manual Steps 9 - 10
* You will create 1 blog post for each of the following (3 blogs posts in total):

1. Favourite YouTube clip (School appropriate)
2. Image of impact (Favourite picture)
3. Meaningful quote

* For each post:
  1. Explain (3-5 sentences minimum) why you selected these posts, how they are meaningful to you and how they show who you are as a person
  2. Cite the source of the media (include links, APA, **or** indicate that you are the originator)
  3. Tag each post with #assignment1

1. **Customize your blog (optional)**

* Edublogs Manual Steps 11 - 15
* Select another theme and update your header.

\*\*Please make sure you update the menu if you change your theme so that we can see it.\*\*

**Assessment**

In this task, you will be creating original content on your new blog!

* **Deadline: Friday, October 8, 2021**
* Please do your self-assessment by highlighting where you are on the rubric and share what you want us to notice. Then, submit your assignment via Teams.
* Upload your blog URL by clicking add work -> click link ->insert URL in web address-> attach
* The fluencies or big ideas we will be assessing for this assignment are Media and Creativity:

*Media - Be able to interpret and analyze media in order to both decode messages and create original content.*

*Creativity - Identify problems, develop, and generate ideas in new and imaginative ways to demonstrate learning.*

**RUBRIC - Self and Teacher Assessment**

You must complete all the criteria from “Getting there,” “You did it” and “Wow” to achieve a 3/3.

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| **Criteria** **from the Curricular Competencies** | **“Getting there...”**   **Criteria for 1/3** | **“You did it!”**  **Meeting Expectations**  **Criteria for 2/3** | **“Wow!!!”**  **Exceeding Expectations Criteria for 3/3** |
| **Creation (Create and express ideas through digital content for a specific audience.)** | * I added appropriate and relevant titles for each of my 3 posts. | * I have included an image (creative commons) and video as part of my posts. * I have tagged all 3 posts with #assignment1. | * I have correctly cited all sources and images used (links or APA, if you know it). * I cited myself if I am the originator of the content (e.g. I used a photo I took.) |
| **Creation (Understand and implement principles of design to improve visual presentation.)** | * I have included sufficient information on my “About me” page to make the page visually inviting. (minimum 3-5 sentences) | * The digital content (images and video) I selected for my 3 posts elevate my blog. | * I have embedded a video in “My favourite Youtube post” to enhance my blog’s overall esthetic. |
| **Communication (Appropriately express information, experiences, and ideas through various digital tools.)** | * I edited my Edublog’s “About me Page.” * I created 3 new posts. | * “About me page” thoughtfully introduces myself without specific identifiable information.   (minimum 3-5 sentences) | * I provided thoughtful insight (minimum 3-5 sentences) for each post to share why the posts are meaningful to me and show who I am as a person. |
|  | **Total** |  | **/9** |

What do you want your teacher to notice about your assignment?

Here is what your teacher noticed: