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# **E-Portfolio**

On-going throughout the Year

# What is an E-Portfolio? Why are we creating one?

Put simply, it's an electronic portfolio. This kind of portfolio is a digital learning record that allows students to document their learning process and growth over time. An E-portfolio allows students to organize, summarize, and share their ideas, information, papers, and other artifacts that demonstrate learning, critical reflection and change. When shared with peers, mentors, and teachers, the e-portfolio serves as a teaching and evaluation tool.

### How it works.

Using student-weebly accounts, students will create their own websites which will serve as their portfolio. An E-Portfolio allows students to react and reflect on the daily happenings of class; which in turn, reflect the Prescribed Learning Outcomes set down by the Ministry of Education. The assessment structure allows teacher-to-student and student-to-student feedback.

# **The Assignment**

- 1. Create a website using the login and password provided.
- 2. Create 5 "pages"; these pages should have the following titles:
  - a. Home
    - i. This page will include a mini auto-biography
    - ii. Personal Blog (this can go on a subpage)
  - b. Writing
    - i. Create subpages for:
      - 1. Express and Reflect
      - 2. Inform and Explain
      - 3. Short Stories
  - c. Reading
    - i. Create subpages for:
      - 1. Novel Study
      - 2. AoW's
        - a. Create a blog page, and respond to the articles there.
  - d. Media Studies
  - e. AR Blog
    - i. Summarize and react to the novels read throughout the year

Throughout the year, students will complete various activities and pieces of writing that will showcase their learning and understanding. As well, students will be expected to read and comment on their peers' writing – providing feedback, suggestion, and insight as they go.

Each section of the Portfolio will serve a different purpose. For each entry, students will reflect on their writing and/or understanding of the entry using **STARR**:

- S: Situation What were the circumstances? What was the situation?
- T: Task What were you required to do?
- A: Action What action steps did you take to complete the task?
- R: Result What was the result?

R: Reflection – How did it make you feel? Why? What did you learn from the task/situation? What could you do better next time? Etc.

### **Learning Objectives and Goals**

Because of the on-going nature of this assignment, most, if not all, of the Prescribed Learning Outcomes will be addressed in this assignment. Students will experiment with various technological tools to create podcasts, blog posts, and videos.

The main PLO's evaluated in this assignment include:

- A11: Use metacognitive strategies to reflect on and assess their speaking and listening
- B11: Use metacognitive strategies to reflect on and assess their reading and viewing.
- C1: Write meaningful personal texts that elaborate on ideas and information
- C8: Write and represent to explain and support personal responses to texts
- C11: Use metacognitive strategies to reflect on and assess their writing and representing

### **Grading:**

Each entry will be different and include different requirements; therefore, each entry will have its own marking criteria.

Entries may be marked for completion, depth of reflection, content, and structure.

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# **E-Portfolio How To's**

## **How do I log-on to my Student Account?**

- 1. Go to the class website: ndenglishleague.weebly.com
- 2. Click the "News" Tab
- 3. Click the "Student Login" Button under September 26th

OR

Go directly to: students.weebly.com

### How do I save my work?

Weebly auto-saves your work, but in order for Ms. Citton and everyone else to see your work and website, you have to "PUBLISH" your website – the big YELLOW button in the right hand corner.

If you are working on a BLOG post, you have to "PUBLISH LIVE."

#### Where do I start?

Start by choosing a theme. Watch and read the pop-ups to help you navigate weebly.

If you start with a theme, and end up not liking it, you can change it later.

## How do I build my website?

Everything is drag and drop on Weebly.

This is an on-going project that requires time and patience. Experiment and play. Enjoy.

If you have a specific question, please ask Ms. Citton  $\odot$