

Racial Profiling Fishbowl Make Up Assignment

If you have an excused absence, and you missed a Fishbowl Activity, here is your make up assignment:

Research an article from a credible source relating to the unit in some way. This article can be about the author, or related to the unit's topic (Racial Profiling/Jim Crow Policing). Type a 500 word response (at least) (in MLA format) responding to the article. IN ADDITION to completing the other required steps as preparation for this Fishbowl (See below).

Fishbowl Prep:

Answer the following on a separate sheet of paper.

1. Under what circumstances is it appropriate police procedure to consider race? When is racial profiling illegal?
2. What is your impression of Bob Herbert's essay? Is he right?
3. What are the dangers of racial profiling?
4. How might racial profiling affect individuals and communities?
5. What did you find out about "Jim Crow" in Activity 2 (hw).
6. How might this relate to your world today? (Think news, social media, etc.)
7. What perspective was brought up in the TedTalk? (Watch Melvin Russell's TedTalk, "I Love Being a Police Officer, but We Need Reform")

Research one article (as discussed earlier) and respond. Your response:

1. Write down what you thought about the author's use of language, the author's tone, the reason for the author to say what he/she said.
2. Think about a sentence or paragraph from the article that made you stop and think, "Wow/I agree/I disagree/Etc.." Explain why this stood out to you. Type the paragraph or the sentence that you are referring to. (The 500 words do not include quotes.)
 - a. Example: In Carnegie's *Gospel of Wealth*, the second paragraph made me think of _____.
3. Remember to type your response on what you thought about that sentence or paragraph. **Do not summarize the article.** "This article is about..." is the start of a summary. **I will not read or grade summaries.**

Format of response:

- a. 12 point font size
- b. Double spaced
- c. Times New Roman
- d. Correct heading: Name, Teacher's Name, Class Name, Date.
- e. Include a header in top right corner.
- f. Indent your paragraphs
- g. No spelling mistakes
- h. No first or second person pronouns. Examples to avoid: "I think Carnegie is saying..." OR "You might think..."

This typed and printed response (or very neatly handwritten) is due in forty-eight hours from the day of the Fishbowl. If it is late one day it will suffer 20%. Two days late or more equals a failing grade. You must turn in your completed pre-discussion questions, research notes, and your make up assignment together.