**ASSIGNMENT 3: Extended Essay**

**Due by Tuesday December 10, 2013:**

1. **SCHOLARLY SOURCES SUMMARIES**

You must complete summaries for **five** scholarly sources. A scholarly source is one that is written by experts in a particular field of study. For additional criteria to help you identify scholarly sources, please consult the following websites:

<http://lib.utsa.edu/Research/Subject/scholarlyguide.html>

<http://www.library.arizona.edu/help/tutorials/scholarly/>

<http://library.weber.edu/ref/guides/howto/scholarlyarticles.cfm>

These summaries must include the origin, purpose, value, and limitation of the source. You may use the databases available in the library.

***Online Databases***

**Facts on File**

www.fofweb.com

Username: AISV

Password: Lithuania  
 **Britannica Online**  
www.school.eb.co.uk

ID: aisvhinman

**JSTOR.org**

(No password needed at school)

**Also available:**

**Websites for Current Events, Social Issues, and Research Ideas**

1. <http://www.multcolib.org/homework/sochc.html>
2. <http://www.drudgereport.com/>
3. [www.nytimes.com](http://www.nytimes.com)
4. <http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/>
5. <http://edition.cnn.com/studentnews/>
6. <http://www.socialpsychology.org/social.htm>
7. <http://psych.athabascau.ca/html/aupr/social.shtml>
8. <http://www.economist.com/>
9. <http://www.foreignpolicy.com/>
10. <http://highschoolmediator.com/>
11. <http://www.edutopia.org/challenges-young-adults>
12. **EXTENDED ESSAY Introduction (Draft)**

Answer the following questions.

**I. Introduction**

* What is your research question?
* Why is the research question significant and worthy of study?
* What is your thesis?

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| Task | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| Organization of Sources: (Hard Copy or in a folder you can demonstrate) | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| Scholarly Sources | 5 Sources | 4 sources | 3 sources | 2 sources | 1 or none |
| Scholarly Source Summary | Completely includes the origin, purpose, value, and limitation of the source. 12- 15 Sentences | Satisfactorily includes the origin, purpose, value, and limitation of the source. 10-12 Sentences | Partially includes the origin, purpose, value, and limitation of the source. 7-9 Sentences | Partially includes the origin, purpose, value, and limitation of the source. 3-7 Sentences | Not completed |
| Introduction – Includes research question & thesis. Includes discussion of why topic is important for study & personally significant. Includes a game plan for rest of essay. | (15 – 20 sentences) | (12 – 14 sentences) | (9 – 11 sentences) | (15 – 20 sentences) | Not completed |