**Leadership Final Fall Semester 2022**

Each year the FFA group on campus creates an event call the Giving Tree. FFA works closely with the Interfaith Ministries asking over 250 underprivileged children in Ripon for something they would want and need from Santa. I want leadership to be involved!

**Option #1** - The tree will be set and ready starting November 28th, 2022. I want you to pick a child that you want to help. Pick one ornament from the tree and see what is needed for this holiday season. From there, I want you to document the direction you take with getting this item for this child and the emotional impact it may have on you. \*\*Requirement: please email directly, [jmortensen@riponusd.net](mailto:jmortensen@riponusd.net), the gift tag # and information on the tag. Morty will be making a master list for Mrs. Morino to keep track of the inventory that will be purchased. Mrs. Morino asked that if you cannot do a good job/get said item, then please do not participate. **Due date for item to be turned into FFA: December 14th, 2022**

**Option #2** - Now, because this involves money spent, and I cannot require this of you and your family, I have an alternative assignment to this final. Giving time is just as important as providing an item in need. So, aside from the hours required in in the past, complete community service hours and document what you do and the emotional impact.

I will not give required hours of time spent in community service nor will I require a specific amount of money spent. This working final is up to you and the direction you want to take. Perhaps you want to complete both options to this final.

**You must answer the following questions on google docs and turn in the day of the final.**

1. What did you choose to do for your final and why?
2. Describe the process that you went about in getting your final completed.
3. Was this assignment valuable? Why or why not?
4. What is the purpose of service as a leader?

**Day of the Final Requirements (what to bring)**

1. Uploading your work to the assigned google doc.
2. Dress code requirements for day of final: either professional dress or ugly sweater/holiday clothing dress (did you get those holiday pants?).
3. A strong voice because you will be giving a short speech (validation) in front of the class to practice public speaking.
4. Secret Santa gift (details below).

**Grading Breakdown**

1. Option #1, Option #2 or Option #3 = 50 points
2. Email to Morty = 10 points – Either a tag # or which option you have chosen.
3. Written Answers = 40 points
4. Appropriate dress attire = 10 points
5. Total Value = 110 points for final
6. Extra Credit opportunity - if you choose to do them all, you can earn an addition 30 points on the final for extra credit.

**Secret Santa**

Each year the class decides if they want to participate in our secret Santa gift exchange to occur on the day of the final. We must all agree, because this involves money and it cannot be a requirement. If you do not want to participate, please do not fill out the information page. The total amount that can be spent is $15 or less. No more please!

It is a lot of fun and we each go around the circle giving a gift and validate the person you have received as your secret Santa. ***The biggest challenge is to keep it a SECRET!***