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Final Product Proposal

Introduction:

After all of the research I have conducted thus far in ISM, I have decided to create a series of devotional entries directed towards teenage girls, from the perspective of a teenage girl. Being 18 I only have so much experience and knowledge of my times throughout elementary school to highschool, so my goal would be to discuss topics that many girls my age can relate to. I hope to use the research that I have from the past semester and incorporate it with my personal experiences of things that helped me throughout highschool. The purpose of this is to have various topics that can be useful for teenage girls in time of need, and a reminder to them to keep their focus on the Lord no matter how difficult life may seem.

Review of Skills:

The research topics that will be necessary for this project are a lot of the topics that I read about and discussed in my assessments. Some examples include: stress, anxiety, addiction and much more. I as well want to include topics like boys, self image, confidence, christian community, and friends. These are topics I want to discuss from my personal experiences or point of view. I believe combining my research from last semester along with my personal experiences will allow me to create multiple devotion-like entries that will be helpful for teenage girls.

All of the research that I have done this year essentially gives me the skills to write the devotion entries, however I'm hoping to learn more from my mentor once I present this idea to her. My goal is to learn how to effectively write information in a manner that is easy to understand yet contains a deep/helpful message. Incorporating what I have learned along with my research will hopefully give me the skills to create an efficient final product.

Methodology:

Materials:

I will most likely need all of my past research and I'll probably utilize some of my devotional books along with my personal bible for this project. Thankfully my plan is to upload my entries to my digital portfolio which I have already created.

Description of Process:

First off I want to decide how many entries I am going to write and the various topics that I'd like to discuss. Secondly, I will go through my old assessments in order to find the research that I'd like to use for it or if there is anything I'd like to reference. Third, I will look at other devotionals for inspiration and compare different types of devotionals that way I can figure out how I want mine to look. Fourth, I hope to find specific points on each of my topics that link with scripture. Fifth I will jot down my own personal experiences and find ways to include them or just utilize my experiences as commentary. Sixth, I will go through my digital portfolio and find where I want my devotions to go and the design for them. This step may be moved to my last step depending on where I'm at with my devotions. I am hoping to get many reviews of my devotions from my mentor, Coach Goff, and other friends and family before uploading

them to my portfolio. Once I get to this point my last few steps are to put my work together in a manner that is aesthetically pleasing and easy to understand.

Utilization of Higher Level Thinking:

Creating this product will force me to really dig deep into the word and as well my own previous experiences or thoughts in order to create something that is easy to understand. My goal is to write intelligently yet still relatable and uplifting. This will consist of a lot of trial and error however after utilizing the materials I have, I am hoping that I will be able to construct something useful. This will also include constructing a format for my website that is simple and professional.

Conclusion:

Once my final product is complete, I am hoping for something that is helpful for teen girls that will not only encourage them but also myself. If all else fails, creating this product will help me to truly dig deep into counseling techniques, my personal experiences, and where God comes into play with all of this. I believe that this product gives me the opportunity to share what I've learned in a manner that will be easy for others to see, but also will encourage them to look to the Lord during difficult times.

Final Product Calendar

Week 1	*Construct a plan for my final product.
Jan. 18-24	*Get in touch with my mentor.
	*Research Assessment: How to create a devotional.
Week 2	*Sift through old research assessments.
Jan. 25-31	*Look through my personal journal to find scripture that I could
	use for my first entry.
	*Figure out my first devotion idea.
	*Hopefully get my mentorship going.
Week 3	*Continue with my first entry- analyze it and include pictures.
Feb. 1-7	*Adding a prayer or song to my entry if it helps to enhance my
	topic.
	*Research assessment over the current topic that I am discussing.
	*Mentor visit?
Week 4	*Revising my devotion entry and getting it reviewed by my mentor
Feb. 8-14	or Coach Goff.

	*Beginning a new topic for my next entry.
	*Research assessment that helps me with this new entry.
	*Mentor visit?
Week 5	*Continuing to work on my next devotion entry.
Feb. 15-21	*Goal of finishing it this week and getting it reviewed.
	*Research assessment over anything that may help this process.
Week 6	*Wrap up the last entry and begin the next entry.
Feb. 22-28	*Research assessment over this topic.
	*Mentor visit to hopefully look at my next topic and review the
	others if I have not already.
Week 7	* Beginning my next entry and figuring out how many more I need
Mar. 1-7	to create.
	*Research assessment hopefully on whatever topic I am currently
	writing about.
	*Looking for other scripture, prayers, or songs that I'd want to
	include in the current entry or previous ones if needed.
Week 8	*Finishing up my last entries(this may mean completing multiple
Mar. 8-14	in one week)

	*Getting my entries reviewed by my mentor and others. *Adding final touches to each entry.
Week 9	*Work on digital portfolio.
Mar. 22-28	*Make sure it is updated- maybe even change the layout to make it easy to find my final product.
Week 10	*Linking my Devotion entries to my website.
Mar. 29- Apr.4	*Making my website easy to navigate and aesthetically pleasing. *Run my final product by my mentor and Coach Goff and add any finishing touches.