Civic and Community Engagement Project Presentation

At Lunenburg High School, students are able to meet their civics requirement through an honors level English class or a civics elective. The English class was established a number of years ago. For the elective, we are trying to have many of the same components, while being accessible to many students.

LHS requires a final exam and this is a perfect opportunity for a final reflection piece of participants in the civics elective. In the last few weeks of the quarter, the participants of each project present a slide show with the following information. Students are scored on this rather than the actual project. This presentation counts as the final exam grade. Even if working together, students are scored individually.

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You will be creating a presentation that needs to cover the following information. Even if you worked in a group, your presentation should have an individual reflection component. Topic areas may need more than on slide.

Issue

* + What was the issue / problem you were trying to solve or mitigate?
  + What made you think this was a problem?
  + What is the root cause?
  + Why did you choose the solution you did?

Process

* + How did you find and communicate with your community partners?
  + How did you organize / run your project (this section should have enough information that it gives a good idea of how to replicate your project)?

Results

* + What was the outcome of your project? Did the outcome differ from your desired outcome?
  + What worked well and what could be improved?
  + How could another person or group build upon your project?

Discussion / Reflection (Each person should have his/her own slide for this)

* + What did you learn during this process (a HUGE question, hopefully the next few will further break this down)?
  + Would you have done anything differently?
  + Did you use anything that you learned in your high school career while completing this project?
  + What skills did you improve upon in this project?
  + Did you learn any new skills?
  + What did you learn and/ or reinforce about yourself through this project?

Final Slide-This is the one slide where you may use full sentences

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* + Issue
  + Root Cause
  + Solution
  + How future students can build upon your work