

WAIT-- SO WHAT IS REQUIRED HERE??

➔ A "Mentor Article!"



As I said below, a mentor article is an article that's in the publication you wish to be

published in, written in the style and tone that you want to write in. It should NOT be about the same topic that you are writing about-- but it should be the kind of article you'd like to write. You can turn to this article for guidance about style, tone and structure.

➔ At Least 2 Pics!



You'll need to introduce some relevant imagery to your paper (which will be

Posted online.) What can you find that would add to your investigation or argument?

➔ AT LEAST 30% New Material!



Look, I'm not going to count EVERY word of your original and the revision, but

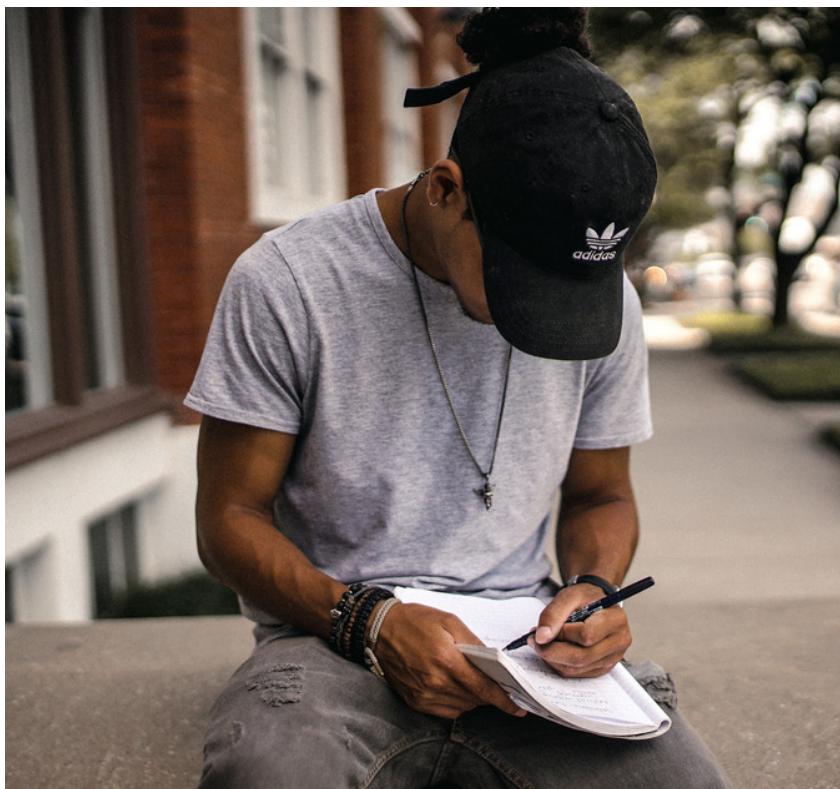
I will compare the two. The point of this exercise is to come up with something new. Don't turn in the same thing I saw before!!

➔ Conference!



You must meet with me to discuss your plans for revision. First of all, I won't take your paper

without this meeting, and second of all--you don't want me to! This gives you a chance to make sure you're planning what I'm looking for! Be on time and prepared. I really cannot reschedule!!



REVISION ONE

By You Guys

So, you've written two papers. Now it's time to talk about revision. In this unit, you will rewrite Paper One to be a magazine (or journal, or newspaper) article. The revision will be posted online and MUST include at least two images. GIFs and YouTube videos also count.

You will change this paper fairly drastically (between 30-60% new material) so your paper may just end up being inspired by what you wrote in Unit One. Think about the Walking Dead exercise we did in class-- you used the original Walking Dead comic to tell a brand-new story. You can cut out half of the original paragraphs and change the remaining ones A TON! You can rearrange everything you've got left. Add and subtract-- but if you turn in an unchanged paper? You won't pass!

YOU DO NOT HAVE TO WRITE ABOUT THE ORIGINAL ESSAY PROMPT. That is, I want you to take the part of your essay that you find most interesting, and use THAT, instead of the original assignment, as a starting point.

You will be graded on the "So What?" of your article (I don't want to leave wondering "why should I care?") The fitness of your article for the publication you have chosen to write for, the organization of your article (does it make sense? Is it repetitive?) and the extent of your revision-- is this something new, or just the same old thing from the original paper?

DUE APRIL 2nd!