Civics and Contemporary Issues

Domestic Issue Research Presentation/Project

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| Criteria | Possible Points | Teacher Assessment |
| Domestic Issue: Clearly identified and background thoroughly explained to provide context for the presentation | 5 |  |
| Constitutional Connection: Identified and explained thoroughly and clearly connects to the issue | 5 |  |
| Pro/Con Arguments: Three specific and factual supporting arguments for BOTH pro/con of the issue are identified and explained. SPECIFIC EVIDENCE for EACH argument must be included. | 10 |  |
| Recent news story about the issue is presented and clearly explained. | 5 |  |
| Action plan: Can this issue be solved? Is clearly and thoroughly answered by providing a realistic and well-researched action plan. A rationale is provided as part of the action plan. (see examples on assignment description) | 15 |  |
| Images: Relevant images are included in your presentation that add to its clarity and effectiveness. | 5 |  |
| Works Cited: All images/information are cited in MLA format and included as your last slide in the presentation | 5 |  |
| Total: | 50 |  |