AVID SUMMER WORK FOR INCOMING JUNIORS (500 POINTS)

During the summer, your task will be to complete **50 hours** of community service. That averages to be approximately 5 hours per week. Feel free to do more.

You should be positioning to make yourself competitive for scholarships. Almost all scholarships have some component of community service as a requirement. The ideal thing to do is pick a place you are interested in and stick to it. If one place is not an option for you, completing your assignment at multiple places is better than not completing your hours at all. **THE ORGANIZATION YOU CHOOSE MUST MUST MUST BE A NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION. EXAMPLES – CHURCH, LIBRARY, TUTORING FOR A SUMMER SCHOOL STUDENT, NURSING HOME, ANIMAL SHELTER, ETC.** *I WILL NOT ACCEPT WALKING YOUR NEIGHBORS DOG, BABYSITTING OR MOWING THE LAWN OR SWEEPING THE INSIDE OF A BEAUTY SALON, ETC as an acceptable place to complete your community service.*

Your proof of completing your hours will be <u>due on the first day of school</u>. Please have your supervisor type a letter briefly describing the work you did, or you may use the community service sheet attached.

Personal Reflections Presentation (Google Slides)

In your presentation respond to each question that follows. Be concise but detailed.

- 1. Where and when did you perform these tasks?
- 2. What were your tasks? Be detailed
- 3. Describe what you liked and disliked about your experience?
- 4. What did you learn from the experience?
- 5. Would you recommend others to serve at this organization and why?
- 6. Retell a funny or serious story involving your work that you think is worth sharing. If you did not experience any funny or serious events, write about your first impression of working there.

Photo Documentation

Take at least 5 pictures to document your involvement with this community service. These photos should be displayed in your Google Slides Presentation. You should be in at least 2 of these pictures. If for some reason photo documentation is not possible, a **hand-written** letter from your supervisor plus pictures of **a few souvenirs** from your voluntary service can be used in your presentation.

In summary, you must:

- 1. Complete 50 hours of community service.
- 2. Submit a letter from your supervisor proving your hours or a community service sheet signed by your supervisor
- Submit a reflection presentation (see above for details)