**Law 12 Final Project-Youth Criminal Justice**

**Overview:** Make a video in groups of 4-5 based on a real Canadian youth criminal case (Students need to find and research a case). You will have time to research in the library, film and edit with one of your own devices or an ipad, then present your video to the class.

**Criteria:**

* Content:
  + 1 youth criminal Canadian case (with supporting evidence)
  + 10+ pieces of relevant information about the case
  + 1 precedent case
  + Interviews based on evidence and case
  + Consequences
  + Works Cited with all sites, articles, images, etc. used for your project (<http://www.easybib.com/>)
  + 1 picture included
* Production:
  + Video that is 2-2.5 minutes in length
  + Videotaped and edited
  + Everyone must be in the video at least once
  + Video in the form of a news broadcast during or immediately after trial proceedings or a series of television interviews post trial and sentencing
  + Video must adhere to standards of the Youth Criminal Justice Act as well as stay true to the case chosen
  + Script with noted transitions and images
  + Attached case information , picture, work cited
  + Upload video to Gladstone Library Youtube channel
* Before starting:
  + The case chosen must be approved by the teacher before moving forward with research(before the end of the day on April 2nd)
* Post Project:
  + Self and group assessment will be done to ensure everyone’s involvement in the project

**Assessment:** You will be assessed on the following

* Peer and self assessment
* Completing individual and group tasks including production, content, and video
* Handing in all necessary resources in a well structured and organized manner (i.e. Works Cited, case, precedent case, script)
* Quality and timing of video

**Sites that may be of use:**

* Easybib <http://www.easybib.com/>
* Elements of a screenplay <http://www.screenwriting.info/>
* Youth Criminal Justice Act <http://www.justice.gc.ca/eng/cj-jp/yj-jj/ycja-lsjpa/index.html>
* Example of youth case <http://www.ctvnews.ca/canada/8-girls-charged-in-london-ont-bullying-case-1.1001975>
* Youth Court Statistics <http://www.statcan.gc.ca/pub/85-002-x/2013001/article/11803-eng.htm>
* Youth Crime Timeline <http://www.thestar.com/news/investigations/unequaljustice/youthcrimetimeline.html>
* Stats Canada: Youth cases by decision (throughout the provinces and territories) <http://www.statcan.gc.ca/tables-tableaux/sum-som/l01/cst01/legal24a-eng.htm>