

Trash Carry Reflective Essay

DUE Friday 3/18/2015

The Trash Carry is graded in 2 parts.

1. Participation 42 points (6 points per day)
2. Reflective essay 68 points. This should be the caliber of essay that shows off all the knowledge you gained from the chapter reading, lectures, and your personal experience.

Please write a personal reflection in response to the week-long Trash Carry experience. Essay should be **at least** 2 pages in length, 12 point font, Times New Roman font, and double spaced.

To receive full credit for the essay part of the trash carry you must explain the following and *connect* the information to your *personal experience*.

- What are the Social Consequences of waste production? Who bears the brunt of the waste (landfill, incineration, and electronic waste disposal)? Are you comfortable with this?
- What are the Environmental consequences of Waste production? What are the ways the US disposes of waste? Is each an effective method? Or is combination appropriate?
- What can our political system do to influence waste production and disposal systems?
- Present a holistic approach to reduce waste generation and treating waste? What is the ideal system? What has to change in US culture to achieve the ideal?
- Did this experience change your personal perspective on waste production and disposal?
- Will you change your behavior at all?