

Senior Project Requirements

1. **Senior Project write-up (50 pts):** A 1 page summary of what you have planned. This is where you will explain your vision. This must be very specific and explain what you will actually be doing. This is like a contract as to what you will accomplish. The senior project must be a stretch for you with SMART goals. (Specific, Measurable, Attainable, Realistic, Time bound). This paper must explain what you are planning and who is going to mentor you (may NOT be a Carey school employee or close relative). Make sure you have thought this through and can finish it before you present.
2. **Mentor form(50 pts):** Get the permission forms signed by parent and mentor. Mentor may NOT be a Carey school employee or a personal relative(i.e.No dad mom, grandpa, grandma, aunt, uncle).
3. **Resume(100 pts)**
4. **3 Letters of recommendations(150 pts).**Get 3 people (only 1 can come from a school employee) to write-you a recommendation, these need to be in digital format (scan, have them send you an electronic copy via email, or take a picture and insert them into a google doc). You need to inform the writer that it is either for a **job or educational**(i.e. Scholarship) oriented. Make sure you write them a **thank you** after they finish.
5. **Interview(50 pts)** another person besides your mentor who has some expertise in your senior project field. You need **15 questions** that aren't too personal (i.e. how much do you make?)
6. **Poster(150) pts:** Senior Project Poster 11 X 17 ledger sized paper in landscape layout. Must be in color and will be placed in the hallway for everyone to see. Must be professional.
7. The **autobiographical letter(150 pts)**3 Pages, single spaced, 12 size font times-new roman. This letter is about self reflection about your life and your strengths and weaknesses. Focus on the positive and how you have become the amazingly strong individual.
8. **Weekly journal entry-(140 pts) (1 full page per entry)** Reflect on what you have done and what you need to do. Discuss setbacks and successes. Must have at least 7 entries and be 7 pages in size.
9. **Portfolio-(200 pts)** Put all parts of the project in a google site. Make sure you have several pictures and links to all your documents. Everything you do in this class needs to be on your site.This will be an electronic portfolio that you must share and allow Mr. Durtschi to be an editor.You must email Mr. Durtschi a link to your portfolio or you will not get a final grade.
10. **Presentations (200 pts)** use pictures and tell the story of your senior project journey. Your presentation must be professional,show understanding of topic, shows enthusiasm, and must take 10 to 16 minutes and present on the due date. If you are too short or too long, or you skip the presentation you will not pass this class and have to retake the class.

Total Pts-1340