Project Presentation Guidelines

Presentations are worth 50 points (8%) of your course grade. All Presentations should be between 8-10 minutes and will be graded on:

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Community Service Project

**Introduction**

Describe where you did your community service, what age groups, or types of individuals you worked with, and indicate why you chose the agency you did. If it is an agency other than a daycare or retirement home you may want to provide some background information related to the agency. What types developmental processes were you interested in focusing on, why?

**Content**

Discuss your observations in relation to developmental research and theories. You may find that some of your observations are consistent with one or more theories or you may find that the observed behaviors cannot be explained well by any of the theories. You may give an overall summary of your observations or you may pick out a few specific observations to discuss.

**Summary**

You have spent a great deal of time throughout the semester volunteering. Were you surprised by some of the behaviors you observed? Think back to the beginning of your community service, what kinds of things have you learned? Describe what you liked best/worst about the project.
Research Paper

Introduction
Indicate the title and purpose of your research paper. Why did you choose the topic? Why is it important? How is it significant to the topic of human development?

Content
Briefly discuss a few of your articles or present a general, overall summary of important findings regarding your literature review. In either case, you may want to prepare a handout, or overhead outlining some of the important information.

Conclusion/Summary
Based on your review of the literature, what questions do you think remain unanswered regarding your topic? How do you think they could be addressed? What did you learn from the project?