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A Minute for Your Thoughts: Thinking Like a Manager

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Minute for Your Thought



- *Frequency:* Weekly Assignment
- *Tools:* Canvas Studio, Cell Phone, Laptop
- *Overview:* Post a (minimum) 1-minute video discussing one of the scenarios from the week.
- *Value:*
 - Evaluate and dissect a realistic topic
 - Practice using video technology in a professional manner



The Assignment



Modified Instructions: Choose one of the video clips from the chapter.

Create a short video the includes:

- Overall message and purpose (big picture)
- Three main points (summarize)
- Reflection or critique (reflect)

Grading: Mostly "complete" (full credit) or "incomplete" (no credit).

Points lost for the following:

- Video is *less* than 60 seconds long.
- Poor audio and/or picture quality
- Message is read from a paper

Tip & Tricks

- **Start early, especially on the first few weeks of this assignment. An early start will help you avoid/address any hiccups with technology.**
- **Record your video as many times as you want. Just submit your “favorite” version by the due date.**
- **Don’t be afraid to make mistakes! This assignment is all about the experience – and improving.**
- **Be creative. Role-play by putting yourself in the manager’s “shoes.”**
- **Ask questions!**



The Take-Aways

- Thinking like a manager
- Practicing extemporaneous speaking
- Using new technology
- Confidence-building

