





# **D.J. AIR CHECK ASSIGNMENT GUIDELINES**

# PROJECT DUE: Wednesday, October 18, 2017

## No profanity, racial slurs, gender put-downs are allowed in the project

A. Create a D.J. Air Check Podcast **no shorter than 2 minutes** and **no longer than 3 minutes** in length accompanied with a complete script/segue.

B. Your Air Check Script/Podcast must include all of the following requirements/extras in any order you choose.

- C. You may select to work with another student in this class to co-write/co-announce.
  - CO-DJ teams will be considered.
  - Interested Students should make sure they Make The Check Point One Date-Line (Friday, September 1, 2017) in order to be considered.

A Shared final grade will be given.

# CK.PT.#1: Due Friday, September 1, 2017

### Use a "What's Up Format" in completing this assignment.

- 1. D.J. Handle:
  - The name you go by over the air
- 2. Station Call Letters:
  - The alphabet letters that your radio station is licensed under.
  - It must be no less than 3 letters or more than 5 letters long.
  - Station call letters of radio stations east of the Mississippi always begin with a **W**. Station call letters of radio stations west of the Mississippi always begin with a **K**.
- 3. Station's Rate of Frequency:
  - The rate of speed at which your station is broadcasting.
  - FM is measured in megahertz, AM is measured in kilohertz.
- 4. Two Original Commercials:
  - The commercials must advertise a product or service.
  - No registered trademarks (i.e. Coca-Cola, Nike, etc.) may be used.
  - No alcohol or tobacco products may be used.
  - Controversial items must be addressed in a public service announcement format.
- 5. Five Representative Musical Selections:
  - Use 5 songs that represent your station's musical format
  - Use no more than 10 seconds of each song.

### CK.PT.#2 DUE: Friday, September 8, 2017

#### Your project must include 5/9 areas listed below. Use a "What's Up Format" in completing this assignment.

- 1. News -4 to 5 sentences
- 2. Weather-3 to 4 sentences
- 3. Sports- 4 to 5 sentences
- 4. Time of Day 1 sentence
- 5. Traffic Report -3 to 4 sentences
- 6. Station Contest -4 to 5 sentences
- 7. Public Service Announcement (PSA)-4 to 5 sentences
- 8. Celebrity Interview- 5 to 6 sentences
- 9. Other









## CK PT.#3 DUE: Friday, September 27, 2017

All Podcasts must be accompanied by a complete script/segue. Joint projects need only one combined script.

The following is a sample script. This is the basic /Ups Up format to be used:

WHAT IS UP:	WORD FOR WORD WHAT IS TO BE SAID:
Music Selection #1	Name of selection, recording artist
Commercial #1	Word for word what is to be said in your commercial
Time of Day	Word for word
Music Selection #2	Name of selection, recording artist
News	Word for word what is to be said in your news report
D.J. Jargon:	D.J.Transition Conversation
Etc	Etc

### CK.PT.#4 IS DUE: Friday, October 2, 2017

• All project Scripts/Segues must have a LOGO/COVER SHEET. The cover sheet must be your radio station's ORIGINAL STATION LOGO. This assignment can be created digitally.

### FINAL PROJECT IS DUE Wednesday, October 18, 2017

The recorded/digital project must be accompanied with these finished written assignments:

- Check Point 3 with any additions or corrections when actually recording.
- LOGO Sheet done in a Square Format
- Your Digital Project File must be Save As:
  - 1. FirstName/LastNameDJAirCk(Date)Final
  - 2. Your Final Digital File must be placed in your Music Digital File Folder

Note: Be sure to use your D.J. Air Check Rubric to check for all parts of the assignment before placing in my Drop Box for final grading

All Projects will be recorded using School Equipment. Computer Time is limited. Script writing assignments must be completed on time in order to record your project in a timely fashion. Late assignments will cause you to have to record your project after school.