

EXTRA CREDIT

You can mix and match the options below, but I will award only 20 points total.

How can I earn extra credit?

Step 1: I allow you to earn up to 20 points of extra credit.

Step 2: You pick from the options listed below.

Special Note: If I determine you have plagiarized or otherwise cheated in the course all extra credit is forfeited.

Choices: This first set of options does NOT require a Reaction Paper, but do follow the instructions outlined for each choice.

Community Service (Free)

You can't save each attempt, so print at end of each effort and collect.

The way you can document this is by printing the last page of the game. If it does not print well, you can use the <shift>+<Prnt Scrn> to copy the page and open a word document and use <ctrl>+v to paste the page. Then print.

- Go to <http://freerice.com/category> For each 500 grains of rice, you earn 1 point.
- Go to <http://www.freekibkat.com/> [Dogs] For each 500 pieces of kibble, you earn 1 point.
- Go to <http://www.freekibblekat.com/> [Cats] For each 500 pieces of kibble, you earn 1 point.
- Go to <http://thenonprofits.com/> Select 1-20 links. Click each day to donate. Record total number of clicks/site. For each 20 clicks you earn 1 point. [Maximum 5 points]

Games (Free)

- You are welcome to choose these games as a way to earn your extra credit.
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- You do not need to win the game, just show you played it. Yes, you can repeat a game and earn points that way, but more fun to pick a new one.
- These are 2 points/games:
 - [Interactive BBC](#) games
 - [3rd World Farmer](#) game
 - [GSI: Glasgow Science Investigation](#) (forensics theme)
 - [Hunt the Ancestor](#)

PBS NOVA activities (2 points/video)

- Visit: <http://www.pbs.org/wgbh/nova/education/>
- Select a category (such as Anthropology) and click on it
- Next, select an activity (such as Modeling a Mummy)
- Next, click on the Video and watch.
- Last, create 4 discussion questions that could be used in a small group in class.

Online board games (2 points/game)

- There are many historical board games available online
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 - [Royal game of Ur](#)
 - [Senet](#)
 - [Nine Man Morris](#)
 - [Hnefetafl](#)

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**Other Choices: These options DO require a Reaction Paper to document your work.**

### How to write a Reaction Paper

- Reaction Papers must be typed.
- The content should start with a brief description of what occurred in the video or at the event; then, continue with what your own thoughts about this experience.
- There should be 25 words for each 15 minutes spent in the effort; perform a word count and type this at the bottom of the Reaction Paper.

### Watch a video and write a reaction paper (instructions below)

- You may watch a video for extra credit, as long as it is credible and academic in content.
- Visit this link:  
<http://www.learner.org/resources/browse.html?discipline=0&grade=0&imageField2.x14&imageField2.y=15>
- Visit PBS:
  - Anything at [NOVA](#)
  - Anything at [Secrets of the dead](#)
  - Anything at [Physics girl](#)
  - Anything at [Its okay to be smart](#)
  - Anything at [Crash course](#)

### Attend a campus event and write a reaction paper.

- Attend either on-campus or off-campus event. Examples of these types of events include working at the annual *Holocaust Speakers*, *Honors Lectures*, and so forth.
- You will receive extra credit point for each 15 minutes.
- Remember, these points are not added to your in-class extra credit (those are separate points) or to your assignment-specific extra credit either (those are separate points, too).

Listen to podcasts and write a reaction paper (extra credit earned depends on the duration of the podcast.)

*Archaeology/history and other sciences*

- [American Museum of Natural History](#) podcasts
- [Archaeology Channel](#) podcast
- *A history of the world in 100 objects*: [Main page](#) & [podcasts](#) [Personal favorite]
- [The history of Rome](#) podcast
- [Nature](#) podcast
- [World archaeology](#) podcast

*Culture and Language*

- [History of English](#) podcast
- [Talk the talk](#) podcast
- [The World in Words](#) podcast
- [The Five minute linguist](#) podcast
  
- [What's this food](#) podcast
- [A Time and a Plate](#)
- [BBC Food Programme](#)
- [Foodal](#)
- [Gastropod](#)
- [The Slow Melt](#), a podcast about chocolate
- [The Splendid Table](#)
- [The Sporkful](#)

*General*

- [Freakonomics radio](#) podcast
- [Global News](#) podcast