**Serial Killer Research Due: March 31st**

Find a serial killer that interests you and research about their lives. You will share this information through video, a podcast, PowerPoint (either recorded or shared live during class), or other method approved by Coach B. I’m open to creative ideas! You may do this alone or with one other person from any class (max of 2 in a group unless you get permission for more). If you do it with someone else, make sure it shows you both put in a lot of effort. If done with someone from another class, it must be something that does not have to be presented live.

Include the following:

**Background Info (40 pts)**

*If you choose an unknown killer (such as Jack the Ripper or the Zodiac Killer), you will need to tell us what officials believe about this person. If you cannot find info, choose someone else.*

What was the killer’s childhood like?

Did they have friends or were they more often alone?

Did they go to college/trade school/ military?

Did they marry? Have kids?

Did they have a job? Were they part of a community?

Anything else stand out about their life?

**The Crimes (100 pts)**

What was the nature of the crimes? Keep it PG/PG-13.

What was the time span?

Where?

How many victims? Who were they (describe them)? Was there a type of person?

Anything stand out that is different from others?

Were they caught? If not, why? If so, how? Was there a profile?

Did they have any mental disorders?

What evidence was found?

Did they stand trial? If so, how did the trial go and what was the outcome?

If alive, where are they now?

Why did you choose this killer? Make sure to include interesting factoids.

**Include at least 4 sources (10 pts)**