

January 11, 2021
College Park High School - Sociology

Week Two / Chapter 9 – Social Stratification (continued)

Instructions for the Week of January 11 to 15

Hi Soch People,

Moving right along on our discussion of social stratification, this we'll look at both the "why" of stratification and how it specifically affects citizens here in the US. You'll see that's it's been a fairly ongoing process that's occurring over the last 40 years or so. The good news? It's always reversible. There's nothing in the laws of nature that say that people have to work harder for less. Lots of cool stuff to talk about this week as we finish up...Here's your breakdown:

Task 1: Click "PowerPoint Notes for Global Stratification" and go over slides 11 – 21. After going through this part of the presentation, I would like everyone to write two questions and make two comments about the presentation. You will upload this information to our Google Classroom page.

Task 2: Click "Text Reading and Text Assignment # 2" to find out what to read that week and the accompanying text assignment. This text assignment will be uploaded to the Google Classroom page.

Task 3: Click "Crash Course # 22: Why is There Social Stratification" and "Crash Course # 23: Social Stratification in the United States." These short, 8 to 12-minute videos are a great way to familiarize yourself with some of the concepts we use in sociology. Let's welcome back Nicole Sweeny, our sociology heroine!

Task 4: Each lecture will be accompanied by an article which will correspond to that lecture's theme. This week you are only required to read the article. No journal response is required.

Task 5: Click "Video: People Like Us: Social Class in America" and watch the second hour. After watching the film, you will go to our Google Classroom page and upload to the Discussion Board Response. On this page I would like you to write a short, one to two-paragraph comment about the film. After that, please respond to two other student's responses. Please keep your responses to other students respectful – we don't need to agree, but let's be polite and mature in how we talk to each other...

All righty then, have an enjoyable 3 day weekend! See you guys next Tuesday...

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