

Your position on 1631



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As a resident of Washington state, you are charged with voting on Initiative 1631: a proposed tax on carbon emissions in this state. Your task is to create a product that displays your opinion on the issue and to explain why you feel the way that you do. You have choice as to how you want to display your opinion. Please consider the following options.

- A website
- An infographic
- A poster
- A song
- A paper

No matter the product that you choose, I will be looking for the following elements.

- A clearly stated argument/position on 1631. Pick a side. Remember that you have to vote on the issue. Remember our AREAS model: your argument answers a question. In this case this the question is how would you vote on 1631? There is no middle option. (5 points)
- You must have two or three reasons why you have taken the position that you did. Remember that reasons answer the question why. (10 points)
- You must have at least eight cited pieces of evidence. I am not going to ask you to create a bibliography or footnotes for this project but I do want you to note where you got your information. (24 points)
- Lastly, I expect you to put some care into your product. This is not just proofreading your message but making sure that it communicates your message well. (5 points)

The project will be worth a total of 44 points.

Our calendar

- Monday, October 29th- Introduce project
- Wednesday, October 31st- Research flipgrids due, Complete outline of your position
- Thursday, November 8th- Final product due

Please keep in mind there they may be other work due during this time. All elements of the project will be counted on the second quarter.