Research Project 8

**Method Drafts:**

* The word Method is **bolded** at the top of the page.
  + Note: not MethodS.
  + Normally this section is just right after the introduction without making it a new page. You can do that if you want, but I will only be checking out the method.
* Participants
  + You should describe the participants in your sample.
  + Include how many participants you had (number of lines in SPSS).
  + Include where you got the participants from (class, friends)
  + Include what types of participants you had – what is the normal participant (i.e. generally, participants were female, 18-22, etc.).
* Materials
  + Include a description of the survey you used.
  + Give an example question.
  + For questions with multiple choice type options (Likert scales too), give an example of the scale/answers.
  + If you found the materials online, where did you get them?
  + What do the materials cover? For example, you can say “I used a religious survey with questions like X, Q, and R”. This point will help readers see the connection between hypothesis and method.
* Procedure
  + List how participants completed the experiment. You can say something like “surveys were completed in class”. This section is slightly different from the materials (what information you used) versus procedure (how they completed the experiment).
* Note:
  + If you look at an APA document online, the Method is broken down into those sections with specific subheadings. You do not have to do that for this project – so it can be one big paragraph. Make sure it is clear you have each section though (if you want to break it down, you can do that too).