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Every week in this class, you will reflect on your learning. Your participation in the summary is a summation of your answers the following questions. The questions are categorized on the difficulty of depth. Each question you answer is worth that many points; when you are done answering the questions, give yourself a total score based on the rubrics and provide justification in one sentence. You can only use each question once.

Please answer a subset of the following questions:

5 pts Questions             Affect: (What?, So What?...Return, Report, Reflect and Regroup.)

What did I do to prepare for class this week? I read all the prep materials about soft skills and when they are important to us in our workplace.

Why is this week's topic important? If I can’t work in a group especially talk in said group in an effective way failure is almost inevitable.

10 pts Questions Behavior: (What now?...my ideas are starting to emerge!)

What is the most significant take-a-way you have gained from your study this week? My biggest take way was the need of soft skills vs. Hard skills. I think I spend a lot of time purely focusing on my hard skills.

What do you do, steps, or processes related to this week's topic? I think the first couple things I could do to start developing the soft skill of teamwork would be working on communication skills. I will actively try to collaborate in my programming classes to I can get better. When I am feeling better on that soft skill pick another aspect of teamwork.

How would you explain this week's topics to a person not in this class? I would tell them that the basics of working as a team is when you start talking like a team. A team communicates not all at once or purposeless, but they have a reason to talk and to get the job done. Respect is important.

20 pts Questions Cognitive: (Wow, I learn?... Ok that is deep!)

Why is this week's topic important for teamwork? We talked a lot about the soft skill of good communication with the activity of trying to find the symbol we all have without talking. It was tricky and forced us to travel up the appropriate Chanels of leadership. That is important. If I am to focused on just talking and never going to the right source I will not be able to succeed in the work place.

How do plan on contributing to the team, besides completing your tasks? This week I felt like I did a crummy job and coming into the class with a good attitude and that made things worse for the whole team. If I communicate positivity and have a solid attitude about the class I feel like I could be very helpful.

How does your experience relate to other experiences you have had? Recently I was cooking for a large group of friends and it was hard for me to keep everything organised because I was constantly hearing from multiple people at once and that was teamwork, but the lack of good communication made it difficult. If I had taken the time to set up a chain of communication command like we learned in class I am sure the experience could have been different.