Challenge: Dystopian currency

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Currency name: Lumin

Slogan: Illuminating Tomorrow, One Dream at a Time

Explanation:

Extracting the dreams of citizens as a payment method, citizens can extract their dreams and put them in a certain orb that encapsulates a unique, surreal scene that reflects the dreams and desires of its possessor. The emotional intensity of the dream determines the currency's value. While nightmares used to be less pleasant at this point of time nightmares are worth a hundred dreams.

In the dream exchange markets citizens can trade their Lumin for goods, services, or even experience the dreams of others.

The government imposes Dream Taxation, requiring citizens to at least contribute a portion of their dreams to fund public projects. Those who resist may find themselves facing penalties or even lose the ability to access certain dream related services.

Examples of services:

Dream entertainers: performers who can manipulate their dreams for public entertainment.

Dream educators: Who teach citizens about responsible dream usage, the history, and the ethical implications.

Dream Consultants: Professionals in the field of psychology and dream analysis. They assist individuals in crafting dreams with higher emotional values.

Dream Artisan: Dreamers highly skilled in crafting dreamscapes for those seeking unique experiences.

Earning system of Lumin:

A normal dream will earn you 5 – 20 Lumin:

'A typical dream with common experiences and emotions.'

A creative dream will earn you 20 – 60 Lumin:

'Dreams that are more unique and showcase creativity or artistic elements.'

An Adventure dream will earn you 60 – 100 lumin:

'Dreams where the dreamer embarks an exciting adventure.'

A Lucid dream will earn you 100 - 300 lumin:

'Dreams where the dreamer experiences a sense of control.'

An Emotionally transformative dream/nightmare will earn you 300 – 600 lumin:

'Dreams that are significant in emotional transformations, healing, or self-discovery and nightmares to give the person a sense of thrill and excitement."

A Dream crafted by Dream Artisans will earn 600 – 2000 lumin:

'Dreams crafted and enhanced by skilled dream artisans to create unique and captivating dreamscapes.'

A Collaborative dream project will earn 2000 – 5000 lumin:

'Dreams that involve collaboration between dreamer or Dream Artisans, creating multilayered dream experiences.

A legendary dream will earn 5000+ Lumin:

'Dreams that achieve legendary status due to their emotional dept, societal impact or sheer artistic brilliance.'

For daily needs like a hamburger to eat would be around 4 lumin depending on the place of course