

TD 638: Development Perspectives: Ideas, Approaches, and Theories

Concept Note on Assignment 0: 'Class Prep Note' (No Marks):

Assignment 0: Note 1 : 'Class Prep Note:' Reflections on 'Development and Me'

Answer the following questions: (Using the points mentioned in the bracket, but not limited to these points; you may use your additional points, if any.)

1. **Who Am I?** [Answer should be in between 300 and 500 Words]

(My locations: Demographic [Age, Gender], Social [Family, Community], Education and Training, Geographic [Location, Region, Resource-Endowment] Physical [Health, Food/ Diet, Sports], Economic [Class, Income, Wealth, Security], Cultural [Beliefs, Values, Preferences, Hobbies, Recreation], Political [Beliefs, Values, Preferences])

2. **What Shaped Me?** [Answer should be in between 300 and 500 Words]

(Age, Gender, Family, Community, Education and Training, Geographic Location, Region, Resource-Endowments, Physical Health, Food/ Diet, Sports, Class, Income, Wealth, Economic Security, Cultural Beliefs, Values, Preferences, Hobbies, Recreation, Political Beliefs, Values, Preferences)

3. **Write about FIVE most important (according to you) ideas or concerns about DEVELOPMENT?** [Answer should be between 500 to 1000 Words, preferably at least 100 words for each idea/ emotion/ etc.]

4. **Where does each of these five (from answer to Q 3) come from? How is it connected with your answers to the questions of "Who am I? What shaped me?"** [Answer should be between 500 to 1000 Words, preferably at least 100 words for each idea/ emotion/ etc.]

Other Instructions

- You rely on your understanding of "what does Development mean (TO YOU)?" You may discuss this with other students.
- Think a lot. Make multiple drafts/ versions. This will help you write your other assignments.
- You may write in bullet format or in short paragraphs. But write full sentences, not words or phrases.
- Try to find a perfect word for the idea that you have in mind. Check the dictionary and Thesaurus repeatedly.
- Type in Font: Calibri or Helvetica, Font Size: 11, Spacing: 1.5

Submission and Deadline

Please send a pdf file with the file name: <Your Role No_Short_Name_TD 638_Reflection Note 1>

Submission by email sent to one of the two TAs. Subject Line: Your Role No_Short_Name_TD 638_Reflection Note 1.

Please confirm the receipt of the email by contacting TA by phone or WhatsApp message.

Deadline: Monday 5th August 2024 at 10 am. Penalty for late submission.

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