Podcast Assignment

You and a group of classmates will be creating a podcast. Your group will need to create a name for your podcast show, determine topics you will cover (sports, celebrity gossip, self-improvement, etc.), and create a script for your podcast. There are a list of requirements/ sequences that your podcast should follow. You will use Audacity to create your unique and entertaining podcast.

**Requirements:**

* MP3 file trimmed
* Fade in and fade out effect
* Script
* Three additional effects
* Two commercials
* Podcast 3-5 minutes in length

**Show layout:**

1. Intro music with fade in effect
2. Introduction ( introduce yourself and the name of your podcast)
3. Explain your topic for the podcast
4. Commercial 1
5. Phone calls to give perspective
   * Effects- two additional effects during podcast
6. Conclusions
7. Exit music with fade out effect
8. Commercial 2

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|  | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| Music before and after with fade in and fade out. | N/A | Project had an intro song with fade in effect and ending song with fade out effect. | Project had both songs but were missing fade in and out effects. | Project did not have music in the podcast. |
| Length | N/A | Project is 3-5 minutes in length. | Project is 1-3 minutes in length. | Project is less than a minute in length. |
| Commercial | N/A | Project had at least 2 commercials in the podcast. | Project has only 1 commercial in the podcast. | Project has no commercials in the podcast. |
| Script/ | N/A | Script had all parts of podcast including music and clearly outlined individual’s roles. | Script was not completely finished or roles were not defined. | Project had no script. |
| Effects | Student went above and beyond | Project had 3 additional effects (not including fade in or fade out). | Project had 1 -2 additional effects. | Project had no additional effects. |
| Creativity/ Effort | Students went above and beyond. | Students created their own podcast show. | Student created a podcast show that lacked creativity or effort. | Student created a podcast that had no creativity and effort. |
| Total | | | |  |

Rubric

Scale:

4= 20-19

3=18-16

2=15 – 10

1= 9- 6

Sample Script

Commercial: Jimmy Johns

Intro music: (Play intro music)

Person 1 – Good morning! You are listening to the Sports Hot Talk podcast, where we give you all the current stories in sports. We are your hosts \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Today we have a great show planned for you. I have a special guest \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, who is actually with me now. How are you this morning?

Person 2: Line

Person 3: Line

Person 1: Line

Continue……..

Person 1: Well that looks like all the time we have! Thank you to our guest \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for his thoughts on Golden State Warriors and for joining us here today. You have been listening to Sports Hot Talk podcast, until next time.

Exit music:

Commercial: McDonalds