

## IDENTITY COLLAGE

**Objective:** Exploring our identities help us find commonalities with others, whether they are classmates or characters, that springboard us to wonder, notice, and see the humanity in one another. Your identity, along with your personal experiences, influence your perspective on how YOU view the world. The goal of this project is to self-explore the various aspects of your personal identity in order to become more aware of it and how it plays a role in who you are.



**Step 1:** Create a list of various forms of identity.

**Step 2:** Select at least 5 (or more) forms of identity that you can connect to. (Example: Student)

**Step 3:** Locate and/or draw images that reflect these identities. You may use some words, but 80% of the project must be visual.

**Step 4:** Arrange them in a creative display. Your project may NOT be smaller than an 8 1/2 x 11 sheet of paper, but no larger than half a poster size (if possible).

### In class on Tuesday, 9/4:

Be prepared to share your display with your peers. Do not include anything on your collage that you are not comfortable with. After all, our identities are part of who we are and how the world can view us. In class, you will complete the following;

1. **Thesis Statement:** What do these various identities reveal about YOU?

2. **Written reflection:** You will include a written response as to how your different identities you included in your collage relate to your thesis statement.

**BECAUSE THIS IS A MAJOR GRADE**, your response should NOT be less than a minimum of 2 paragraphs. Your response can be typed, or handwritten in BLUE or BLACK ink only.



**YOUR FINAL PROJECT IS DUE FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER, 7th IN CLASS.**

### Rubric:

- Collage has a minimum of 5 form of identity arranged in a creative, neat display. \_\_\_\_/40
- Thesis statement is written in a COMPLETE sentence that expresses a claim. \_\_\_\_/20
- Written response is a MINIMUM of 2 (TWO) paragraphs that explain each item on the collage. Response connects/proves the thesis statement. \_\_\_\_/40