

## Fred Korematsu, Mock Trial: Self Grading Sheet

- Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Class Period: \_\_\_\_\_
- Petitioner or Respondent (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_
- Role (Attorney/Witness/Judge/Media): \_\_\_\_\_
- Character Name (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_
- You should grade yourself *honestly*. Grade yourself based on each of the following:
  - **Attendance** – were you here everyday? (There were ten possible days the past two weeks in which we worked on this.)
  - **Effort** – did you attempt to help the group (or yourself) by looking up information, answering questions, being a “team player”, and handling your responsibilities?
  - **Contributions/Participation** – did you give input to your partners, make suggestions, and ask questions? In other words, did you interact with your partners to make your case (witnesses), stories (media), or decision (judges) as good as possible, or did you just basically sit there while others gave input?
  - **Trial Performance**
    - Witnesses:* Did you provide the class with important information on your topic? In other words, were your questions/answers well written so that we learned something from your testimony? Did you know your lines or did you have to constantly look at your card?
    - Lawyers:* Did you know the goal of your witnesses’ testimony and help provide the court with the important information to prove your case?
    - Judges:* Were you attentive during the trial and did you take all the necessary notes? If you were head judge, did you properly control the courtroom? All judges, did you explain your decision to the court and justify your decision by referring to the evidence you heard during the trial?
    - Media:* Did you complete all of your stories in full and on-time? Were you attentive during the trial and did you take all the necessary notes? Did you help others understand the trial through your story? Did you express your own opinion in your editorial?
- Given my observations, I will assign you a grade based on your apparent effort and participation during the preparation phase of the trial. I will also assign you a grade based on your performance during the actual trial.
- I will compare the individual grades that I gave to you, to the one you gave yourself. If I feel that there is a big difference in the two, then I will think about whether you gave yourself an honest grade. If I feel you were dishonest and tried to artificially inflate your grade, then I will artificially deflate (decrease) your grade. So, please be honest.

A = 5 points	B = 4	C = 3	D = 2	F = 1
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<b>Attendance:</b> <small>Deduct <i>one</i> whole grade for each day you were absent (unexcused).</small>	<b>Effort:</b>	<b>Contributions/ Participation:</b>	<b>Trial Performance</b>	<b>TOTAL (Out of 20)</b>
A B C D F	A B C D F	A B C D F	A B C D F	/20

On the back, Add any comments that you have to justify the grade that you gave yourself (10 total points extra if it is a good argument).