1. **Required Written Essays**

**Essay 1** Choose one topic from the following two questions, and write a short essay (100 words or less) about each one:

- What idea, invention, discovery, or creation do you think has had the biggest impact on your life so far?
- In the year 2030, a friend has posted a YouTube video showing one of your accomplishments. What does the viewer see?

**Essay 2** In 300 words or less, write about one of the following topics:

- If you were given one year to spend in service on behalf of others, what would you choose to do, and why?
- Evaluate a significant experience, difficult decision, or risk that you have taken and its impact on you.