Create your own PSA

**Learning Goals:**

*I will:*

* *Demonstrate my understanding of the purpose of a PSA by using words and images to convey a message.*
* *Use creativity and critical thinking to create an effective PSA so that I can clearly convey my message to my audience.*

**Step 1:**

* Choose a side: **Rehabilitation** or **Punishment** to help Young Offenders – circle the one you want to do
* Complete the following chart outlining your reasons:

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| **My opinion🡪** this will be your message |  |
| **3 reasons or examples to support my opinion:** | * (example)

 * (reason)
* (reason or example)
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| **What emotion do you want to appeal to and how will you do this?** |  |
| **Images I could use to support my ideas (1-3):** |  |

* Have your outline checked

**Step 2:**

* Go **to google.wrdsb.ca** and open a **google drawing** – this is where you will create your poster
* **Share** it with me (Candice Schnarr)
* **Put all the information from your chart into your poster** – make sure you arrange it in a visually appealing way.

**Step 3:**

Go through the following checklist to make sure you have an effective PSA:

* + Font – is it a good size and is it readable?
	+ Images – can you see them clearly? Are they spaced out well? Do they work with your words?
	+ Is your PSA effective?
		- Does it have a clear message?
		- Does it appeal to emotion?
		- Does it use examples people can relate to?
		- Do the pictures and the images work together to create meaning?

PSA Rubric:

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