

Viewing/Homework Assignment

1. Watch: *Triumph of the Nerds*, a 3-part video series available on the Moodle page for our course.
2. For each of the three episodes, select one interesting fact, idea, or principle relevant to our course that you learned from the episode, and write a good, solid paragraph describing it. (So your final write-up will have three paragraphs.) Your choice could be technical, historical, or sociological, but it should be supportive of your understanding of course material. Whatever topic you choose to write about, define it clearly as you understand it from the video, and explain why it is notable. Point out any connections to topics we have covered in the course.

Your submission must be word-processed, double-spaced, and formatted the way you prepare a short paper for a class in any other subject. Please be prepared to turn in a hard copy on the due date.