

**English 102, Fall 2023, Prof. Andrew Rusnak**

**No class October 11<sup>th</sup>, 13, 16<sup>th</sup>. This assignment is due the 18<sup>th</sup>.**

During this time, I want you to select an article from a reputable national or international publication. You will need to “intuit” whether the contents of this article/essay has implications for the future. How it might alter or change the world we live in. The article should be no shorter than 2,000-3,000 words, not an excerpt, but a well-developed concept. It could have political, social, or cultural implications of which we can only anticipate through imaginative thinking what the results might be.

From this article, write three questions that it inspires in you. “What if” kinds of questions. Select one of these questions and write a 750-word reflective response on how you think the implications will play out in the future. Be imaginative AND analytical. Interpret, practice innovative thinking.

We will reconvene on the 18<sup>th</sup> at which time I will collect the article and your essays. You can always reach me via text or email.

