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Edmodo Value-Added Comments Educational Technology

Read the attached notes before starting this assignment.

We want to start having great Edmodo conversations. To do this, we need value-added comments. A value-added comment keeps the conversation going by adding something interesting to a person's post.

Bad	one-word answers, "I agree", etc.
Good!	use more than one sentence, add a website link related to a post, add a new idea, give an example to tell why you agree, ask a question

Remember our norms too: polite, school-related, and good English

For each post below, add a value-added comment beneath it.



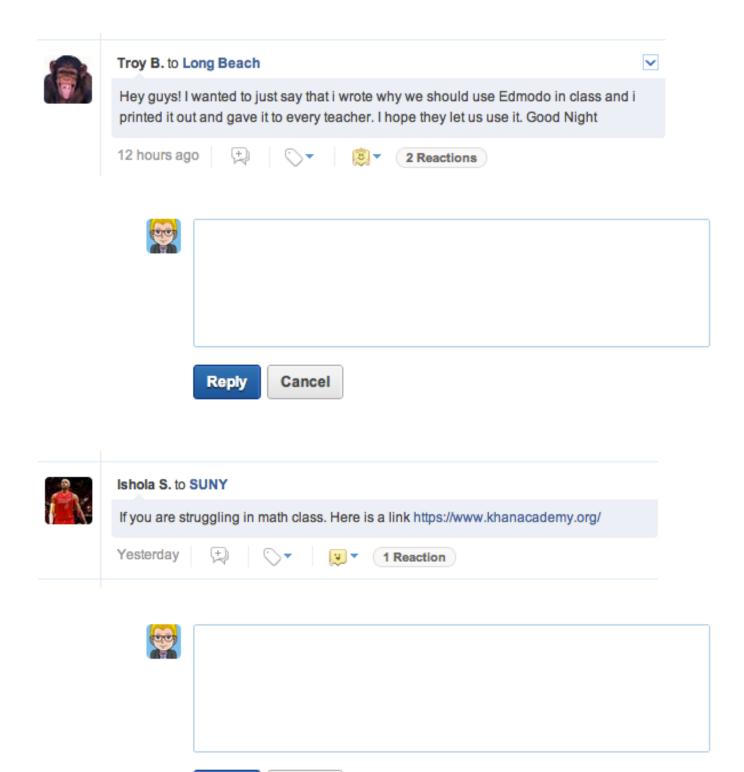
Sheriff A. to Long Beach

Hey fellow scholars I this new website is awesome it has so many fun things to upgrade my profile page check it out by the way Amulet is a good series, but I want to let Nasrine that I own a book of Amulet book five. Second, I also recommend the book Divergent you should search for it... pretty interesting. Have a good day scholars. One more thing, lets hope that the new book that we are reading in Literature Studies is a really good one like A Raisin In The Sun. Good night.

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Creating Value-Added Comments

- Many posts on social networks are useless in some way (just agree/like without adding anything, random rude comment, people talking about themselves, etc.)
- We want to be friendly and add some value to the conversation, to keep it going in helpful ways

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Creating Value-Added Comments

- Must be polite
- Use formal English
- Have detail (2+ sentences)
- Add on something of value (why you think the post is helpful, something it reminded you of, detail explaining the post's idea more, a related resource)

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Example of a strong post and value-added comment

James B. to DePaul

I think Edmodo is a great idea. But what can be done to improve it is for it to have little small groups of school subjects so people who are unclear of a subject can just ask their friends. Also, it would be nice to have a page of helpful tips to do your homework.

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Mr. Irvan - I think this is a great idea. Having school subject groups would make it easier for students to get help on a specific topic (like sharecropping) and not have to post to a larger group. We could even invite teachers to join, like having Ms. Jones check in on the History group to help out.

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