*Guidelines for Class Blogs/Discussion Forums*

* Always clearly identify yourself to other classmates and the teacher using your name.
  + For safety reasons, this should be the period you have me for class + your first name + last initial only.
  + Generally, each post identifies you by your login or e-mail address as well, but do this as a courtesy using good “netiquette”.
* Always employ standard English grammar, accurate spelling, proper usage and compose in complete sentences.
* Always remember that your audience consists of classmates, teachers, administrators, mentors, parents and any other public figures with access – including the MA Department of Elementary & Secondary Education.
  + This is *not* a chat room or informal IM session with friends. All of the posts are saved; all can be printed; and all is the property of the site, your teacher and SBRHS.
* Always uphold the mission of SBRHS: Use **21st century skills** to **safely** and **responsibly** participate in this online academic learning activity; use **critical thinking and creative skills** to fully answer the questions **productively**; keep **high expectations** in mind to answer all questions fully as you post and respond in this activity.