

Name:

Organization:

Due: April 23rd

Congratulations! You have been given \$1,000.00 to donate to the planet. You need to research a non-profit organization to receive the money.

Please include:

- Name of the organization
- History – how & why it was started
- Where are they located?
- What is the goal of this organization?
- Areas of focus for the organization – who are they trying to help?
- What are they doing to help? List at least three projects or areas or animals or people.
- What do volunteers do?
- How does this organization make a difference?
- Rate how important this issue is – to our community, to our state, to the continent, or world.
- Why would this be the best place to spend our money? Give three reasons supported by facts. Try to find out about this issue in other ways besides the website of the organization.

To present:

- Bring back your information ready to go into a presentation software like Powerpoint, Prezi, or a flipchart. Bring photos, too, as you will not have time to find photos in class.
- You will join with two to three other people who researched the same organization. During the first 15 minutes of class, you will have the opportunity compare your findings & to combine your information
- Limit 5 slides – 2 minutes of presentation.
- At least two people must speak.

Evaluate:

- Did each student come prepared?
- Did each student work collaboratively to create a presentation?
- Was the material based in collection of facts from credible sources? More than one source?

We will then vote on which organization would be the best place for our money.

Big Picture: of all these issues, which ones do we most need here in our valley or region?

<http://wildfishconservancy.org/> <http://mtsgreenway.org/>

<http://www.nature.org/ourinitiatives/regions/northamerica/unitedstates/washington/index.htm>

<http://www.arboday.org/> <http://www.growforests.org/>