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Reflection Paper 2

In this semester, I learned much in the class. We talked about many issues that I seldom think about that deeply. Talking with different people expanded my sight because they may look at the same issue in different ways or angles. The topics that we discussed in later classes are more complicated and difficult, like “Social Change” and “Red Pill, Blue Pill”. I was so impressed with these topics because whatever the answer or thoughts you have, it may come out with the further question. I tried to reflect on myself and listen to others’ perspectives. I think we should not regard that everything we think is the only correct way. In this class, I find out that there is no yes or no, but through different opinions and ideas, we can learn to respect the voice which you did not notice or disagree with.

“Red Pill, Blue Pill” is one of the interesting topics that we talked about. It is such a dilemma that we might face in our daily lives. We can be a woke person or asleep. The choice is on our own. My classmates and I discussed many situations, including the political issues, problems between friends and even family. I discovered that people really have different standpoints and decisions for the two pills. In my opinion, I want to urge myself to be a woke person. In this era, I think caring about what we face and try to understand and solve the problems are necessary.

Speaking for yourself is the important change in myself in this class. No matter what you think, just speak yourself because there is nothing wrong. I was too afraid to say my thoughts to others before for worrying about others’ responses. However, I learned that sharing my ideas is important if I want to express myself, and it is a necessary process in our lives. It is ok if we failed or didn’t find the answer. As long as we can push ourselves to think and speak, we can learn, we can rethink, and we can keep going.

This was wonderful to read. I’m glad you were able to find a way for yourself in the

class to learn something new and improve. Nice job!

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