**DTC 375 Language, Texts and Technology**

**Major Assignment #1**

In this first of two assignments, you will create a group publication using Scalar, WordPress, Twine, or another pre-approved platform. This publication must include the following:

* A 500-word reflection over each of the themes on which we focused over the weeks leading to the mid-term. These include: Language & Text, Writing Culture, Print Culture, & Hypertext; this includes the readings, handouts, class discussions, and other materials used during the course.
* At least four images from the Creative Commons
* At least one video from the Creative Commons
* At least one outside reference from Google Scholar or a scholarly text found elsewhere for each reflection

**About the Reflection**

In writing your reflection, please consider the following questions:

* What do the reading(s) suggest about the theme?
* What have others said about it that may agree or disagree with the authors of our texts? (You will need to bring in your references to answer this question)
* What new ideas about the topic came to mind as you read the materials? In other words, what did you learn that you did not know before

**About the Groups**

* At least no more than four people may be involved in any one group
* Each member of the group will highlight the parts of the publication they contributed to
* Each member must be involved in at least one thematic reflection

Note that grades earned may be the same within a group if all members of the group worked equally to produce the publication. In cases where one or more group members did not contribute fully to the project, those students will see lower grades than the rest of the group.

**Evaluation**

* Quality of the writing for the reflection: 60 points (15 points per theme)
* Following directions: 20 points
* Care the publication was given in terms of output (aesthetic, completeness): 20 points