## Costume Redesign Project

**Directions:** Comic writers and artists often update characters by making changes to the character or story – one controversial change that often accompanies character redesigns are costumes. But, when creating or updating a costume, the artist and writer should have reasons for each choice. You will take an iconic character that you have been reading and studying and create a new costume that reflects the character's personality as well as social changes.

## **Costume Redesign Project Requirements:**

- 1. Select a character that you like and know a lot about someone that you have read stories about in class
- 2. List personality traits and provide evidence to support your claims
- 3. Research old costume designs and take notes on iconic symbols, colors, accessories, etc.
- 4. Identify outdated aspects of costume make observations specific and thorough
- 5. Correct each outdated aspect, to reflect our current society
- 6. Write an explanation that clearly and thoroughly describes how your costume changes reflect society and how you maintain iconic components of the original costume



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	Advanced	Proficient	Basic	Below Basic
	(20 pts)	(17-19 pts)	(14-16 pts)	(0-13 pts)
	Sketch is	Sketch is <b>neat</b> and	Sketch is <b>somewhat</b>	Sketch is <b>not neat</b>
Sketch	exceptionally neat	represents the	neat or unclearly	or <b>inaccurately</b>
	while <b>clearly and</b>	character	represents	represents
	cleverly representing		character	character
	the character			
	(29-30 pts)	(25-28 pts)	(21-24 pts)	(0-20 pts)
Content	Student clearly and	Student explains all	Student explains <b>2</b>	Student <b>unclearly</b>
	thoroughly explains	of the following	of the following	explains 2 or fewer
	all of the following	choices:	choices:	of the following
	choices:	-outdated parts of	-outdated parts of	choices:
	-outdated parts of old	old costume	old costume	-outdated parts of
	costume	-iconic aspects of	-iconic aspects of	old costume
	-iconic aspects of	costume	costume	-iconic aspects of
	costume	-new design's	-new design's	costume
	-new design's	reflection of society	reflection of society	-new design's
	reflection of society			reflection of society

## **Costume Redesign Project Rubric:**