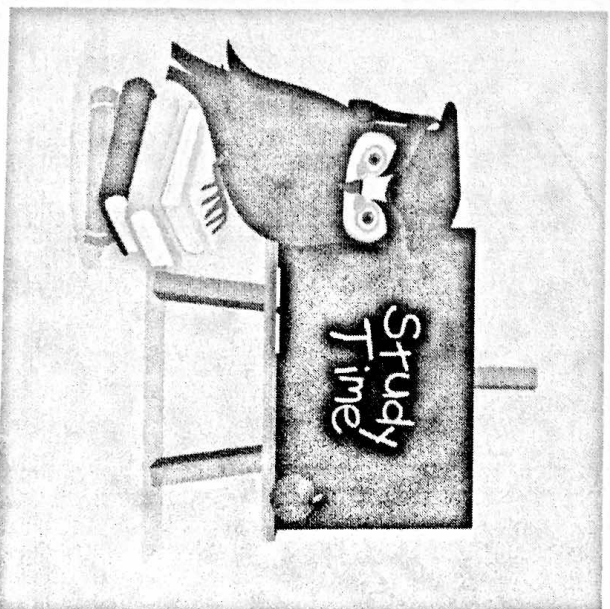


Journal #1 : **1<sup>st</sup> Week of School**

- It's been a long summer... are you happy to be back in school?
- What did you do this summer?  
Favorite/least favorite thing about your summer.
- How do you like your schedule so far? Are you nervous about any of your classes?
- Which class do you think you'll enjoy the most this year? Which do you think you will struggle with?

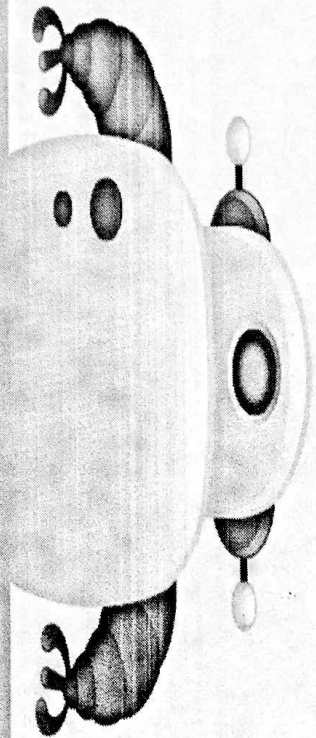


# Celebrities as Role Models?

- Do you think celebrities have a moral responsibility to be good role models for the society?
- If a celebrity does something illegal or "wrong" should they not be allowed to work any more in their celebrity capacity?
- Who are some examples of good and bad celebrity role models?



LET A ROBOT  
DO THE WORK



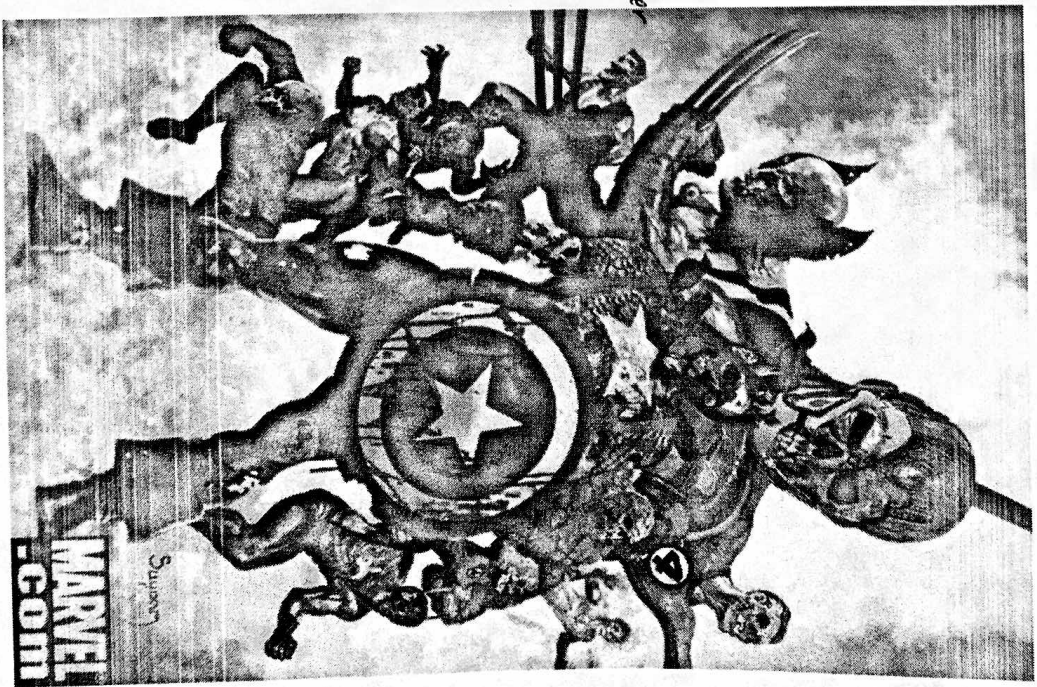
# Robots

- Would you own a robot if you could?
- What would you program your robot to do?
- What could be the benefit/dangers in owning a robot?
- Service Robots: care taking, police (riots/Bomb Squad), cleaning (roomba), food service, military, etc.
- What are your favorite robot movies? (wall-e, iRobot, Terminator, Robo-Cop, AI, Robots, Transformers (alien autobots), Iron Giant, Big Hero 6, Short Circuit, etc.)
- Would you have an android made of yourself if you could?

Who is your Favorite Superhero? Journal #4 page 11

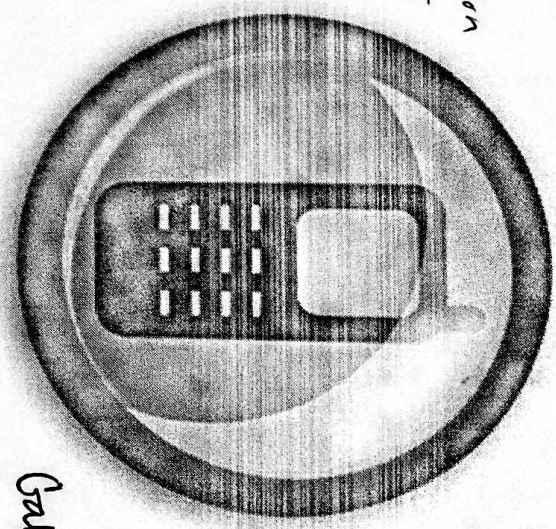
- Who is the coolest superhero you can think of?
- What makes him or her so cool?
- Who is the coolest villain? Why do you like/dislike him or her?
- If you were a superhero, what would your power be? What would your name be?

Doc Oc Penguin  
Sandman Riddler  
Venom Black Panther  
Loki  
Two Faced  
Harley Quinn  
Darth Vader



# Cell phones

Journal #5  
back of composition notebook

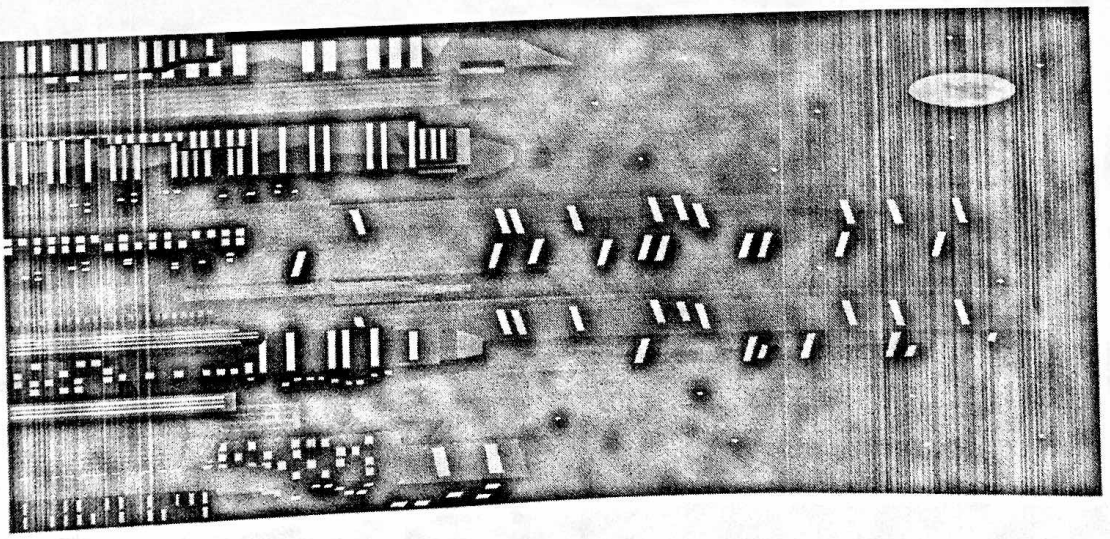


- Is your cell phone important to you? How important?
- Do you think cell phones can be dangerous? How so? (health, attention to potential danger, etc.)  
*- Galaxy Note 7 recall*  
*- shattered phones*
- What do you use your cell phone for? (pictures, texting, calls, internet, etc)  
*- cell phone policies*  
*- games apps. GPS*  
*- cell phone etiquette*
- Could you live without your phone for a week? What would life be like without a cell phone? Would you consider yourself "addicted" to your phone?

# September 11<sup>th</sup>

- The attacks on the Twin Towers 15 years ago...
- What have you learned about Sept. 11<sup>th</sup>?
- How has life changed in America as a result of that day?
- What do you think of Patriotism? Advantages/Disadvantages?
- Why is Patriotism a core democratic value?
- Kaepernick and the National Anthem

"Patriot Day"



# Journal 7: MONEY!!!

- How important is money to you?
- Do you believe money can buy happiness? Explain.
- What's the largest amount of money you ever spent? What was it on?
- What's the best way to get money? (earn it with hard work, win the lottery, inheritance, gifts, etc.)
- Do you think it is important to save your money?
- What is something you would like to save for? How long do you think it will take you to have enough for it? What's a good plan for saving money?



# Get a jobby-job!

- If you could work anywhere, where would you want to work?
- How much do you think you should get paid?
- What's a job you think is good for teenagers? Explain why.

