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Justice for Victims of Police Violence

One World Student Ambassador: Diego Flores

4: Reflection Response

Respond to the Reflection in writing. Choose to respond to all of the General Questions or one of the Topic Questions using a suggested format. Your teacher may decide to assign one for you. Your response should be about 2-3 pages.

General Questions:

- What were the strengths and weaknesses of this Reflection? Be specific in your response, explaining why each element did or did not work.
- What did you learn from reading this Reflection?
- How can you personally connect to this Reflection?
- Evaluate the quality of evidence included in this reflection.
- Are there other important factors to consider when forming an opinion about unjustified police-involved deaths that Diego should have considered in this Reflection?

Topic Questions:

- How can the local, state, and federal government directly address police violence? What types of laws could be created to better protect citizens?
- How do numbers of police-involved deaths compare in other countries? What factors contribute to these similarities or differences?
- What type of training do police officers receive in order to perform their jobs? Research this information. Then, offer suggestions on how that training could be improved to better prepare officers for serving the communities where they work.

Formats:

- Letter: Compose a letter to your local or federal government. Make sure you follow formal letter guidelines in your response.
- Article: Use an objective tone. Ensure that you cover both sides of the discussion.
- Information guide: Write a guide for members of your community, both civilians and law enforcement, to teach them about important factors related to this topic.
- Story: Write a creative narrative that incorporates as many details as possible, while still addressing the topic question appropriately.