THE PRESIDENT’S ANNUAL STATE OF THE UNION ADDRESS
(SPEECH) EXTRA CREDIT ASSIGNMENT
TUESDAY, JANUARY 30, 2018

1. This is **OPTIONAL EXTRA CREDIT** - Classwork Achievement Grade.

2. **DUE** - TWO (2) choices on how to hand this in. Choose one.
   a. **TURN-IN** through Google Classroom/Google Docs anytime **BEFORE 7:40 am on Wednesday, January 31st**
   b. **Give** Mr. Saunders a **paper copy** by **7:40 am on Wednesday, January 31st.**

3. Watch 20 to 30 minutes (or more if your parents let you) of the **President’s State of the Union Address** on **Tuesday, January 30, 2018** starting at 9 pm and ending around 10:15 pm. Watch this on any major network or online. I suggest C-Span or C-Span 2. The times are fluid. Usually when the President enters there is a long time of applause in greeting him. This is tradition. Speeches generally last about an hour after the President begins.

   **TV Channels** – the State of the Union Address/Speech will be broadcast live on C-SPAN, ABC, CBS, FOX and NBC, as well as all cable news channels including CNN, Fox News and MSNBC among others.
   **Internet** - Streamed live all over the internet including the websites of the above mentioned cable news channels.

4. Write **75 words or more** (about 8 to 10 **complete sentences**) by choosing an **ISSUE/TOPIC** the president speaks about:
   1. Include in your writing the following:
      a. Did you agree or disagree with the President’s plan for dealing with that issue in the coming year?
      b. Explain why you did or why you did not agree with his plan. Be Detailed.

5. Make sure you include your first and last name

6. Include your **CLASS NAME**!

7. Handwriting **MUST be neat** so you are encouraged to TYPE.

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