Choose one modern-day thinker and one Scientific Revolution/Enlightenment-era thinker. Then, complete half of the personality portrait for each thinker, using the structure and prompts located on the corresponding handout. Omit “travels” and “timeline.” Complete sentences are not necessary, but complete ideas are. This may be completed electronically or physically.

Note that points are earned primarily for content (up to 8 pts), but your poster should be visually attractive and organized as well (up to 2). Please also include a list of all sources used on the back of your poster (up to 2). You may earn up to 12 assessment pts back. See example posters for guidance.

**Modern-day thinkers**

1. Audre Lorde (black feminist writer/LGBT rights activist)
2. Elon Musk (Tesla/inventor)
3. Bill Gates (Microsoft/technology entrepreneur)
4. Steve Jobs (Apple/technology entrepreneur)
5. Mark Zuckerberg (Facebook/technology entrepreneur)
6. Ayaan Hirsi Ali (women’s rights activist/atheist)
7. Noam Chomsky (linguist/author/policy analyst)
8. Michelle Bachelet (First female president of Chile/just proposed LGBT rights bill)
9. Richard Dawkins (scientific writer and atheist)
10. Sam Harris (philosopher—writes about morality a lot)
11. Malala Yousafzai (women’s rights activist/Muslim)
12. Christopher Hitchens (philosopher/atheist)
13. Penn Jillette (political commentator/atheist)
14. Ruth Bader Ginsberg (Supreme Court Justice/leans liberal)
15. Ben Shapiro (political commentator/pro-capitalist/libertarian/Orthodox Jew)
16. Wangari Maathai (Kenyan environmentalist/women’s rights activist)
17. Banksy (street artist/activist/anti-capitalist)
18. Danica Roem (first transgender state legislator/liberal)
19. Tim Berners-Lee (creator of world wide web)
20. Shinya Yamanaka (Nobel Prize winner/researcher of adult stem cells)
21. Craig Venter (Human Genome)
22. Dennis Prager (conservative political commentator)
23. Pope Francis (…he’s the Pope)
24. Someone of your own choosing—you must get this cleared via email with Boyd first!

**Scientific Rev./Enlightenment-era thinkers**

1. Copernicus
2. Newton
3. Brahe
4. Galileo
5. Kepler
6. Bacon
7. Descartes
8. Locke
9. Hobbes
10. Rousseau
11. Montesquieu
12. Beccaria
13. Voltaire
14. Diderot
15. Wollstonecraft
16. de Gouges
17. Adam Smith
18. Karl Marx
19. Someone of your own choosing—you must get this cleared via email with Boyd first!