Political Participation Flyer (Make-up Assignment from 10/13/14)

Directions: Voter turnout has historically been low among young voters. In the 2012 presidential election, the voter turnout for Americans 18-24 was 41.2%. Not so good. It is your job to A) show students here at Albemarle High School the different ways they can participate in politics and B) to convince them to vote when they turn 18. You have the choice between creating a flyer on a sheet of computer paper or on a powerpoint slide/word document. In addition to your "poster" you will also be responsible for the checklist and reflection questions on the bottom of this sheet. You will be assessed according to the following checklist:
Includes a catchy slogan to attract young people to participate in politics (3 pts)
Includes at least 5 images depicting different ways to participate in politics (5 pts)
Includes a hashtag that explains the importance of voting in particular (2 pts)
Uses creativity and color to attract the targeted audience of young voters (2 pts)
Individual Reflection complete (3 pts)
Individual Reflection Answer these questions individually after completion of the poster.
1. How does your poster encourage young voters to participate in politics?
2. Looking at the five types of political participation you depicted in your flyer, which do you think young voters are most likely to participate in? Explain your answer.
3. What do you think is the most effective way to encourage young people to participate in politics, and specifically to vote?