Oral Assignment 1: Self-Introduction Speech 50 pts

You will be given 3 minutes to introduce yourself to the class. During those 3 minutes you must cover the basics: Name, major and favorite food and/or music. Where were you born? What was the name of the last institution you attended? (High school, Community college, or SJSU)

How big is your family? Which child are you? (Oldest, youngest, etc)… But as you introduce yourself to your peers you must fill in the rest of the time with answers to the following questions.

1. A) If you are on probation:
   - What do you feel were the mistakes you made that contributed to your being on probation? (Show some insight into the problem)
   - What things do you feel you need to change (or get control of) to be academically successful this semester?
   - What sacrifices are you willing to make to ensure your academic success?
   - What do you hope to gain from this class?

B) If you are not on probation:
   - What strategies did you use to accomplish being a student in good standing?
   - What sacrifices did you make to ensure your academic success?
   - What do you hope to gain from this class?

C) For both groups (probation & non probation)
   - Do you feel you have any positive role models in your life?
   - Who are or were they? And why do you consider them a positive role model for you?

To pass this assignment you MUST hit the 3 minute mark (+/- 10 seconds) but CANNOT go over 3 minutes. You will be graded pass or fail on this assignment. Practice before you get up in front of the class with a friend or family member. Remember you must hit your time in order to pass. You must be clear, speak loudly enough to be heard by the class, and maintain eye contact with your audience. You may use flash cards to assist you but you MAY NOT read directly from them.