Podcasting Reflections by Students

**The aim of this task is simple**:

For **Part 1**, provide a detailed description of your podcasting experience, including all the stages you went through, everything you did, your feelings throughout the experience, the challenges you went through, and suggestions to overcome these challenges.

For **Part 2**, share your own views about different aspects of the podcasting approach. ===============================================================

Part 1:

1. Describe in detail your podcasting experience in the following 3 phases:

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| Phase 1.  **Describe in detail how you prepared for the podcasting experience?**  (e.g., how you started; resources you used to learn how to create a podcast; what assistance you received in the early stages; etc) |
| …  First, I start with preparing the information that I should say in my podcasting.  So I saw many videos on how to great good podcasting. I used some resources from google on how to do and create podcasts. So I got some help from my friends to use some elements to make a good podcast. |
| Phase 2.  **Describe in detail the process of creating the podcast?**  (e.g., tools you used; decisions you made; changes you had to make; etc.) |
| ...firstly, I collect my information from different resources and I wrote them in apes of paper. I organized what I should say at the beginning, in the middle, and in the end. Secondly, I took much time just searching for suitable music to add to the podcast. So I tried many kinds of music and I change them until I found a good one. |
| Phase 3.  **Describe in detail what you did after you finished the podcast?**  (e.g., evaluating your work; seeking feedback, etc.) |
| ..  After I finished my podcast I sent it to my friend and he helped to made it very interesting. I worked on it again until I finished and it was a good podcast. |

2. What challenges did you face in the three phases?

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| Phase 1.  **What challenges did you face while preparing to create your podcast?**  (e.g., issues with scripting, finding the right resources, lack of motivation, uncertainty, etc.) |
| …  I faced network issues and it was so slow but it was fine I managed to continue working on my podcast but the big is when I finished my podcast my laptop showed me that must I upload new Windows because the old one is close to finishing and I clicked on OK to upload i did not think that everything in my laptop will be deleting and it was no time because I had just one day so I decided to do it in another app to finish quickly. |
| Phase 2.  **What challenges did you face during the process of creating your podcast?**  (e.g., issues with software, time, editing, etc.) |
| ...  Almost it was the time because it is my first time I used audacity. |
| Phase 3.  **What challenges did you face after you finished the podcast?**  (e.g., fixing mistakes, evaluating the podcast, dissatisfaction with the final outcome, exporting the file to MP3, etc.) |
| ..  I faced some issues with fixing my mistakes on this app and I fixed some of and another mistake I was not able to fix because there was no time for me. |

3. What suggestions do you have to overcome the challenges you faced (if any)?

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| Phase 1.  **What can you suggest to help overcome the challenges faced in phase 1?** |
| …  I suggest making a copy of your work after you finish because you do not know what issues |

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| will come to you and if you do not do that you may lose a lot of your information and you work hard to finish but it gets lost because of small mistakes. |
| Phase 2.  **What can you suggest to help overcome the challenges faced in phase 2?** |
| ...  I suggest making a plan to finish your work in a short time without plan you may be late to submit your works. |
| Phase 3.  **What can you suggest to help overcome the challenges faced in phase 3?** |
| ..  I suggest that it is better to fix your mistakes at the time so when you feel there is something wrong you have to fix it otherwise you may forget about it. |

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Part 2.

1. What do you think about student-generated podcasting as a learning approach?

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| Podcasting is a type of learning by doing (or experiential learning). **a. What do you think about this type of learning?**  **b. Does it present any challenges to you?** |
| …  I think it is a very challenging way at the same time it is useful because you will learn a lot of things. just at the beginning, you may face some problem after that you deal with it in a good way. |
| Podcasting requires students to create a digital output (or artefact). **a. What do you think about this type of learning?**  **b. Does it present any challenges to you?** |
| ...  I think it is a good way to save something and it is a good way to learn. About the challenges, yes because it sometimes takes time to do it. |
| Podcasting requires a student-centred learning approach. |

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| **a. What do you think about this type of learning? b. Does it present any challenges to you?** |
| ..  I think it is very important to focus on students because when students doing such a thing they will repeat it much time so from that, they will learn and enjoy at the same time. No, because it is for developing my knowledge. |
| Podcasting requires learning through technology.  **a. What do you think about this type of learning? b. Does it present any challenges to you?** |
| …  I think it is very important to use technology because nowadays if you want to motivate students in learning you should use new ways and that connecting with technology. You have to forget about old ways. Yes, because if we do not use technology in our learning it would be boring for students. |