

Honors Podcast Planning Template: Global Philanthropy & Economic Impact

Student Name: _____

Philanthropist Chosen: _____

Organization/Foundation: _____

Country or Region of Focus: _____

Podcast Title

Write a short, creative title for your episode:

1. Introduction (30–45 seconds)

- Introduce yourself and the episode title.
- State the name of the philanthropist and their organization.
- Briefly introduce the economic issue they are addressing (e.g., poverty, infrastructure, fair trade).

Notes/Script:

2. Research Highlights (1–2 minutes)

- Summarize your key research findings from your article summary.
- Include specific examples of the organization's work and global impact.
- Use at least two Unit 4 vocabulary terms.

Notes/Script:

3. Analysis and Reflection (2–3 minutes)

- Explain how globalization, trade, or international economic policies affect the philanthropist’s work and the organization’s efforts.
- Evaluate their effectiveness:
 - Have their efforts created a lasting impact?
 - Are there any criticisms or limitations?
- Reflect on your personal reaction: What surprised you? Why does this matter?

Notes/Script:

4. Closing Statement (30–45 seconds)

- Summarize your main takeaways.
- Suggest how the philanthropist’s work could grow or improve in the future.
- Thank your audience for listening.

Notes/Script:

Recording Checklist

- My episode is 5–6 minutes long. ☐
- I used my voice only (not AI). ☐

- I included at least 2 vocabulary terms. ☐
- I evaluated the effectiveness and impact of the organization. ☐
- I reflected on how globalization or policy plays a role. ☐
- I saved my podcast as an .mp3 file or included a shareable link. ☐