# Tuesday, December 8, 2009

## Required Materials

- 1. Pen/pencil
- 2. 2 sheets of paper
  - Warm Up/Notes
  - Analyze Persuasive
     Appeal in
     Infomercials

#### Announcements

• N/A

## Agenda

- 1. Word of the Day and Warm Up
- 2. Big Questions
- 3. SWYW Challenge Update
- 4. Reminder: Propaganda Techniques
- 5. Notes: Persuasive Appeals, Persuasive Triangle of Appeals
- 6. Practice:
  - 1. HSN Jewelry
  - 2. Christian Children's Fund
  - 3. Miracle Blade III w/ Chef Tony

## 12.08.2009 (5 min)

#### Timer

• WOD:

contemporary: to live in the same time period as something or someone (Mr. Hampton is a contemporary of Ms. Camp)

- Warm Up:
  - 1. Make a sentence for the **Word of the Day** that shows the meaning of *contemporary*.
  - 2. Everyday you see services (like house or car cleaning) or products (like food or technology) that can be purchased, either in real life or on television. How do you think people are convinced that they need to buy these products? Explain your answer in 2-3 sentences.

## "Big Questions"

#### **Monday**

- ✓ Why should/shouldn't I go to college?
- ✓ How can I make an iMovie project and get an 'A'?

### **Tuesday**

- □ What are the differences between logical, emotional, and ethical appeal?
- What are the different types of propaganda?

#### Wednesday (Early Release)

□ What is Mr. Hampton's Wiki Address and why should I check the website?

### Thursday/Friday

How can I make a persuasive brochure that sells a product or a service?

# **Current Standings**

	Period	Number of Strikes	% HW Complete	Missing Materials
N O N O T E S	1	O	62%	1
	2	O	69%	O
	3	O	72%	O
	4	О	77%	О
	5	O	64%	О
	6	0	70%	O

## Propaganda

• Propaganda = Techniques the author uses to influence how you think and feel about a subject.

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# Nostalgia

• The "good old days" are better than today; a return to simplicity.

• Usually, the 1950's

• CLIP WATCHED: *Pleasantville* 



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## **Scare Tactic**

- Puts fear into the viewer.
- Will there be enough?
- What will happen if I don't believe the author?
- CLIP WATCHED: Brinks Home Security



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## **Testimonial**

- Someone tells you to do something
- An "expert" or a celebrity
- CLIP WATCHED:

  Proactiv Acne Medication



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## Plainfolks

 A specific type of testimonial:

• A "regular" person, who is like you, tells you to do something.

• CLIP WATCHED: Vault Energy Drink



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# Bandwagon

• If everyone is doing it, you should do it too.

• CLIP WATCHED: Wendy's Hamburgers



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Methods that a speaker uses to convince an audience.

## Persuasive Appeals

- Logical: based on facts and statistics
- Emotional: arouses the feelings of the reader—happiness, sadness, anger, etc.
- Ethical: arouses the sense of morality of the reader—what is right/wrong

# Logical Appeal

Case Study: Geico





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# **Emotional Appeal**

Case Study: Obama/Geroge Bush with babies

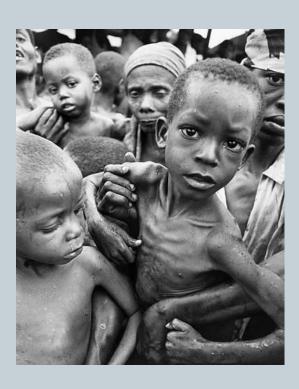




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# **Ethical Appeal**

Case Study: Feed the Children





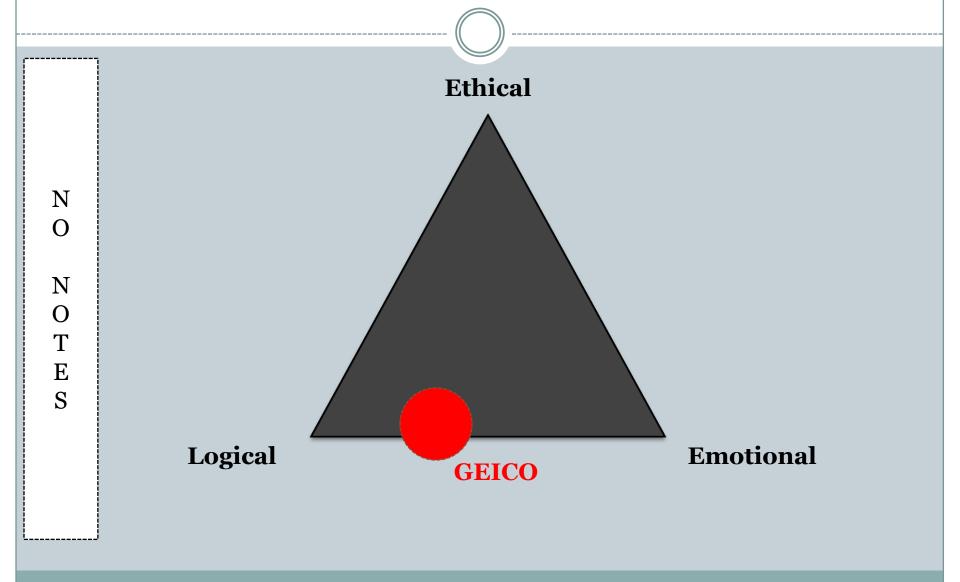
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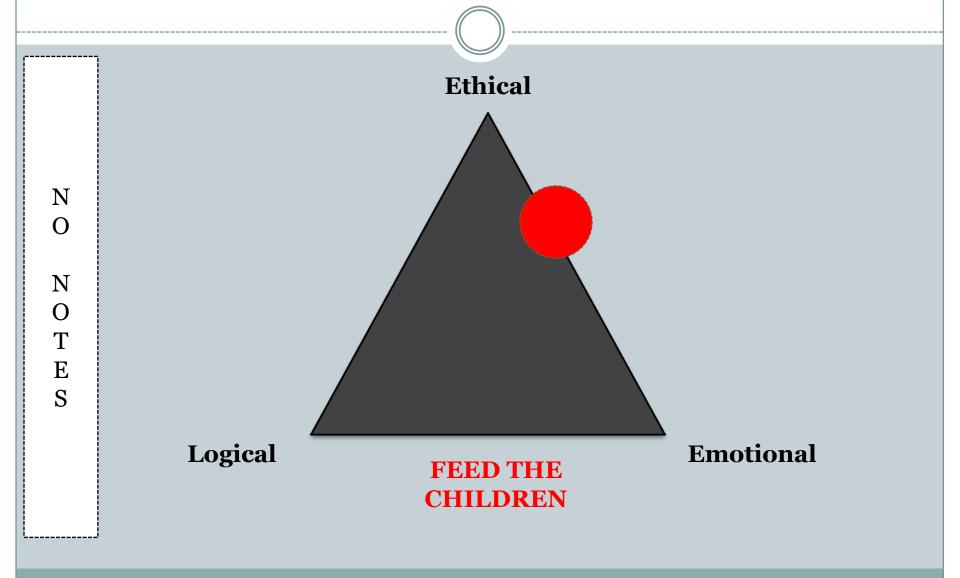
Logical

**Emotional** 

# Example Persuasive Appeal Triangle



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## Let's Practice

- Use a separate sheet of paper
- Watch three infomercials

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- ☐ HSN Jewelry (3 min)
- □ Christian Children's Fund (4 min)
- ☐ Miracle Blade III w/ Chef Tony (7 min)
- □ After each infomercial, 3-4 sentence description of what type of appeal you saw (logical, emotional, ethical)
- □ When done with all three, turn in to box!