HUMANITIES 001: CREATIVE MINDS

WEEK 6 - HR 3

THE CREATIVE PROCESS COVERED THUS FAR

- Stage 1: The Ordinary World
- Stage 2: Answering the Call
- Stage 3: Entering the Sea of Possibilities
- Stage 4: Trials & Tribulations of Finding New Ideas

How?

Let's try this in groups...

Q: A baby falls from a 28 story building but survives. How did the baby survive the fall?

What's important?

- Explore
- Play Around
- Goal = Many Ideas

"Not-So-Secret" Secrets of Out-of-the-Box Thinking

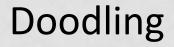
- New & Unique ideas
- Most common techniques
- Creativity "on-demand."
- Loosening the mind for insight.

How many of you **DO NOT** think you can draw?

But first, your chance to be heroic.

Volunteers to do something potentially embarrassing?







1. Go

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What occurred to help us manifest something creative?

1. Go with the creative flow.

- Do you think you can do that?
- Have you ever day dreamed?
- Free-association: Undirected thoughts.
- Let's try! Circle Up
 - Practice
 - Clapping
 - Mr. Wikipedia

What occurred to help us manifest something creative?

- 1. Go with the creative flow.
- 2. Mix and Match: Combinatory Play
 - All new ideas intersection of old ideas in new ways.
 - Or the rearranging of old ideas in new ways.

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Group Activity:

- 1. Decide on an ordinary object that is currently visible to your group.
- 2. Now try to mix and match ideas by finding a new use for it as a...
 - -Chef -Science teacher -Jockey (horse racing) -Gardener -Policeman

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Group Activity:

- 1. Decide on something you do that has a multi-step process and list out all of the steps, in order, in which you usually do it in.
- 2. Now rearrange the order of the steps and see if you can create a more interesting, unique, and possibly more beneficial process.