## Assignment : Networks & Device Security

- 1. On your class portfolio website, create a new page called "Networks & Device Security"
- 2. This new page will contain the following information:
  - Explain what a "Mobile Network" is and describe how it works
  - Describe the effect of frequency on cell coverage. List the advantages and disadvantages of higher vs lower frequencies
  - List the top four mobile network operators in North America
  - List the 2 fastest Mobile Networks in Texas for 2013. Compare and contrast their performance in speed vs. reliability
  - Describe at least five mobile device security threats and explain the potential risks
  - Explain what a "Mobile Virus" is. Compare and contrast a "Worm" and a "Trojan"
  - Explain the function of "Antivirus Software" and how it works
- 3. All information must be visible on your website. You may use information from other websites, but may not link to them.
- 4. You will be graded only on the information visible on your "Networks & Device Security" page.
- 5. All information must be in your own words. Remember what you learned about Copyright laws. If you plagiarize information from other websites or sources you will receive a 0 no excuses, no exceptions. If you use internet images, make sure you site your sources.

## Suggested Websites:

- http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Antivirus\_software
  http://www.privateline.com/mt\_cellbasics/iii\_cell\_sector\_terminology/
- http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Cellular\_network
- http://www.pcmag.com/article2/0,2817,2420334,00.asp
- http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/List\_of\_mobile\_network\_operators\_of\_the\_Americas#Uni ted\_States
- http://searchmobilecomputing.techtarget.com/guides/Mobile-device-protection-and-security-threat-measures
- http://www.sophos.com/en-us/security-news-trends/glossary.aspx#virus

**Note:** All links are on the assignment page of our class website.