## **Answer**

Scenario: You are presenting your end-of-class celebration plans to a jury whose sole purpose is to approve or reject end-of-class celebration plans. This jury has decided many such cases, so it is your job to make your case compelling, engaging, exciting, unique, and argumentatively sound.

Choosing to have a celebration of finishing classes or not is solely up to the individual and what they want to do. It varies merely on what someone may think of as a way of celebrating such as going out with friends, taking a few days to rest and relax, or pampering themselves with self-care options like a mani-pedi or a massage and facial. Many different options arise when I think about what to do after finishing and passing classes that have been time consuming and difficult. With this brings up the idea of how impacted a person is when it comes to the courses they are taking. Everyone reacts to their schedules differently and there is no doubt about that. It is difficult to put forth 150% of their time to their courses when juggling jobs, family obligations, and whatever else may arise. Things spring upon each individual differently and there is nothing but relaxation needed after tough semesters.

Some may think no celebration is needed when finishing classes and they just jump right into the next because they are solely focused on their education. Although this may be true and a lot may do this especially in times when everything is online, it is more difficult for yourself and your mental state when you do this because you don't give yourself a break and a shutdown mode for a little bit of time before moving on. The sense of overbearingness of school and overworking yourself kicks in a lot quicker in times like this than anything else. The celebration factor is what gives your mind and body a break to relax and rejuvenate for the next set of courses: to be able to do better and to your fullest abilities. Taking time for yourself is never a crime, but more of a necessity especially when some courses may be overpowering and stressful. The destressor of a celebration factor is what makes up for this.

During end-of-class celebration in this case, it actually ends on my 21st birthday. I will celebrate personally by going out to dinner and such for my birthday with friends and family. It will be very relaxed and nothing too exciting under the circumstances of what 2020 has brought upon us. More so going to a restaurant and drinking at home to celebrate is in order rather than going out because I work in healthcare that wouldn't be smart of me to do and I don't see myself shying away from the right thing for one night.

Although some may believe turning 21 is such a milestone in life I see it as just another day, just being of legal age. I chose to have some sort of celebration in this case a bit different than what I would usually do, but that just makes my situation unique and special.