Mid Term Assignment

For this assignment, students are to choose an episode of Cosmos and then they must summarize the main ideas presented in it, critique it, and follow it up with a recommendation. If unable to view an episode of Cosmos, students may use Youtube to watch Carl Sagan’s Cosmos (The original!)

After viewing the documentary students should be able to answer the following questions:

1. What are the main ideas presented in the documentary?
2. What are the descriptions or explanations of the mathematic/scientific principles presented in the episode?
3. What is the historical context that the episode takes place?
4. Was the episode informative?
5. Was it entertaining? Why or why not?
6. Would you recommend it to the others? Why or Why not?
7. What present day applications does the content of the episode have?
8. Please include the title of the documentary and the web address.

The write up should be at least two pages and should have complete sentences.

Due Date: April 5, 2016