Copyright Response Example

- Find a completed copyright court case (that has a verdict) that was not discussed in class. (You may use the links below to find your case. Note which one you chose or paste the URL of the one you chose here).
  - My sources:

- Answer the following questions in complete sentences (NOTE: you may need to do a little extra research than the links listed above to get all the needed information):
  1. What were the circumstances? How was the work used?
     Apfelkind is a café tailored toward parents with young children. It is a place where parents can drink coffee while their children play or listen to storytellers. The owner, Christin Römer, hopes to open a retail portion to her shop which will include fashion garments, toys and services once the café takes off. Apple sent a “decease and desist” letter to Römer, saying that the logo is too similar to their own logo and people could confuse the two and think that they are affiliated with each other.

  2. What was the verdict (fair use or not)?
     Apfelkind won the lawsuit after 2 years of battle. After that time, Apple withdrew its objection

  3. Do you agree or disagree? Why?
     I agree with this decision. The little café was not all that similar to Apple's logo (amount). The obvious color difference and the lack of a bite in the apple is unavoidable. Plus, the small café isn’t even in the same market as the tech giant (market).

  4. Include an image of the work being discussed. (image source: https://ebaqdesign.com/blog/trademark-logo/attachment/apple-vs-apfelkind/)