

English I On-level (non honors)

Literature Reading Assignment: The Outsiders by S.E. Hinton

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 - Journal #2—"Explain the competition for the girls between the Socs and the Greasers."
 - Journal #3—"What are some of the cycles of life that are used to unite Socs and Greasers?"
 - Journal #4—"How does Ponyboy's understanding of the Socs change throughout the novel?"

Vocabulary Assignment

- Find **25 words** from your book that are unfamiliar— define, include part of speech, and page number.
- **Handwrite** your vocabulary list in the same spiral notebook as the journal.

All assignments are to be turned in on August 16 the first Tuesday of the 2016-2017 school year.

- The journal is worth one exam grade.
- The vocabulary is worth one homework grade.
- These grades will be recorded for the first term of the 2015-2016 academic year.

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Pre AP Poetry Project: "Nothing Gold Can Stay" by Robert Frost

Create a collage of images that you feel best represents your understanding of the 8 lines in Frost's poem

- Display the images on an 8 ½ x11 sheet of paper or cardstock (must be completely covered).
- Typed and pasted to the back of the collage should be 1 paragraph explaining details of the images and their connections to lines in the poem.
- Citation of sources for the pictures is required

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- The vocabulary is worth one homework grade.
- The project is worth one quiz grade.
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Summer Reading Rubrics

Journal Entries

	Completed (15 pts)	Effective (5 pts)	Handwritten (5 pts)	Comments	Total
Entry 1	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Entry 2	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Entry 3	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Entry 4	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
		Turned in on Time	_____	Exam Grade	_____

Vocabulary

# of words	Part of speech	Definition	Handwritten		Homework Grade
_____	_____	_____	_____		_____

Collage

CATEGORY	4	3	2	1
Overall Impression	The collage fully reflects the student's understanding of the poem	The collage communicates some aspects of the student's understanding of the poem	The collage presents words and images that relate to the poem, but it fails to communicate the poem as a whole	The collage does not adequately reflect the student's understanding of the poem
Specific Words and Images	All words and images are related to the topic and make it easier to understand the author's perspective.	All words and images are related to the topic and most make it easier to understand the author's perspective.	All words and images relate to the topic.	Words and images do not relate to the topic OR the relation is vague
Design	Graphics are trimmed or cropped to an appropriate size and interesting shape and are arranged well, some in front and some behind. Care has been taken to balance the pictures across the collage.	Graphics are trimmed or cropped to an appropriate size and interesting shape and are arranged with some items in front and others behind. The collage however does not appear balanced.	Graphics have been trimmed or cropped to an appropriate size and shape, but the arrangement of items is not very attractive. It appears there was not a lot of planning of the item placement.	Graphics are untrimmed or not cropped OR of inappropriate size and/or shape. It appears little attention was given to designing the collage.
Technical Construction	The collage shows considerable attention to construction. The collage is exceptionally attractive in terms of design, layout, and neatness.	The collage shows attention to construction. The collage is attractive in terms of design, layout and neatness.	The collage shows some attention to construction. The collage is acceptably attractive though it may be a bit messy.	The collage was put together sloppily. The collage is distractingly messy or very poorly designed. It is not attractive.