

English II On-level (non-honors)

Literature Reading Assignment: And Then There Were None by Agatha Christie ISBN: 9780312979478

Journal Assignments: Hand write 4 separate 400-word journals on lined paper using complete sentences. In each entry write a brief synopsis over each section, respond to the story, and answer the following question:

Journal #1—“Which 2 characters interest you most?”

Journal #2—“If you could be an ally with any character, which would you chose?”

Journal #3—“Do you think the killer is killing randomly or in a specific order?”

Journal #4— “If the justice system fails, do people have the right to deal out their own version of justice?”

Vocabulary Assignment

- Find **25 words** from your book that are unfamiliar— define, include part of speech, and page number.
- **Handwrite** your vocabulary list on lined paper.

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 2016-2017 academic year.

English II Pre-AP/Honors

Literature Reading Assignment: Theban Plays : King Oedipus; Oedipus at Colonus; Antigone by Sophocles
ISBN: 9780140440034

Journal Assignments: Hand write 4 separate 400-word journals on lined paper using complete sentences. In each entry write a brief synopsis over each section, respond to the story, and answer the following question:

Journal #1— *King Oedipus*—“Do you think the tragedy that occurred was the fault of Oedipus or was it fate?”

Journal #2— *Oedipus at Colonus*— “Compare and contrast Oedipus in Play I to Oedipus in Play II. How is he the same? How is he different?”

Journal #3— *Antigone*— “What is Sophocles opinion of women in a patriarchal society?”

Journal #4— All of the plays—Discuss the role of the chorus. How does the chorus affect the action? Does it affect the reader’s response?

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Family Tree Project

- Create a family tree for the trilogy’s family. Begin as far back as possible based on research and the play (at least 3 generations).
- Put a quote from the plays next to each family member that is represented in the family tree.
- It must be on unlined paper, 8.5 x 11 inches. It may be completed on the computer or hand drawn.
- Be creative. Antigone’s Family Tree should be interesting and creative not just a black and white representation.
- A Works Cited must accompany the Family Tree with a list of all sources used to gather family info.

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- The Vocabulary is worth one homework grade.
- The Family Tree 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
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

Family Tree

CATEGORY	4	3	2	1
Overall Impression	The family tree fully reflects at least 3 generations of Antigone's family	The family tree communicates some of the generations of Antigone's family	The family tree presents some of the generations but fails to present the majority of Antigone's family	The family tree does not adequately reflect the family tree of Antigone
Works Cited	All words and images are cited appropriately in MLA format and attached to the family tree	Most words and images are cited appropriately	Some words and images are cited appropriately	Words and images are not cited
Design	Display of the family tree is graphically interesting and arranged well. Care has been taken to balance the family tree. It is attractive in layout.	Display of the family tree is graphically interesting and arranged well. The family tree however does not appear balanced.	Display of the family tree is graphically interesting, but the arrangement of items is not very attractive. It appears there was not a lot of planning of the item placement.	It appears little attention was given to designing the collage.
Quotes	Each family member displayed on the family tree has an accompanying quote from the Trilogy about them on the family tree.	Most of the family members displayed on the family tree have an accompanying quote from the Trilogy about them.	Some of the family members displayed on the family tree have an accompanying quote from the Trilogy about them.	Quotes are not displayed with family members.