

Honors 10th Grade Summer Reading Projects

Due: Friday, September 13th, 2019

This project is for Honors English 10 only!

For your summer reading project you will read the book *Lord of the Flies* by William Golding. It is a classic novel that can easily be found at the library, or for free online.

Part 1 (Required!) Worth: 40 points

Vocabulary

Find **10** different vocabulary words in the novel that you did not know. Write the word, the definition, and use the word **correctly** in a sentence.

Part 2 (Required! Pick 1 one of the following options) Worth: 75 points

Option #1 Reunion Short Story: Pretend the boys safely get back to England and have a reunion 20 years after their rescue. Create a short story. Include what the characters have done over the past 20 years and any memories you might want to suppress or explore. The paper should be about 2 pages, typed, double spaced, with 1 inch margins and 12 pt. Cambria, Arial, or Times New Roman font. Type it in Google Docs!

Option #2 Social Media: Choose a character and create a social media “life” for this character. Imagine that while on the island, the character has access to Instagram, Twitter, Facebook, etc. This product can be digital or in hard copy. The character must have at least **10** different posts and at least **3** different pictures. Create a profile picture with a little biography about the character. You may do this in Google docs or on a poster board. Be creative!

Option #3 Create a Playlist: Choose **5** songs that you think the characters would listen to either while on the island or in general because the song fits his particular personality. Write a paragraph for each of the songs explaining why you chose that song. Use specific lyrics to support why you chose the song. You should have a total of **5** paragraphs typed.

PROJECT #2: Choose your own novel project. (Required)

Read a novel of your choice - it cannot be a novel you read before and it cannot be one you will read later on in high school (*To Kill A Mockingbird*, *Hamlet*, *Julius Caesar*, *The Great Gatsby*, *Catcher in the Rye*, *Sold*, or *Night*.)

It must be grade level appropriate!

For this project, you must create a PowerPoint or Google Slides presentation.

Slide #1 – Write a mini-biography of the author of your novel. Cite your information using MLA format if necessary.

Slide #2 – Literary Elements. You should have at least three examples of these from the novel. Examples could be: foreshadowing, suspense, symbolism, irony, etc. Explain how these elements are used in the novel very briefly.

Slide #3 – Major characters. List the major characters with a brief description of them.

Slide #4 – Major themes. List at least two themes from the novel using evidence from the text to support the development of the theme throughout the novel.

Slide #5 – Significant Quotes. Choose two quotes from the novel and explain why you chose them.

Slide #6 – Recommendation. Would you recommend this novel to others? Be able to explain why or why not using evidence from the text.

If you have any questions regarding these projects please e-mail Ms. Moyer at:

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DO NOT WAIT UNTIL LAST MINUTE TO COMPLETE THESE PROJECTS!

HAVE A SAFE SUMMER!