

March 2008

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				Feb. 28 Identify causes and effects in a short story. Read "A Sound of Thunder" and identify the main cause and its effects in the story.	Feb. 29 Vocabulary Test	1
2 Journal #1: Freewrite Journal #2: Choose 2 of the journal questions and respond to them based on <i>The Outsiders</i> . Journal #3: p. 596, Writing	3 Correct run-on sentences by using commas in coordinating conjunction, subordinating conjunction, or semi-colon within a writing sample Complete the exercise 5, p. 328 in the Writing text. <i>The Outsiders (remainder of the novel)- movie</i> 30 note cards due by 2:15.	4 Distinguish between fact and opinion. Read "A Warm, Clear Day in Dallas", p. 676 and answer the questions. <i>The Outsiders- movie</i>	5 Distinguish between primary and secondary sources. Read "Students React to President Kennedy's Death", p. 682 and answer the questions. <i>The Outsiders-- movie</i>	6 Distinguish between internal/external conflicts. Read "Beware of the Dog", p. 687, and answer the questions.	7 Vocabulary Test <i>The Outsiders Test</i> Students ½ day 30 note cards due by 11:30.	8
9 Journals #4 and 5: 2 freewrites	10 Distinguish between synonyms and antonyms. Complete p. 685, Practice. Identify examples of allusion in a written passage. Read "American History", p. 661 and answer the questions given.	11 Revise run-on sentences. Complete Rev. B, p. 329. Identify examples of allusion in a written passage. Complete "American History", p. 661 and answer the questions given.	12 Identify poetic and sound devices and figurative language in poems. Read selected poems on pages 531-552 and identify poetic devices in them. 40 note cards due by 2:15	13 Choose the correct pronoun case in a sentence in which the pronoun follows "than" within a written passage. Complete selected exercises in the Writing text. Pp. 548-564	14 Vocabulary Test Identify the main idea and its supporting details in a comparison and contrast essay. Read "Time Out", p. 89 and answer the questions in the margin.	15
16	17 Spring Break	18 Spring Break	19 Spring Break	20 Spring Break	21 Spring Break	22 Spring Break
23 Journals #6: Choose any story we've read and answer 3 questions from the journal sheet. Journal #7: Freewrite	24 Spring Break	25 Outline and Rough Draft due by 2:15. Selecting the correct supporting details for an implied main idea. Complete Ex. 2, p. 353-363	26 Use quotation marks correctly in a direct quote Complete p. 682-??? in the Writing text	27 Understand and explain characteristics of epic poetry. Read "The Odyssey" and answer questions given.	28 Vocabulary Test Understand and explain characteristics of epic poetry. Read "The Odyssey" and answer questions given.	29

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<p>Journals #8 and 9: Choose 2 of the assignments on page 814 for "The Odyssey" Journal #10: freewrite</p>	<p>March 31 Combine sentences to improve that structure within a passage. Complete Practice on page 673 in the literature text. Understand and explain characteristics of epic poetry. Read "The Odyssey" and answer questions given</p>	<p>1 Understand and explain characteristics of epic poetry. Read "The Odyssey" and answer questions given</p>	<p>2 Understand and explain characteristics of epic poetry. Read "The Odyssey" and answer questions given</p>	<p>3 Understand and explain characteristics of epic poetry. Read "The Odyssey" and answer questions given</p>	<p>4 Vocabulary Test Last day of the six weeks Journals due Final Draft (Research Paper) due</p>	<p>5</p>
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