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Week 11 Assignment Sheet
November 2, 2023
Due November 9, 2023

Unless specifically stated, no outside resources (Web sites, books, magazines, etc.) should be consulted to complete weekly homework assignments. *In other words, don't just Google the answer.* All assignments, unless otherwise noted, should be completed in MLA format.

Literature

- Read "The Tell Tale Heart"** by Edgar Allan Poe. Complete the Prediction Questions Handout as you read.

Writing

- Both the narrator of Poe's story and Arthur Dimmesdale in *The Scarlet Letter* are consumed by guilt. **Compare and contrast the ways in which they deal with their feelings of guilt and the outcomes of their decisions.** Using the Compare/Contrast Essay Framework handout you were given in class, write a compare/contrast essay in BLOCK format. Your main point A should be about the similarities between the two, and your main point B should be about the differences between the two. Rough draft due next week. Final draft due Week 12. You will include a complete Works Cited page with only two entries (short story and novel). We will work on this in class next week. See the essay grading rubric on the portal.

Jr./Sr. Assignment

- None

Grammar

- Prepare for a commas quiz next week. Study the comma rules from your *Handbook of Grammar and Composition* p.155-159. ALSO, complete pronoun- antecedent workbook exercises 73 and 74 on p.34-35.

Vocabulary

- Circle/highlight these words as you read the Tell Tale Heart: acute, dissimulation, vex, profound, hearkening, supposition, suavity, deputed, audacity, gesticulations. Write a synonym for the word in the right margin.

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