

Literature and Composition I (Freshman Course) 2016

Semester 2

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After School Day = Wednesday

Week 2: February 1 - 5

Monday:

- 1) Collect Honors HW - Storytelling (Gotschall chapter) Questions.
- 2) Spelling Words given! Quiz Tomorrow!
- 3) Review Introduction by: John Leggett What are the "Bare Bones of Plot"?
- 4) Begin "The Most Dangerous Game" by Richard Connell.

Tuesday:

- 1) Spelling Quiz!
- 2) Finish "The Most Dangerous Game" and Read Connell's Biography!
- 3) Complete **Close Reading Worksheet** on Richard Connell's story. (Team work)
- 4) WRITING PROMPT: In your new Composition Notebook -

Write in the persona of Sanger Rainsford. You are ninety-years -old. Explain, to your inquisitive grandchild, what really happened after you leapt from the cliff of Ship Trap Island to avoid being killed by General Zaroff. Do not be vague; clearly include every exciting detail of your adventure. Explain how you swam through the dangerous waters and climbed up jagged and craggy cliffs to the General's Chateau. Describe how you snuck past Zaroff's hounds and finally made it to Zaroff's bedroom to lie in wait. Also, supply the harrowing details of your fight to the death with Zaroff and the details of the immediate aftermath of your victory!

- 5) Literary Terms Discussed.
- 6) Literary Terms for the course given to students - "**The Big 40**" 40 terms divided into 4 quizzes. First Quiz = Friday!

Wednesday:

- 1) Volunteers to share their "Most Dangerous Game" responses! Collect NBs.
- 2) Edgar Allan Poe - Brief Bio, Quotes, and the poem "Alone."
- 3) Begin reading - "The Cask of the Amontillado"

Thursday:

- 1) There will be a TEST on this short story on Monday!
- 2) **Composition NB: What is going on in this story so far?
Characters/Conflict/Setting/etc.**
- 3) Continue Reading - "The Cask of the Amontillado"
- 4) Remember - Quiz tomorrow on Literary Terms.

Friday:

- 1) Quiz Literary Terms #1
- 2) Finish "The Cask of the Amontillado"
- 3) Students may take Literature books home to Study for Test on Monday!

Have a great weekend! :-)