

Recommended Drama:

A Doll House (Ibsen)
A Streetcar Named Desire (Williams)
Cyrano de Bergerac (Rostand)
Medea (Euripedes)
Oedipus Trilogy (Sophocles)
Pygmalion (Shaw)
Any drama by Shakespeare

Writings:

Some activities will be handwritten, and others will be typed using standard MLA format.

1. Read HTRLLP first. Complete the assignments at the end of the book. The activities will get you thinking so that you can successfully complete the rest of the writing assignments. Use the information for the other novels and drama. Type your responses.
2. As you read through HGMGM, outline important characters/events. Write in Steno book (the small secretaries' notebooks).
3. As you read through each novel and drama, record important/interesting quotes (with citations) and give a critique or reflection. Try to connect to the ideas you learned in HTRLLP. Write in Steno book.
4. For each novel and drama, find a poem that relates to the book. Copy the poem, and discuss how it mirrors the novel or play. Refer to specifics (direct quotes) from both selections. Type your responses.
5. Be prepared to write one in-class essay on the first full day of school.

Other:

The Steno books and typed responses will be due the first full day of the first semester. Points will be awarded based on the thoughtfulness and thoroughness of your responses. Questions/comments will be posted on my blog <http://mrollema.edublogs.org> This way, everyone can benefit from the discussion or question. Students must post a question or comment at least seven times throughout the summer.