**Week of May 4, 2020**

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| **Announcements** |
| As a reminder, assignments will no longer be due at the end of the week. Instead, they will be due the day they are assigned. In other words, today’s work is due this evening (Monday, May 4 by 11:59 pm). For those of you who intend to take 10th Honors Lit and Comp next year, your summer reading will include George Orwell’s 1984. You are welcome to start reading this novel now if you’d like, and I am happy to answer any questions you may have about it.  |
| **Overview** |
| As we close out this school year, we are revisiting some of the key concepts presented this year. So far, we have returned characterization and theme. This week, we will add irony to the mix! And, if you have not done so already, download and save this document. Some of your work is embedded, below, and you will submit this completed document to Turnitin.com as part of your activities for the week.  |
| **Task 1:** “Was it a Dream?” by Guy de Maupaussant**Time Allotted:** ~30 minutes |
| Log in to CommonLit and complete BOTH the Guiding Questions AND Assessment Questions that accompany this story. When you are done reading the story and completing these questions, answer the questions that follow below.  |
| **Task 2:** Constructed Response**Time Allotted:** ~25 minutes |
| **Directions.** In the spaces provided below, thoughtfully (and in several complete sentences) respond to the questions posed regarding “Was it a Dream?” by Guy de Maupaussant.  |
| **Question 1:** How does love affect the way we see people? What imagery from the text helps illustrate that the narrator’s judgment is compromised? |
| Replace this text with your answer.  |
| **Question 2:** The name of this short story is “Was It a Dream?” After reading the story, do you think it was a dream? Why or why not? |
| Replace this text with your answer. |
| **Task 3:** A Few More Questions**Time Allotted:** ~45 minutes |
| **Directions.** In the spaced provided below, thoughtfully (and in several complete sentences) respond to the following questions.  |
| **Question 1:** Over the last three weeks, you have read some well-known fictional stories. Which one was your favorite and why? |
| Replace this text with your answer. |
| **Question 2:** Over the last three weeks, you have read some well-known fictional stories. Which one was your least favorite and why? |
| Replace this text with your answer.  |
| **Question 3:** This year ended faster than we imagined, but I hope that you have some good memories. Whether it was in this class or another, discuss an “academic” memory you have from the 2019-2020 school year. Consider discussing a “breakthrough” moment, something you learned, or a positive learning experience you had.  |
| Replace this text with your answer.  |
| **Question 4:** For this question, I want you to think about this year’s English class only. What is something we did that you would not change? You can discuss this topic broadly (for example, discussing a particular unit you liked), or you can be narrower (for example, if there was a particular lesson or activity you liked). Be sure to discuss why you feel this way. |
| Replace this text with your answer.  |
| **Question 5:** For this question, I want you to think about this year’s English class only. What is something we did that you would change (or eliminate altogether)? You can discuss this topic broadly (for example, discussing a particular unit you disliked), or you can be narrower (for example, if there was a particular lesson or activity you disliked). Be sure to discuss why you feel this way. |
| Replace this text with your answer.  |
| **Question 6:** I fear that this is not the end of digital learning. ***Eek.*** I am always trying to make things better, though. Please tell me something I did well during digital learning, and please tell me something I could have done better. I am not fishing for compliments—I am trying to determine what was effective and what was not so I can try to create a better experience in the future. Long and short, what advice would you give me? Thanks!!! |
| Replace this text with your answer.  |
| **Preview** |
| We are done with content!!! Next week will be easy!!! ***Yay!!!*** I am starting to miss you guys already, though. ☹  |

If you have any questions, please feel free to email me at carrcm@fultonschools.org. Have a great week!