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| **Monday** | **Tuesday** | **Wednesday** | **Thursday** | **Friday** |
| Oct 1“**Does Having Children Makes You Happy” article/quiz work continued.** Re-read to answer all multiple choice and to determine topic and thesis. Review writing portion of test to see what written directions look like for a writing response. **Topic and Thesis introduced**. See website, Basic Reading Skills menu.Review of Sentence criteria, Nouns. Look at pronouns.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**HW:** Review Topic and Thesis on website and be ready to do in class work on this. Print “Topic and Thesis” Assignment and bring to class for tomorrow.Assignment is due Thursday. | Oct 2**Lecture/do exercises in-class: Topic Thesis Detail:**How to Tell The Thesis—see website menu.**Review “Topic-Thesis Assignment”** that students bring to class. Work on this if there is remaining time in class. It is due on ThursdayReview of nouns, pronouns. Look at verbs.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**HW:** Complete Topic-Thesis Assignment; due on Thursday.*Extra credit* opportunity: Watch debates and complete form on website: Watch presidential debates tomorrow evening. Due on Thursday. | Oct 3**Summary as a reading skill**: view website PowerPoint. Practice.**Review Summary Assignment**—Two Articles: Due on Monday.**Review nouns, pronouns, verbs and complete sentence criteria**. **Simple, complex, compound sentences**—see differences.**Do sentence combining** work in class.**HW:** Complete Topic-Thesis Assignment; due Thursday.Tonight watch presidential debate and complete form for *extra credit.* Due tomorrow. Work on “Summary Assignment—Two Articles”: Summarize one of two articles—your choice. Due Monday. | Oct 4**Due:** Topic-Thesis Assignment.**Due**: Extra Credit Presidential Debate Form.**Correct/discuss Topic-Thesis Assignment in class.****Do sentence combining** in class.**Assignment—complete sentence combining 4** for tomorrow.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**HW:**Complete “Summary Assignment” --due on Monday. | Oct 5Due: Sentence Combing 4—correct in class.**Read Short Story—“Charles”—**together.**Discuss elements of the story—**characters,conflict, plot. **Discuss plot elements.****Review Calendar for next week.** Instructor is off campus on Thursday and Friday. Do “Scavenger Hunt” those days. Due on Monday. **HW:** Complete “Summary Assignment” --due on Monday. |