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| **WK 8: Monday** | **Tuesday** | **Wednesday** | **Thursday** | **Friday** |
| Nov 12  **Veteran’s Day—No Classes**  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | **Nov 13**  \*Novel discussion through  Ch 4 (p 42)  \*Assignment 1 for Novel is Questions 1: oral responses.  \*Introductory paragraph—write one for your essay in class. Include a “hook” (grabber) sentence.  T  Topic: Write about a person who has been special to you and tell about the characteristics of this person that have impressed you.  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  **HW:**  \*Read novel through Ch 6  (p 71). Note—you will read through Ch 10 (p 101) this week. Read ahead when possible!  \*Complete essay introductory paragraph with 3 strong supporting details. | **Nov 14**  Novel discussion through  Ch 6 (p 71)  \*Support Paragraphs—write the first of three in the class.  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  **HW:**  **\*Read Novel through**  **Ch 8, p 88)**  **\* Write essay support paragraph 1 (paragraph 2 of the essay) using the first supporting detail from the introductory paragraph** | **Nov 15**  \*Novel discussion through  Ch 8, (p 88)  Support paragraphs—write the second and third paragraphs in class.  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  **HW:**  \*Read Novel through  Ch 10, (p 101)  **\*Study for Quiz tomorrow on Novel, Ch 1-5, more or less.**  **\* Write essay support paragraphs 2 and 3 (paragraphs 3 and 4 of the essay) using last two supporting details from the introductory paragraph.** | **Nov 16**  \*Novel Quiz 1—Ch 1-5, more or less.  \*Conclusion—5th paragraph for the essay.  Write one in class.  \*Transition words for essays.  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  **HW:**  \*Read Novel through  Ch 15 (p 142) this weekend.  \*Complete the conclusion paragraph for your essay. Combine all five paragraphs into one flowing essay with transition words, a grabber, and a clincher. |
| **WK 9:Monday** | **Tuesday** | **Wednesday** | **Thursday** | **Friday** |
| **Nov 19**  \*Novel discussion through Ch 15 (p 142).  Editing and Proofing Draft 1 of essay due tomorrow.  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  **HW:** Read Novel through Ch 19 (p 161) | **Nov 20**  \*Turn in Draft 1 of Essay.  \* Novel Assignment 2 is given. It covers Ch 6-13, Short Answer Questions. Due on Monday.  \*How to Take an Essay Test and how to take apart a prompt.  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  **HW:**  Read Novel through Ch 19  (p 161) and continue if you can. You must complete the book for the final test on it, Nov. 30, Friday. | **Nov 21**  \*Novel discussion through  Ch 19 (p 161)  \*Get back draft of essay with suggestions for revision.  \*Reminder: Final Draft of Essay is due on Tuesday AND the Final test on the Novel occurs on the same day!!  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  **HW:**  \* Read Novel through  Ch 24, p 191, over break.  \* Novel Assignment 2 is given. It covers Ch 6-13, Short Answer Questions. Due on Monday.  \*Final Draft of Essay is due on Tuesday  \*Practice writing an essay for 45 minutes using one of the prompts given in class. | **Nov 22**  Thanksgiving Holiday  No Classes  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  **HW:**  See Wednesday, Nov 21 | **Nov 23**  Thanksgiving Holiday  No Classes  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  **HW:**  See Wednesday, Nov 21 |

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| **Wk 10: Monday** | **Tuesday** | **Wednesday** | **Thursday** | **Friday** |
| **Nov 26**  \*Novel discussion through  Ch 24, p 191.  \*How to respond to an essay prompt.    \*Extra time for work on Final Draft of essay that is due tomorrow.  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  **HW:**  \*Final Draft of Essay is due tomorrow—typed, double space, with a title.  \*Read novel to end, p 217. We will discuss the whole novel tomorrow in class and you will have a final quiz on it next week, Tuesday,  Dec. 4. | **Nov 27**  \*How to take a multiple choice test/defeating test anxiety.  \*Final Draft of Essay due.  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  **HW:**  \*Read novel to end, p 217. We will discuss the whole novel tomorrow in class and you will have a final quiz on it next week, Tuesday,  Dec. 4.  \*Work on questions for “Assignment 2” for Novel-- due on Thursday. | **Nov 28**  \*Discuss novel to end of the book, p 217.  \*First 45 minute practice essay test.  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  **HW:**  **\*CASAS testing tomorrow. Do not miss!!**  **\*Due tomorrow: “Assignment 2” for Novel.** | Nov 29  **\*Turn in “Assignment 2” for Novel.**  \*CASAS testing—1.5 hours  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  **HW:**    \*Practice writing essay, 45 minute practice essay test tomorrow. | Nov 30  \*Review rubric for scoring five paragraph essay. Look at your returned essay from Wednesday.  \*Second 45 minute practice essay test.  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  **HW:**  \*Study for Final Quiz on Novel on Tuesday, Dec 4  \*Get all work you have done this quarter together for Portfolio.  \*You will turn in your journal on Monday. |
| **Wk 11: Monday** | **Tuesday** | **Wednesday** | **Thursday** | **Friday** |
| **Dec 3**  \*Review of novel to the end—including prologue, p 217.  \* Turn in journal—you will get it back on Friday  \*How to put together a Portfolio—due on Thursday.  GMRT testing—55 minutes.  Dec 3  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  **HW:** | **Dec 4**  \*Final Test on Novel  \*Review of how to take a 45 minute essay test.  \*Look at rubric for scoring of Transition Test/Class Final.  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  **HW:**  Practice writing a five paragraph essay in 45 minutes using topics we have used in class for journals. Review it according to rubric criteria. | **Dec 5**  Transition Testing or Class Final Essay Writing  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  **HW:**  \*Organize your portfolio for scoring tomorrow. | **Dec 6**  \*Portfolios due.  Write Self-Assessment in class—based on work you have done this quarter.  \*Leave current phone and/or email with instructor to get results of Transition Essay Test  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  **HW:**  No homework. | **Dec 7**  \* Final essay returned  \*Closure exercises.  \*Get journal back from instructor.  \*Last day of instruction.  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  **HW:**  No homework. |

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| **WK 12: Monday** | **Tuesday** | **Wednesday** | **Thursday** | **Friday** |
|  |  | **Finals Week.**  Later this week your Transition Tests will be scored and, if you have left a current phone number or email, you will be contacted with results after Wednesday. |  |  |