

Monday	Tuesday	Thursday
	<p>(Wednesday) AUGUST 20</p> <p><b>-Index Cards, Penny Game, and Human Bingo</b></p> <p><b><u>HOMEWORK:</u></b></p> <p><b>Dear Ms. Maxson... (20 pts.)</b></p> <p><b>Supplies Check</b></p> <p><b><u>Due Monday 8/25</u></b></p>	<p>AUGUST 21</p> <p><b>- Syllabus Review</b></p> <p><b>-Syllabus/Movie Permission</b></p> <p><b>What makes good writing?</b> --7<sup>th</sup> grade writing samples</p> <p><b><u>HOMEWORK:</u></b></p> <p><b>Get Class Materials, Letter, and Permission</b></p> <p><b><u>Due Monday 8/25</u></b></p>
<p>AUGUST 25</p> <p><b>-Turn in letter and permission</b></p> <p><b>-Grammar Diagnostic Test</b></p> <p><b>-Begin reading “On the Rainy River”</b></p> <p><b><u>HOMEWORK:</u></b></p> <p>Bring supplies, again.</p>	<p>AUGUST 26</p> <p><b>- Quickwrite #2: Shells</b></p> <p><b>-Return to: What makes good writing?</b> --7<sup>th</sup> grade writing samples</p> <p><b>- Review MLA Format Model</b></p> <p><b>-Description Handout</b> -Read J.K. Rowling’s selection</p> <p><b>-Monster Assignment</b> --Draw picture of monster, then describe your monster in 3 – 5</p> <p><b>-A Classroom Quilt—the assignment</b></p> <p><b><u>HOMEWORK:</u></b></p> <p><b>Finish Monster Assignment and Classroom Quilt</b></p> <p><b>(20 pts./10 pts)</b></p> <p><b><u>Due Next Class</u></b></p>	<p>AUGUST 28</p> <p><b>- Monster Assignment due</b> --Partner Work --Quickwrite</p> <p><b>-Sweet Summer</b></p> <p><b>-Sniff Around and more</b></p> <p><b>- Show not Tell Assignment</b></p> <p><b>- A return to “On the Rainy River”—O’Brien’s techniques</b></p> <p><b><u>HOMEWORK:</u></b></p> <p><b>Either revise Monster Assignment (bold changes!) or Complete Show Not Tell Handout #2 (10-15 pts)</b></p> <p><b><u>Due Next Class</u></b></p>
<p>SEPTEMBER 1</p> <p><b>Happy Labor Day!</b> - No School</p>	<p>SEPTEMBER 2</p> <p><b>- Monster Revision or Show Not Tell Handout #2 due</b></p> <p><b>Snapshot Assignment –</b> --Prewriting --Models -Introduction Notes</p> <p><b>-Review Diagnostic Exam</b></p> <p><b><u>HOMEWORK:</u></b></p> <p><b>Snapshot Introduction(20 pts.)</b></p> <p><b><u>Due Next Class</u></b></p>	<p>SEPTEMBER 4</p> <p><b>- Snapshot Introduction Due</b></p> <p><b>- Writing Groups</b></p> <p><b>- Tone Exercise</b></p> <p><b>-Class Edit</b></p> <p><b>-Dialogue/Interior Monologue</b></p> <p><b>-Time to Write</b></p> <p><b><u>HOMEWORK:</u></b></p> <p><b>Snapshot Draft #1 (25 pts.)</b></p> <p><b><u>Due Tuesday, September 9</u></b></p>

1. Three-ring binder
2. Binder paper
3. Five dividers
4. Pen
5. Highlighter
6. Post-its
7. Independent reading book

**Back to School Night**  
**August 28<sup>th</sup> 5:45-7:30**

Monday	Tuesday	Thursday
<p><b>SEPTEMBER 8</b></p> <p><b>-Playdoh Art Gallery</b></p> <p><b>-Peer Editing Model</b> --Editing Practice</p> <p><b><u>HOMEWORK:</u></b></p> <p><b>Snapshot Draft #1 (25 pts.)</b></p> <p><b>+BRING TWO COPIES+</b></p> <p><b><u>Due Tuesday, September 9</u></b></p>	<p><b>SEPTEMBER 9</b></p> <p><b>--Draft #1 due; <u>BRING 2 COPIES</u></b></p> <p><b>-Gallery Walk</b> --Editing Ideas</p> <p><b>--Peer Editing</b></p> <p><b>-Intro to Fahrenheit 451</b></p> <p><b><u>HOMEWORK:</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Due Next Class</u></b></p>	<p><b>SEPTEMBER 11</b></p> <p><b>-Lion King, Forrest Gump, "On the Rainy River"</b></p> <p>-Discussion/Reading Strategy Notes</p> <p>-Revisiting and revising</p> <p><b>-Fahrenheit 451—part I</b></p> <p><b><u>HOMEWORK:</u></b></p> <p><b>Snapshot FINAL DRAFT (100 pts.)</b></p> <p><b><u>Due Monday, September 15</u></b></p>
<p><b>SEPTEMBER 15</b></p> <p><b>Final Draft DUE with all drafts and edits attached!</b></p> <p>-Order most recent first</p> <p>-Read, share, T-score.</p> <p><b>-Confusing Word Pairs Pairs! Meme it!</b></p> <p><b>-Fahrenheit 451—part I cont.</b></p> <p><b><u>HOMEWORK:</u></b></p> <p><b>Confusing Word Pairs Pairs</b> <b>Due September 21</b></p>	<p><b>SEPTEMBER 16</b></p> <p><b>- What's in a Name: Models and prewriting</b></p> <p>-Confusing Work Pair Pairs</p> <p>-Writing Groups</p> <p><b>- Fahrenheit 451—part I cont.</b></p> <p><b><u>HOMEWORK:</u></b></p> <p><b>Confusing Word Pair Pairs</b> <b>Due Next Class</b></p>	<p><b>SEPTEMBER 17</b></p> <p><b>- Confusing Word Pairs Meme Presentations</b></p> <p><b>Fahrenheit 451—part II</b></p> <p><b><u>HOMEWORK:</u></b></p> <p><b>Finalize your name essay</b></p> <p><b><u>Next Class</u></b></p>
<p><b>SEPTEMBER 22</b></p> <p><b>-Share name essays</b></p> <p><b>-Tech Day</b></p> <p><b>-Fahrenheit 451 Mini-report</b></p> <p><b><u>HOMEWORK:</u></b></p> <p><b>Begin work on Fahrenheit 451 mini-report</b></p> <p><b><u>Due 9/25</u></b></p>	<p><b>SEPTEMBER 23</b></p> <p><b>- Commas/Fanboys</b></p> <p><b>-Tech Day: Research</b></p> <p><b><u>HOMEWORK:</u></b></p> <p><b>Finish Fahrenheit 451 mini-report/presentations</b></p> <p><b><u>Due Next Class</u></b></p>	<p><b>SEPTEMBER 25</b></p> <p><b>- Fahrenheit 451 mini-reports presentations</b></p> <p><b>- Fahrenheit Part II</b></p> <p><b><u>HOMEWORK:</u></b></p> <p><b>TBA</b></p>

Monday	Tuesday	Thursday
<b>SEPTEMBER 29</b> - Fahrenheit Part II conts. - Commas Again  <u><b>HOMEWORK:</b></u>  <b>TBA</b>  <u><b>Due Next Class</b></u>	<b>September 30</b> -Fahrenheit 451 Part III - Quotation Explications  <u><b>HOMEWORK:</b></u>  <b>TBA</b>  <u><b>Due Next Class</b></u>	<b>OCTOBER 2</b> -Fahrenheit 451 Part III - Essay Format/Structure Notes  <u><b>HOMEWORK:</b></u>  <b>TBA</b>  <u><b>Due Next Class</b></u>
<b>OCTOBER 6</b>  <b>Fahrenheit 451 Be the Book Project introduced</b>  - Passive Voice  <u><b>HOMEWORK:</b></u>  <b>Work on Be the Book Project: Part I</b>  <u><b>Due Next Class</b></u>	<b>OCTOBER 7</b>  <b>More of Fahrenheit 451</b>  - TBA  <u><b>HOMEWORK:</b></u>  <b>Work on Be the Book Project: Part II</b> <u><b>Due Next Class</b></u>	<b>OCTOBER 9</b>  - More of Fahrenheit 451  - TBA  <u><b>HOMEWORK:</b></u>  <b>Work on Be the Book Project: Part III</b> <u><b>Due Next Class</b></u>
<b>OCTOBER 13</b>  <b>Be the Book Presentations</b> <u><b>HOMEWORK:</b></u>  <b>Prepare for the exam</b>  <u><b>Due Next Class</b></u>	<b>OCTOBER 14</b>  -- Be the Book Presentations  <u><b>HOMEWORK:</b></u>  <b>Prepare for the exam</b>	<b>OCTOBER 16</b>  <i>End of Quarter #1</i> -Mid-term Exam  <u><b>HOMEWORK:</b></u>