Lucy Beckham High School English 1 Honors - 2023 Summer Reading

Part I: Summarizing, Paraphrasing, & Analyzing

- Review the Paraphrasing vs. Analysis Slideshow (available here or at bit.ly/ComVsPara)
- 2. Take notes by hand or digitally (you will submit these)
 - a. Make sure to include:
 - i. What does it mean to summarize? To paraphrase?
 - ii. What is analysis?
 - iii. What is the difference between each of these terms?

Part II: Book Selection

- 1. Read **one** of the books included in the list below.
- 2. Create a chart like the one provided on the next page, in which you include 5 quotes, paraphrases, and analyses. A sample has been provided.
 - a. Requirements:
 - i. Quotes must be cited in MLA format: ex. (Smith 4)
 - ii. Analysis must be at least 3 sentences long per quote.
 - iii. All work is created by/original to the student.

Book Options (Choose One):

Night by Elie Wiesel

Romeo and Juliet by William Shakespeare

The Fault in Our Stars by John Green

The Book Thief by Markus Zusak

Ace of Spades by Faridah Àbíké-Íyímídé

The Inheritance Games by Jennifer Lynn Barnes

Here's To Us by Becky Albertalli and Adam Silvera

If I Was Your Girl by Meredith Russo

How Moon Fuentes Fell in Love with the Universe by Raquel Vaquez Gilliland

Firekeeper's Daughter by Angeline Boulley

The Impossible First by Colin O'Brady

The Lord of the Flies by William Golding - Quote Chart							
#	Direct Quote	Paraphrase	Analysis				
1	"There aren't any grown ups. We shall have to look after ourselves" (Golding 39).	Ralph tells the other boys on the island that there are no adults there and that they will have to take care of themselves.	This quote reveals an important part of the setting by showing that there are no adults on the island. Because of this, the boys will have to learn how to do everything themselves, even though they are very young. However, it also means that there are no adults to enforce any rules on the boys, so they can do whatever they want.				

Analysis Questions:

Use these questions to help you with your analysis. Not all questions will fit every book, but they should help you figure out how to move past summary and into analysis. (Remember, you need 5 quotes/paraphrases/analyses!)

- 1. How does this quote represent the setting, and why is the setting important?
- 2. How does this quote reveal something about the character–who they are, how they interact with others, what their motivations are?
- 3. How does this quote demonstrate conflict, whether between the character and someone/something else or within the character?
- 4. How does this quote demonstrate how the character has changed?
- 5. What literary devices are used in this quote and why are they significant? (see below)
- 6. How does this quote relate to or represent a theme of the book?

Sample List of Literary Devices:

Personification	Alliteration	Simile	Metaphor
Allusion	Foreshadowing	Hyperbole	Imagery
Onomatopoeia	Oxymoron	Symbolism	Irony

Grading Rubric

Criteria	Looking For	Point Value
Slideshow Notes	Evidence of thoughtful engagement with and thorough understanding of the material, beyond only the required questions.	10
Direct Quotes	Thoughtfully chosen quotes cited correctly in MLA format.	10 (2 pts each)
Paraphrases	Restatement of the quote in the student's own words. Maintains much of the detail of the quote but adds clarity and simplicity.	30 (6 pts each)
Analysis	Thoughtful consideration of the meaning, significance, and important elements of the quote. Critical engagement with the larger purpose of the quote, beyond its literal meaning. Minimum of 3 sentences.	50 (10 pts each)
	Total:	100