

LITERARY CONCEPTS TEST: Thursday, February 11

Notes to Study From—Use the notes on the weebly and/or in your binder that have to do with the literary concepts that we covered during our study of *The Hunger Games*.

Literary Concepts
The SIX Types of Conflict in Literature (and powerpoint)
Setting and Meaning
Plots and Plot Line Components/Plot Diagram
Characterization and Character Types
Interaction of Story Elements: Relationships between Plot, Setting and Conflict
Symbolism Handout (Packet)
Interviews with Suzanne Collins
Graphic Organizer from Hunger Games Essay (will get on Monday)
What makes a CLASSIC article (from before break)
Point of View Notes

Format and Points:

Schoology

- Multiple Choice
- Fill in the Blank
- Matching
- True and False

Questions are based on *The Hunger Games*, a new short story and poem that you will read, and on the literary concepts covered during the study of *The Hunger Games*, and *A Christmas Carol*.

When to Study:

- Make a study schedule for the weekend and next week. Everyone learns differently so the amount of time you study varies for each kid. It all depends on how well you have mastered the content along the way.
- As you study, monitor your comprehension by deciding which things you know well and which things you need to spend more time on in order to master. As the week goes on, spend more time on the hard stuff.
- Study over the weekend in order to prepare questions for teachers. You can ask them in class but also during IET, which is a great time to get more specific feedback and answers (which in turn leads to better understanding).

STUDY GUIDE

Literary Concepts

Setting

Time

1.

2.

3.

4.

Place

1.

2.

Characterization/Character Types

Direct

Indirect

Static

Dynamic

Foil

Major

Minor

Protagonist

Antagonist

Point of View

1st person--

3rd person--

3rd person limited--

3rd person omniscient--

Conflict

CHARACTER versus...

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
- 5.
- 6.

Theme(s)—what is it? How do you determine it/them?

Symbolism—what is it? What strategies should you use to find it?

Elements of a Plot Line—Identify and understand what happens at each point

1. Exposition
2. Inciting Incident
3. Rising Action
4. Climax
5. Falling Action
6. Resolution

Author's Purpose and Influences—

- **Why did Suzanne Collins write *The Hunger Games*?**
- **Why did Charles Dickens write *A Christmas Carol*?**