

1. **LITERARY ESSAY WRITING:** Write a 700-100 word thesis-driven essay about one of the significant ways your author uses form, language, structure, and style to shape meaning for a particular audience. You will submit your writing to turnitin.com; a works-cited list is required.
2. **ORIGINAL ART & RATIONALE:** Create a moderately sized legitimately artistic work (a painting, a sculpture, a collage, etc.) that uses a motif or symbol from your book to convey the author's purpose for writing. Write a 100-300 word rationale explaining the significance of the artistic choices you made while creating your art. You will submit your rationale to turnitin.com; a works-cited list is required if any sources were used.
3. **ORIGINAL SONG & RATIONALE:** Write and perform a musical song, with several unique verses of lyrics, that tells the narrative story of your text and reveals the authors' purpose. Paper copies of the lyrics, music, and rationale must all be turned in. Write a 100-300 word rationale explaining the significance of the artistic choices you made in your song's lyrics and music. You will submit your rationale to turnitin.com; a works-cited list is required if any sources were used.
4. **FILM TRAILER & RATIONALE:** Using iMovie or another technology program you are already familiar with, create a 90-second to two-minute film trailer that summarizes the text, hooks a particular audience's interest, and doesn't spoil any plot twists for future readers. Post the film on YouTube or so I can grade it and we can watch it in class if we have time. Write a 100-300 word rationale explaining the significance of the artistic choices you made in your film trailer. You will submit your rationale to turnitin.com; a works-cited list is required if any sources were used.
5. **CREATIVE PROSE WRITING & RATIONALE:** Write a 500-700 word alternative ending to your text, or an additional scene you wish the author had included, imitating the style that is used to write the text. Write a 200-200 word rationale explaining the significance of the artistic choices you made while creatively writing. You will submit your rationale to turnitin.com; a works-cited list is required if any sources were used.
6. **CREATIVE POETRY WRITING & RATIONALE:** Write a 50-100 line poem that summarizes or analyzes or evaluates your text. You can choose a formal poetic style (a sonnet cycle or an epic poem written in terza rima, etc.) or you can write in poetic free verse. Write a 100-300 word rationale explaining the significance of the linguistic and structural choices you made while creatively writing your poem. You will submit your rationale to turnitin.com; a works-cited list is required if any sources were used