

Spring 17 Midterm Review

Your midterm will consist of a “cold read” passage(s), and questions covering comprehension, literary elements, and vocabulary.

Vocabulary: Know the definitions of the following words. Questions could be either definitions or sentences.

ergonomic	imposition	sanctify	humility	volatile	fortitude
prodigal	synthesize	sanctions	stellar	demote	corroborate
allege	deceptive	deity	nebulous	subterfuge	
parenthetical	editorial	deify	celestial	valor	
composure	condone	chastened	discourse	avail	

Skills: You need to be able to recognize, explain, and/or define the following:

- Plot (exposition, rising action, climax, falling action, resolution)
- Theme
- Symbol
- Imagery
- Point-of-view (1st, 3rd limited, 3rd omniscient)
- Simile
- Metaphor
- Allusion
- Character (protagonist, antagonist, flat, round, static, dynamic)
- Characterization (direct vs. indirect)
- Foreshadowing