

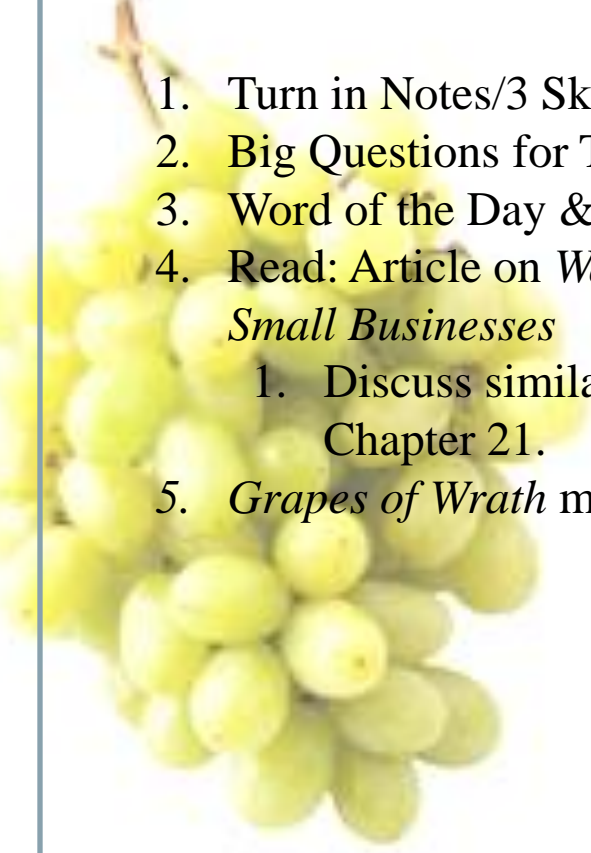
Wednesday, February 17, 2010

Materials Needed:

- Pen or Pencil
- 3-Ring Binder
- Paper (1 sheet)
- Grapes of Wrath*

Announcements:

Agenda:

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1. Turn in Notes/3 Sketches from Yesterday
 2. Big Questions for Today
 3. Word of the Day & Warm Up
 4. Read: Article on *Wal-Mart and the Death of Small Businesses*
 1. Discuss similarities with big/small farms in Chapter 21.
 5. *Grapes of Wrath* movie (Ch. 13 to 21)

Homework

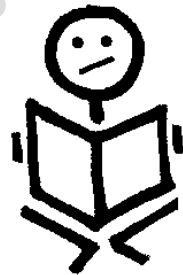
Write in planner, agenda, or make sticky note reminder:

1. Turn in notes/3 sketches.
2. Turn in *GoW* Movie Poster Project

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Big Questions for Today

How is the plight of the
small vs. big farms related
to modern times?



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Word of the Day & Warm Up

Timer

▪ Date: 2/17/2010 ||||| 5 minutes

▪ WOD:

resonance: having the ability to echo

▪ Warm Up:

a) Draw a picture that shows the meaning of the **Word of the Day**. Don't forget to include a caption for your image!

b) Recall what happened yesterday to Rev. Casy. If you assume that Casy is a symbol, take some guesses as to what that symbol would be.

c) Summarize Ch. 21 as best you can. Also, have you ever shopped at Wal-Mart? Explain why or why not.

Grapes of Wrath Character Tree

~~Grampa Joad~~

~~Granny Joad~~

“Uncle John”

Pa Joad

Ma Joad

~~Tom Joad~~

~~Reverend~~

~~Muley~~

~~Near Joad~~

Al Joad

Connie

Rose of Sharon/Rosasharn

Winfield Joad

Ruthie Joad

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* Major characters in italics

Let's Read

- Pass out article → *Death of Small Business & Wal-Mart*
 - **Focus on: similarities between big vs. small farms in Ch. 21 of *GoW* and this article.**

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Questions to Consider

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1. According to the article, why is Wal-Mart bad for America?
2. How is the pay given to Wal-Mart employees similar to the pay given to workers in the *Grapes of Wrath*?
3. Explain what happened when Wal-Mart opened in Iowa; how is what happened similar/different to when big farms moved into the story in Chapter 21 in *Grapes of Wrath*?

Let's Watch!

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- *Grapes of Wrath* (1940)
 - **Focus on: major differences between the novel and film**
 - Viewing from Ch. 13 to 21

