FRIDAY

September 4th, 2009 (9.4.2009)



Required Materials:



pen/pencil



3-ring binder



paper



textbook

Agenda:

- 1. Hand in Homework (1st min of class)
- 2. Reminder: The "Snack While You Work" Challenge Current Standings (1 min)
- 3. Word of the Day and Warm Up (5-7 min)
- 4. Handouts: Bookmark Pass (3 min)
- 5. Review: Purpose, Reading Strategies (2 min)
- 6. Notes: Freytag's Triangle (7 min)
- 7. Clips: Labyrinth, The Freak, No Time for Nuts (45 min)
- 8. Practice: What Happened During the Ice Storm (10 min)

Quote of the Week:

"Today a reader, tomorrow a leader."

Homework

■ From yesterday...turn it into the box. NOW.

NO NOTES

"Snack While You Work" Challenge

- Good behavior should go rewarded.
- The reward? Mr. Hampton brings in snacks/drinks for class later this month.
- This week, classes will be under observation for the "Snack While You Work" challenge.
 - The least number of "strikes" this Thurs/Fri
- Winners annouced on Monday.

"Snack While You Work" Challenge

- Current standings:
 - 1st period: 97% with materials + 1 strike
 - 2nd period: 97% with materials + 1 strike
 - 3rd period: 96% with materials + 1 strike
 - 4th period: 96% with materials + 1 strike
 - 5th period: 98% with materials + 0 strikes
 - 6th period: 98% with materials + 1 strike

9.4.2009 Warm Up (5 min)

■ WOD:

acronym--*a word formed from the first letters of a compound term* (Florida Comprehensive Assessment Test = FCAT)

■ Warm Up:

1. What is your honest opinion of the 6 "good" reader strategies? What about the "fix-up" strategies...do you think any of them will work for you? Do you think any of them won't work for you? Explain your answer.

Bathroom Bookmark Pass

■ I have passed out your Bathroom Bookmark Pass for this year....let's review it!

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Review: What "Good Readers Do"

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- N O T E

- Set a purpose
 - On FCAT --> Read questions first.
- Use background knowledge.
 - "What do I know about this?"
- Ask questions before, during, and after reading.
- Draw inferences from the text.
 - Inference is an opinion based on the text...
 - Your Opinion + What the text says = Inference

Review: What "Good Readers Do"

- Determine what is important and what is not.
 - Set a purpose!
 - "Why am I reading this?"
- Synthesize information to create new thinking.
 - Read a lot and make new opinions!

Review: Fix-Up Strategies

- Fix-Up Strategies:
 - Re-read
 - Make a connection with the text
 - Make a prediction
 - Visualize
 - Retell what you just read to another person
 - Speed up or slow down

Today...

■ We'll be learning about plot.

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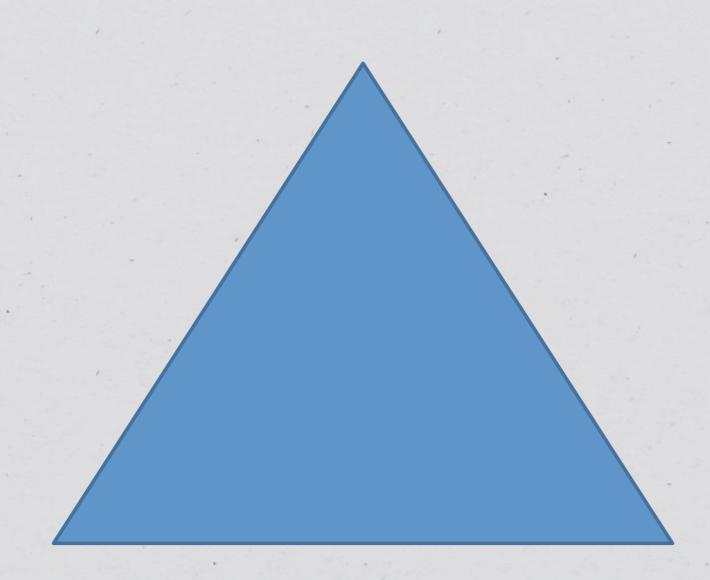
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■ Plot = the events that happen in a story.

Did you know?

■ That 99.9% of fiction books and movies all have the same plot?

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Freytag's Triangle

1. Exposition

Opening scene Leaves you with lots of QUESTIONS

2. Conflict

A problem with a character or the story world.

3. Climax

Highest point of tension or action; biggest battle scene.

4. Resolution

The ending; the conflict is solved If conflict is not solved = sequel

Movie Clip Time

- To help you analyze (break down) the plot of a story, we'll be looking at selected movie clips:
 - Labyrinth (1980's movie)
 - The Freak (cartoon; no voice narration)
 - No Time for Nuts (cartoon w/ Scrat from *Ice Age*)
- Follow my directions when I tell you to fill in the worksheet.

■ In 3-4 sentences:

Describe the opening scene. What questions does it leave you with?

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■ In 3-4 sentences:

Describe the conflict (problem) in the scene. Is the conflict with a character or the world...or both? Explain your answer.

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■ In 3-4 sentences:

Describe the climax of the scene—what is going on in the story that makes it the highest point of tension?

■ In 3-4 sentences:

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T E S Describe the resolution (ending) of the story. Was the conflict solved? Explain.

The Freak

- Answer the following. Each must be 2-3 sentences for credit:
 - Describe the conflict (problem) in the scene. Is the conflict with a character or the world...or both? Explain your answer.
 - Describe the resolution (ending) of the story. Was the conflict solved? Explain.

No Time For Nuts

- Answer the following. Each must be 2-3 sentences for credit:
 - Describe the conflict (problem) in the scene. Is the conflict with a character or the world...or both? Explain your answer.
 - Describe the resolution (ending) of the story. Was the conflict solved? Explain.

Let's Practice With Text...

- Texts, like movies, follow the same **plot** you've just learned.
- Turn to pg. 4 --> What Happened During the Ice Storm

What Happened During...

- Answer the following. Each must be 2-3 sentences for credit:
 - Describe the conflict (problem) in the scene. Is the conflict with a character or the world...or both? Explain your answer.
 - Describe the resolution (ending) of the story. Was the conflict solved? Explain.