

Thursday

May 3, 2012 (5.3.12)

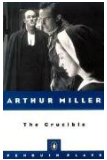
1. Materials



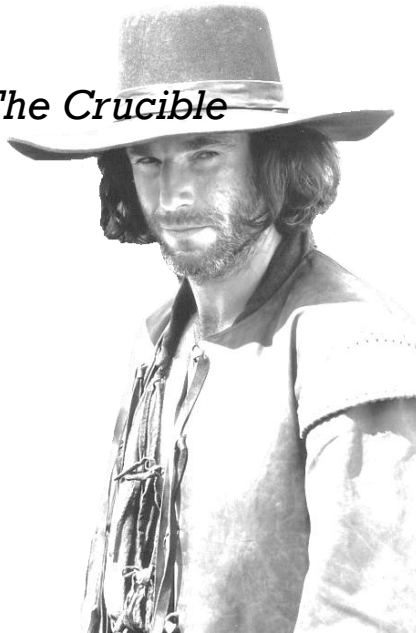
Composition Book
+ Pen or Pencil



Student Planner



The Crucible



2. Agenda

Minutes

Activity

5-7

Warm Up

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Homework

2

Crucible SLM, Concept 1

7

Watch: *Salem Witch Trials*

15-20

Notes: Puritans / Salem Witch Trials

3-5

Discuss: Roles in *The Crucible*

3. Special Announcements

- Welcome to your first day of ***The Crucible!***
Remember, the play is what YOU make it!

Warm Up

May 3, 2012 (5.3.12)

Volume-O-Meter: 0 (No Talking)

Time: 5 Minutes

Word Part of the Day:

cycl / circ = a circle

1. Make sure to write down the word part of the day and brainstorm 4-6 words that contain that word part.
2. What exactly do you know currently about the Salem Witch Trials of 1692? Have you ever studied or discussed it in history classes? Explain what you know or what you don't know.

Transition



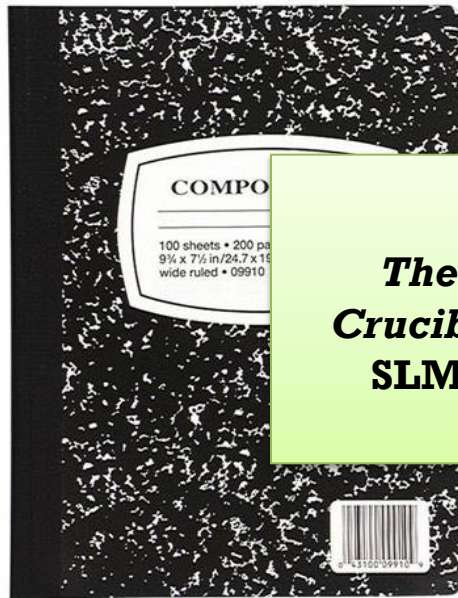
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Homework

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Date Given	Assignment	Rubric	Due Date
Monday 4.30	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Complete a full-length (500-600 word) General Paper Essay• Choose 1 prompt from practice exam (can be one we've previously worked on)• NO LATE TICKETS ACCEPTED FOR THIS ASSIGNMENT	BASIC	Thursday 5.3 To Schoology By 11:59 pm
Monday 4.30	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Lit Log #4 (Quarter 4) is posted• Make your post to <i>Schoology</i>• Comments are private now.	BASIC	Monday 5.7 By 11:59 pm

Transition



*The
Crucible*
SLM



SLM

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Unit Essential Question:

What can you learn about history through literature?

Key Text(s):
The Crucible

Concept 1:
The Puritans & Salem Witch Trials

- 1. Who were the Puritans and what were their beliefs?**
- 2. How did the Salem Witch Trials begin and end?**

Concept 2:
Act I

Vocabulary
Puritans, witchcraft, Samuel / Betty Parris, Abigail Williams, John Proctor, Bridget Bishop, spectral evidence

Vocabulary

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Concept 3:
Act II

Concept 4:
Acts III and IV

Vocabulary

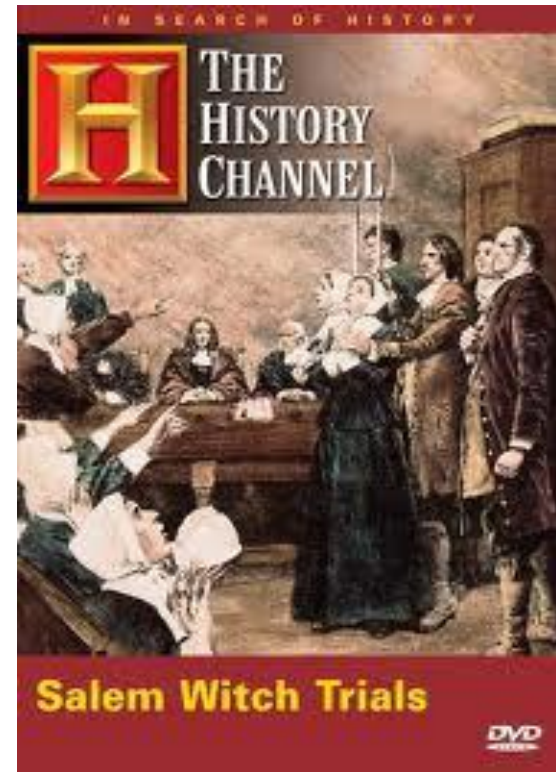
Vocabulary

Activator: *Salem Witch Trials*

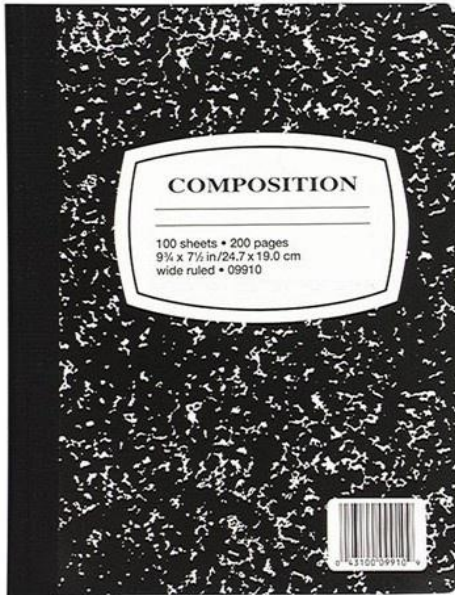
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Directions:

- Gain background about Salem Witch Trials



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Notes

The Puritans

T A K E N O T E S

- Time period: 1640
- A group of religious “people” who separated themselves from the Catholic church in England.
- Involved with “The Salem Witch Trials”



The Puritans

Core Beliefs:

1. All sins should be punished (stealing, adultery, murder)
2. Men are “rulers”; women subservient
3. When bad things happen, God is punishing the sinful
4. The devil is real...and very active



The Puritans

Massachusetts



Witchcraft

- Defined as the use of supernatural/magical powers.
- Tolerated by early Americans, until land issues became contested.



The Salem Witch Trials

T A K E N O T E S

- Began in 1692 (200 years after Columbus)
- Resulted in the executions of 20 people (and dogs) and the imprisonment of over 200 people.



How It Began: Samuel Parris

- Samuel Parris, the Puritan minister of Salem, Massachusetts.
 - Not well liked in his congregation because of harsh preaching and rigid values.



How It Began: Betty Parris

- “Witch Trials” began with Samuel’s daughter, Betty...she:
 - Ate stew along with other girls and became sick shortly after.
 - Had an “epileptic fit.”
 - Screamed, threw things around the room, uttered strange sounds, and crawled under furniture.
 - Also covered her ears when the Bible was read aloud.



How It Began: Abigail Williams

T A K E N O T E S

- Niece of Samuel Parris
- Also began to have “epileptic fits” (after Betty) and other symptoms
- Began accusing other villagers of being witches



How It Began: John Proctor

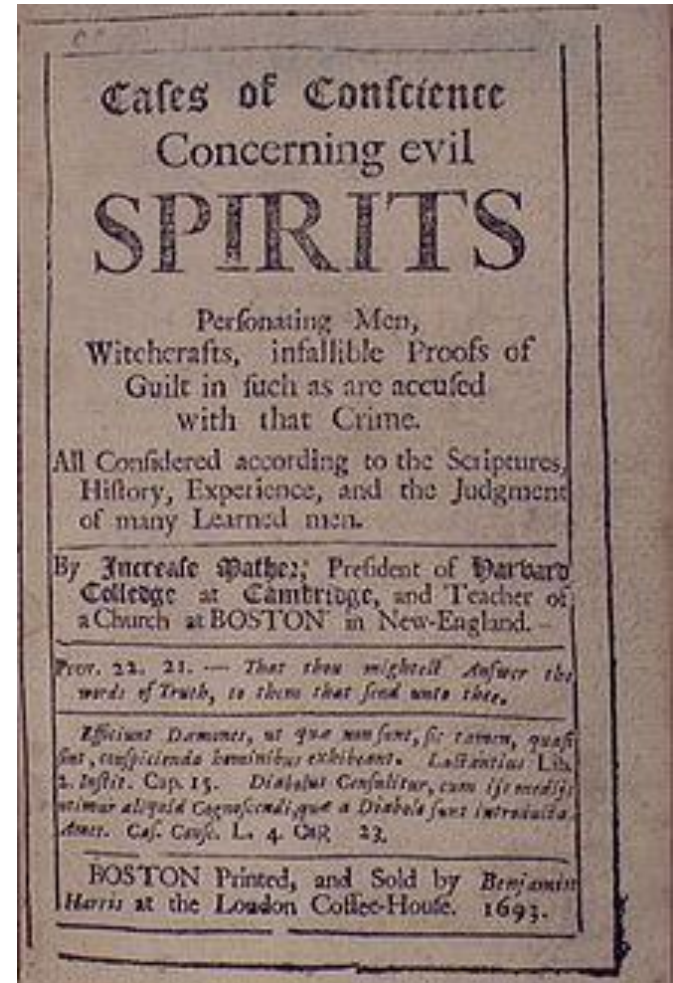
T A K E N O T E S

- Farmer and one of the accused by Abigail (and her friend, Mary Walcott)
- Married to Elizabeth Proctor
- Sentenced to death by hanging
- Rumor has it that Abigail was infatuated with Proctor and wanted to be his wife; Proctor refused and was thus accused.



Spectral Evidence

- The “afflicted” *claimed* to see the ghost of a person who forced them to do witchcraft.
- First to be accused and executed:
 - Bridget Bishop
 - 60 years old
 - An outspoken woman, flashy in behavior
 - Last words: “I know not what a witch is!”
- 1693 spectral evidence is banned; end of witch trials!



Possible Cause: Ergotism

T A K E N O T E S

- The ingestion of fungus-infected rye or wheat
- Both Abigail and Betty ate the stew and had symptoms shortly after.
- Symptoms of ergotism include spasms, itching, psychosis, and hallucinations

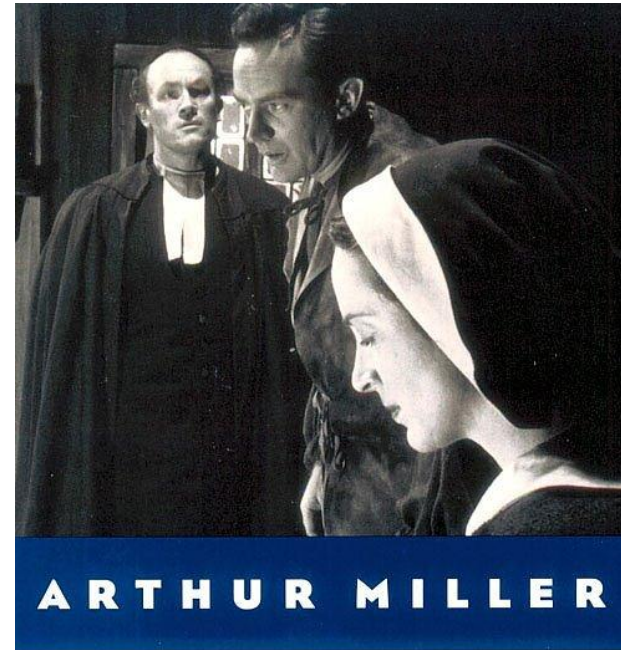


Discuss Roles

Directions:

- Three types of roles in play:
 1. Major Role (5)
 2. Minor Role (13)
 3. “Fill In” Role for Absent Students

- On sticky note, place name and what **kind of Role** you want.



The Crucible

PENGUIN PLAYS