Wednesday February 13, 2013 (2.13.13)

Materials



Composition Book + Pen or Pencil



Student Planner

| <u>Agenda</u> | | | |
|----------------|---|--|--|
| <u>Minutes</u> | <u>Activity</u> | | |
| 3-5 | Warm Up | | |
| 2 | Homework | | |
| 10-15 | GT #14: Idiomatic Expressions | | |
| 2 | Aims of Argument SG | | |
| Remaining | Solo: Work on Reading Log / Write-Along | | |

Special Announcements

■Please remember to keep up with our practice exercises (reading logs); one skill builds upon another.

Warm Up February 13, 2013 (2.13.13)

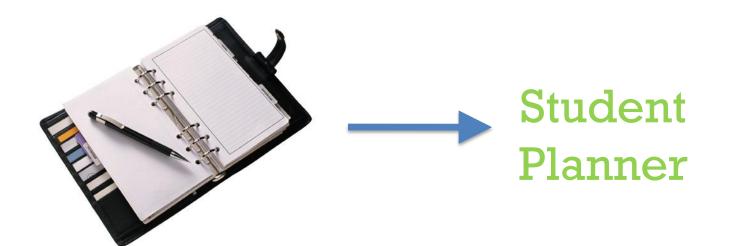
Volume-O: 0 (No Talking)

Time: 3 Minutes

Word Part of the Day: sum: highest

- Write down the word part of the day and its definition. Now, brainstorm 5-7 words that contain that word part.
- 2. How did your introduction paragraph go last night? Any issues with the AICE prompts given? Explain.

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Homework

| Date Given | Assignment | Due Date |
|-------------------|--|----------------------------------|
| Wednesday 2.13 | Complete Reading Log #13 Make another introduction paragraph for THE SAME PROMPT you did last night Use a different style of introduction than used last night or today #'s 5-8 only (no fiction prompts) | Thursday 2.14 |
| Monday 2.11 | Complete Weekly Reflection #4 (Q3) Questions are now posted; you can preview them on Schoology. Make post Friday, Saturday, or Sunday | Sunday 2.17 By 11:59 pm |

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Idiomatic Expressions

What's wrong with these?

- "We had a ball at the party."
- "When he turned 80, he bit the bullet."
- Answer? Both use idiomatic expressions

If Idioms Were Literal... It's raining cats and dogs.



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Idiomatic Expressions

- Idiomatic expressions are nonsense if taken literally:
 - "That's cool"
 - "That paper burned up"
 - "Geometry goes over my head"
 - "I have butterflies in my stomach"
- To speakers of other languages, idioms are puzzling, but to native speakers, they are natural parts of conversation
- To fix: replace idiom with literal word(s) or phrase(s)
 - Bit the bullet = died

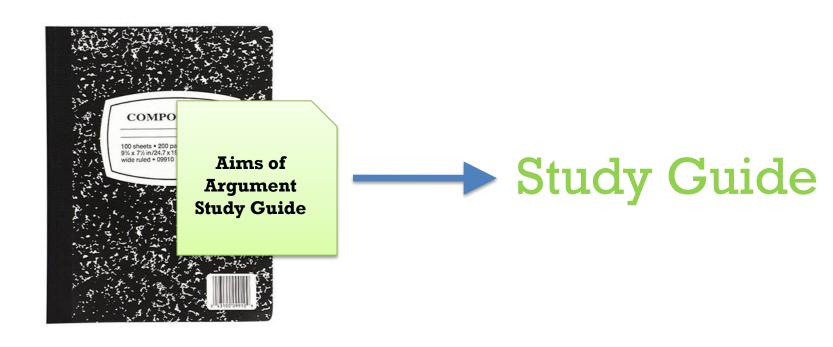


Idiomatic Expressions

Find and replace idiom; re-write corrected sentence:

- 1. The doctor said, beyond a shadow of doubt, that she would only live 5 years.
- 2. Putting him on the baseball field without practice was throwing him in the deep end.
- 3. That car accident was a wake up call for Bob.
- 4. I heard that criminal is keeping a low profile to avoid detection.
- 5. That guy is truly a rags to riches story.
- 6. Hearing that she died so young was a hard pill to swallow.
- 7. Don't rub it in: we know the wedding was over the top.
- 8. She must have the x-factor because she continues to provide for her family by making ends meet.

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| The BIG Question: How can I create and sustain an argument? | | | |
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| <u>Key Text(s):</u> Mentor articles (in workbook) / writing samples | | | |
| Concept 1: FCAT Writes vs. Language | Concept 2: Introductions | | |
| 1. What are the differences between FCAT Writes and AICE Language prompts? | 3. What type of introduction paragraph suits my writing styleand my prompt choice? | | |
| Vocabulary | Vocabulary SSHTT, funnel, quotation, anecdote, question styles | | |

Solo: Work on Introduction Paragraph

Directions (Vol: 1):

- Make another introduction paragraph for THE SAMEPROMPT you did last night
 - ☐ Use a **different style** of introduction than used last night
 - ☐ #'s 5-8 only (no fiction prompts)
- ☐ Hampton will "write along" with you
 - ☐ Class chooses prompt (5-8)
 - Class chooses style
 - ☐ Will write on screen



Example: Celebrity Culture

SSHTT:

Imagine walking down the street with paparazzi following your every move. You walk into a bar and accidentally drop your class and before you know it, your face it posted on the tabloids for being a drunk. Unfortunately, this is part of being a celebrity...

Quotation Style:

A wise man once said that "in the future, everyone will have their 15 minutes of fame." With the rise of YouTube, Facebook, and Twitter, celebrity culture is not just about professional actors and actresses anymore, but rather about the potential "star" in us all...

Funnel:

Celebrity culture is part of our American identity: we love watching the newest movies to see how our beloved actors and actresses are fairing as the years go by. Being a celebrity can be a dangerous career, but it also contains many benefits...

Question Style:

Have you ever wondered what it would be like to be a celebrity? Would you be able to walk around your own backyard without paparazzi leaning over your fence to snag a picture of you? Unfortunately, being a celebrity...