

Week at a Glance

AP English Language and Composition

Mr. Gillette

Nov. 18 – Nov. 22

**"Who is it that can tell me who I am?"
- King Lear, I, iv.**

Monday, Nov. 18

- Finish the last few minutes of *Poor Kids*.
- 8th period: Roundtable over Richard Selzer
- Return AP Objectives from last week and work in small groups on buybacks.

Tuesday, Nov. 19

- Shakespeare! Background on *King Lear*, Shakespeare himself (with focus on his language), and your own Shakespeariences thus far in life. Why does this fellow *matter*?

Wednesday, Nov. 20

- Getting accustomed to Shakespeare's language via sonnets.
- Short presentation assignment over Shakespearean sonnets (groups no larger than four)

Thursday, Nov. 21

NOTE: Podcast notes are due today.

- In class, work on sonnet analysis and decoding.

Friday, Nov. 22

- Presentation of sonnets.

Standards we will be covering this week:

- Present information, findings, and supporting evidence clearly, concisely, and logically such that listeners can follow the line of reasoning and the organization, development, substance, and style are appropriate to purpose, audience, and task.
- Make strategic use of digital media (e.g., textual, graphical, audio, visual, and interactive elements) in presentations to enhance understanding of findings, reasoning, and evidence and to add interest.
- Adapt speech to a variety of contexts and tasks, demonstrating command of formal English when indicated or appropriate.