

# Week at a Glance

AP English Language and Composition

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Sept. 23 – Sept. 27

I'll give you some time in class this week to kick around podcast ideas. Also, we'll take some time to continue to explore good writing, both from Sherman Alexie and from you.

## Monday, Sept. 23

- In class, work on Podcast proposals, brainstorm ideas, choose partners.

## Tuesday, Sept. 24

- Roots Quiz, Unit 1
- If time, student sample podcasts.

## Wednesday, Sept. 25

- In class, read "Superman and Me" by Sherman Alexie.
- Afterwards, look under the hood and figure out how it runs.

## Thursday, Sept. 26: NOTE: I'm out today for AP meetings. It'll be an SLO day, which, conveniently, will be a

NON-PAIRED AP Objective

- Non-Paired AP Objective for SLO
- PLEASE try your best, though it's not going to affect your grade. The payoff will come in April when we stack your original score against this first effort. You'll be surprised at how far your reading acumen has come!
- Process points for your efforts.
- **PODCAST PROPOSALS DUE BY 11:59 p.m. TONIGHT TO GOOGLE CLASSROOM.**

## Friday, Sept. 27

- With permission of the authors (I'll notify you), I'd like to share and discuss some of the fine examples of writing from the last essay assignment.

### 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.