Week at a Glance

English 10 Mr. Gillette Sept. 3 – Sept. 6

THIS WEEK'S GOAL (same as last week's): Keep paying attention to how authors and speakers use language to persuade us. Think about how you can do the same in your own writing as we head toward our first writing assignment.

Tuesday, Sept. 3

- · No Red Ink due by end of day today.
- In class, view JFK's inaugural address, answer questions concerning his rhetorical strategy
- Distribute SOAPSTone chart, discuss

Wednesday, Sept. 4

- Finish discussion of JFK speech
- Lincoln's Gettysburg Address and Queen Elizabeth's speech to the troops at Tilbury
- · Whole group analysis

Thursday, Sept. 5

- In class, read "Science Fiction is Supposed to Be Fun" by Scott Edelman
- Discussion re: rhetorical terms and strategies

Friday, Sept. 6

· Quiz over rhetorical terms and strategies

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.