

ENG 101 – Week 11 (11/24 – 12/3) – Task List

Week 11 -- 11/24 – 12/3

Welcome to Week 11!

This week, the major goal is for you to keep writing your Essay 3. A full draft of this assignment is DUE On Fri. 12/11 at the end of the Week 12.

To help you with this draft, there is an Essay Map that will let you organize your essay, plus a 2nd example of a complete Essay 3 for you to analyze.

This week, we are also preparing for the Final Exam by reading some materials that build on Nicholas Carr's essay on the positive and negative effects of the Internet from last week. *So by reading this material, you are actually preparing for the Final Exam.*

****REMEMBER TO PACE YOUR WORK THROUGHOUT THE WEEK. YOU SHOULD DO ABOUT HALF OF THESE TASKS AT ONE TIME, for example, half the tasks from TUE. – THU. then the rest from FRI. – MON., at different days and times. Build a schedule that works for you. Our course is 'asynchronous' like many online courses in the 21st century, so you can have flexibility in doing the work. But you need to make time to do the work, which will take you several hours each week – in addition to the work of writing a Research Paper. It is not advisable (or even possible) to do all of the work in one sitting. Our online reading and activities add up to the equivalent of 3 hours of class time each week!**

**** CLASS TASK LIST / TO DOs – WEEK 11 ****

TASK

Check off each task as you complete it.

• OVERVIEW / COURSE GUIDANCE THIS WEEK

☐ TO DO

#1) View the [YouTube Video Lecture for an Overview of Week 11](#) and this week's work.



TO DO

#2) View Our [Weekly Task List](#) (this document) to understand this week's activities. It's also part of the Video Lecture.

- ESSAY 3, MILESTONE #2 – FULL DRAFT -- IS DUE FRI. 12/11 (11:59 pm)

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#3) Go over this handout on the [Full Draft of Essay 3: ESSAY #3 - EXPLORING A NEW YORK WORLD'S FAIR - MILESTONE #2 -- FULL DRAFT WITH 4 SOURCES \(DUE FRI. 12/11, 11:59 pm\)](#)

****The Video Lecture walks you through this handout!****

In Week 12, pls. send your completed Full Draft / Milestone #2 as an attachment to eng101.lagcc@gmail.com

-OR-

Use the more convenient Submit page at: submit101.publishproject.com

In Word or Google Docs, GRADED DUE FRI. 12/11 (11:59 pm)

- SAMPLE ESSAY 3 – EXAMPLE #2 -- COMPLETE DRAFT



#4) Read this sample essay – a 2nd complete Essay 3: [Sample Essay #3 \(Example 2\)](#)

This is a 2nd example of a completed Essay 3 for you to look at to understand what a finished draft looks like.



#5) Think about and analyze the sample paper by completing these online questions: [Online Activity: Analyzing a Sample Essay #3, Example #2](#)

Work through these questions to analyze a 2nd sample short research paper on the World's Fair.

On Google Forms, GRADED DUE THU. 12/3

• MAIN READING FOR THE WEEK – “How Is the Internet Changing the Way You Think?”



#6) Watch this introductory YouTube video for context: [Video on Alex the Parrot + Irene Pepperberg's Research on Animals and Language](#)



TO DO

#7) Do this Reading: ["How Is the Internet Changing the Way You Think?" \(from the Course Pack, pp. 195-204\)](#)

This is the main reading for this week -- on how using the Internet is affecting our attention span, memory and reading habits. These ‘mini-essays’ respond to Nicholas Carr’s ideas from Week 10. You can use both sets of readings for a question on the Final Exam (Essay 4) given Mon. 12/14 & Tue. 12/15 during Exam Week.



TO DO

#8) Answer these reading questions: [Online Activity: Reading Questions on "How Is the Internet Changing the Way You Think?"](#)

On Google Forms – GRADED DUE THU. 12/3 (11:59 pm)

• DISCUSSION BOARDS – forums101.publishproject.com



TO DO

#9) Post a 150-word response to the [Discussion Board forum](#) (Freewrite: Unreliable or Reliable Sources in Internet Research)

You should have received an e-mail with your login for the Discussion Boards.

Your User ID is the first letter of your first name plus your last name (or names), up to 12 characters. For example: ‘John Smith’ = jsmith

Your passcode is the last 4 digits of your CUNY Student ID.

If you need your login credentials, please e-mail me at eng101.lagcc@gmail.com ASAP so I can send you another copy!

On our Discussion Boards – GRADED, DUE THU. 12/3 (11:59 pm)

• OUR VIRTUAL OFFICE HOUR IS CANCELED THIS WEEK BECAUSE OF THE THANKSGIVING DAY HOLIDAY

****Because of the holiday, there is no Virtual Office Hour this week on Thu., 11/26 because it is a national holiday.****

Happy Thanksgiving Day!

*****Please e-mail me at any time at eng101.lagcc@gmail.com for questions and help!*****