**End of the Year Calendar: Literature Circles**

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| Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday |
| 1  Review | 2  Review | 3  AP LITERATURE EXAM! | 4  Intro Lit Circle Books and Senior Portfolio Assignment | 5 |
| 8 | 9 | 10  Lit Circle Seminar 1 on pages\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | 11 S&F Group Paper due | 12  TEACHER WORKDAY |
| 15 | 16  Lit Circle Seminar 2 on pages\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | 17 | 18 | 19 |
| 22 | 23  Lit Circle Seminar 3 on pages\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (end) | 24 | 25  Lit Circle Projects Presentation | 26  SENIOR AWARDS DAY |
| 29 MEMORIAL DAY | 30  Present Year in Search assignments | 31 Last day for seniors!  Turn in and present Senior Portfolios | 1  Senior Exams | 2  Senior Exams |

**Grades in the last 5 weeks**

Major grades:

* S&F Group Papers (already assigned)
* Senior Portfolios (see other paper.)
* Lit Circle Project
  + This project will be 2 fold. You will choose a theme (NOT A THEMATIC TOPIC) and
    1. you will first write a short paper (1 page, double spaced) explaining how that theme appears in the novel and is enhanced by the literary elements.
    2. You will create something that showcases that same theme. This “something” can be almost anything. Some suggestions would be: 1) artwork, 2) music, 3) a skit or play 4) a short story, 5) a collection of poems (at least 3), 6) a video, etc.
  + You will be presenting your project, so make sure you are able to fully explain both how the theme appears in your novel and how it appears in your project.
  + You may work in a group to create these projects, if your medium and individual project calls for it. (i.e., you should not hand in a small pencil drawing and say three people worked on it)

Minor Grades

* 3 Seminar grades

Homework/classwork Grades

* Course reflection (given and done in class)
* Short writing assignments (TBD)