

AP English 12 Novel 5 Project

The Novel 5 Project must be completed for one of the class novels that you have not yet read. You may not use the four novels you read for your two Major Works Data Sheet Projects and your two Double Entry Journal Projects, and you may not use *The Scarlet Letter* and *Hamlet* that we read as a class. Therefore, you may choose a novel that you have not yet read from the following list: *The Awakening*, *The Kite Runner*, *A Thousand Splendid Suns*, *The Things They Carried*, *Their Eyes Were Watching God*, *Light in August*, *The Poisonwood Bible*, and *Wuthering Heights*. The Novel 5 Project is due on Friday, May 6. **It must be typed, double-spaced, 12 point, Times New Roman, with the proper heading at the top.** The directions are as follows:

1. Provide the title, author, publisher, copyright date, and number of pages in the novel in one paragraph.
2. Describe the main characters in one paragraph for each. Include the character's role in the story, a physical description of the character, and what happens to him/her in the story. Briefly describe the most important secondary characters in the novel together in one paragraph. Explain the role each secondary character played in the novel.
3. In one paragraph describe the setting (time and place) of the novel. If there are several settings, explain this and describe them.
4. Write four separate journal entries while reading your novel. Indicate the pages covered by each entry and the date you did the reading for that entry. Be sure to do the journal entries from various parts of the novel so that I know you read it from beginning to end. Briefly explain what is happening in the novel at the point of each journal entry, and include your personal analysis so that I know you read the novel. Each journal entry should be one paragraph.
5. Who was your favorite character in the novel? Describe him or her. Why was he/she your favorite? Respond to these questions in one paragraph.
6. Choose an important incident or part of your novel and describe it in detail in your own words. Respond to this in one paragraph.
7. You chose to read this novel. Did you enjoy it? Would you choose another novel by this author? What did you like about it? What didn't you like? Would you recommend this novel to others? To whom or to what type of person would you recommend it? Respond to these questions in one paragraph.
8. **Remember that a paragraph is 5-7 senior-level complete sentences.**