

Summer Reading 8th grade

The Pearl Study Guide

1.) Tell who each person is. (Will be True / False, Multiple choice or Word Bank on the test)

- A. Kino
- B. Juana
- C. Coyotito
- D. Juan Tomas
- E. Apologia
- F. The doctor
- G. Dealers
- H. Priests
- I. Trappers

2.) The author is _____; he calls the novel a _____ because _____. Which novel earned him a Pulitzer Prize for literature? _____ in the year _____. What was his point of view? _____

3.) Vocabulary – write the part of speech, definition, and sentence for each word. (Matching or Multiple Choice on the test)

- A. Feint
- B. Amulet
- C. Plaintive

- D. Setting
- E. Theme
- F. Personification
- G. Metaphor
- H. Simile
- I. Dialogue
- J. Characters
- K. Conflict
- L. Symbol
- M. Foreshadowing
- N. Allegory

4.) Write an example of the following terms, being sure to include the chapter and page number.

- A. Foreshadowing
- B. Metaphor
- C. Theme
- D. Personification
- E. Conflict

5.) How is the tracker's reaction to Coyotito's cry ironic in Chapter 6?

6.) What have Kino and Juana gained by the end of the novel and what have they lost?

7.) In what way is this an allegory? (Be specific.)

Study Guide due: Monday, August 21st

Test Date: Friday, August 25th

Writing Assignment:

You will write one paragraph of 8 – 12 sentences as a character analysis of Kino, Juan Tomas, or Juana. In the paragraph you must have at least 2 TBE (text-based evidence) sentences to support your reason or point of view. A TBE is just citing the chapter and page number of the details you have given. This will be typed, have a title, 1" margins, use Times New Roman (TNR) print, and 12-pt font. Be sure the title is not Kino or Analysis of Kino. Be creative in the title, but it must apply to the person. Type your name and the due date in the upper right corner.

Make a poster to go along with your paragraph. Use ½ full size poster paper; make sure to color your poster.

Character Analysis Paragraph due Tuesday, August 29th by 8:00. In other words, bring it to me before 1st period. I do not accept late work.