

POWER READING, RED 1008
M-W-F Assignment Framework, FALL 2009
(Subject to change)



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(Aug. 17, 19, 21)

*** If you are entering the class from another college and/or you have never taken the Accuplacer Reading Placement test, please make an appointment this week to take the free Accuplacer placement reading test in the Assessment Center as this score is needed at the beginning for comparison later in the course.**

Administer DRP

Distribute and discuss Course Syllabus and Assignment Framework

Do: Purchase text and novel

Do: Organize the three ring binder portfolio into eight sections: (1) Master Schedule, (2) Assignment Framework, (3) Course Syllabus, (4) Vocabulary, (5) Comprehension, (6) Novel, (7) Note Taking, and (8) Grades/Conference.

***Portfolio organization check no later than Friday, Aug. 28.**

Do: *Ten Steps to Advanced Reading*, Chapter 2 “Supporting Details”

Do: Read *Water for Elephants* pp. Prologue-20

(Aug. 24, 26, 28)

Portfolio organization check due no later than Friday, Aug. 28.

Do: *Ten Steps to Advanced Reading*, Chapter 1 “Main Ideas” test over Chap. 1 & 2 on Friday, Sept. 4

Do: Read *Water for Elephants* pp. 21-43

(Aug. 31, Sept. 2, 4)

Hand in work completed from *Ten Steps to Advanced Reading*, Chapters 1 and 2 on Fri., Sept. 4.

Test: *Ten Steps to Advanced Reading*, Chapter 1 “Main Ideas” & Chapter 2 “Supporting Details” on Friday Sept., 4

Do: Read *Water for Elephants* pp. 44-66

Do: *Ten Steps to Advanced Reading*, Chapter 3 “Implied Main Ideas”

(Sept 9, 11)

College Closed Monday, Sept. 7, Labor Day

Discuss Novel project criteria – The Great Depression Presentations due for mid-term, Mon., Oct. 5.

Do: *Ten Steps to Advanced Reading*, Chap. 4 “Relationships I.” Test covering Chap. 3 & 4 is Fri., Sept. 18.

Do: Read *Water for Elephants* pp. 67-89

(Sept. 14, 16, 18)

Hand in completed work for *Ten Steps to Advanced Reading*, Chapters 3 and 4 on Fri. Sept. 18.

Test: Chapter 3 “Implied Main Ideas” and Chapter 4 “Relationships I,” Friday Feb. 18.

Do: *Ten Steps to Advanced Reading*, Chapter 5 “Relationships II”

Do: Read *Water for Elephants* pp. 90-112

*Test covering *Water for Elephants*, Part I, Prologue – Chapter 6 on Friday, Sept. 25.

(Sept. 21, 23, 25)

Test: *Water for Elephants*, Part I, Prologue – Chapter 6, Friday, Sept. 25.

Do: *Ten Steps to Advanced Reading*, Chapter 6 “Inferences” Test over Chapters 5 & 6 on Friday, Oct. 2.

Do: Read *Water for Elephants* pp. 113-135

(Sept. 28, 30, Oct. 2)

Test: *Ten Steps to Advanced Reading* Chapter 5 “Relationships II & Chapter 6 “Inferences,” Fri., Oct. 2.

Do: *Ten Steps to Advanced Reading*, Chapter 7 “Purpose and Tone”

Do: Read *Water for Elephants* pp. 136-157

(Oct. 5, 7)

College Closed, Friday, October 9, Employee Professional Development Day

Mid-term Great Depression Presentations on Monday Oct 5-Wednesday, Oct. 7

Hand in proof of five different Support Services visits.

Do: Read *Water for Elephants* pp. 158-180

*Test over *Water for Elephants*, Part II, Chapters 7-13 on Friday, Oct. 16.

(Oct. 14, 16)

College Closed on Monday, Oct. 12, Fall Break

Test: *Water for Elephants* Part II, Chapters 7-13, Friday, Oct. 16

Do: *Ten Steps to Advanced Reading*, Chapter 8 “Argument”

Do: Read *Water for Elephants* pp. 181-202

(Oct. 19, 21, 23)

Test: *Ten Steps to Advanced Reading* Chap. 7 “Purpose & Tone” & Chap. 8 “Argument” on Fri., Oct. 23.

Discuss Current Depression Power Point Presentations due Dec. 7.

Do: Read *Water for Elephants* pp. 203-223

Do: *Ten Steps to Advanced Reading*, Chapter 9 “Critical Reading”

(Oct. 26, 28, 30)

Do: Chapter 10 “Active Reading and Study.” *Ten Steps to Advanced Reading*, Chapters 9 & 10 test is on Friday, Nov. 13.

Do: Read *Water for Elephants* pp. 224-245

Reminder: Current Depression presentations are due Dec. 7.

(Nov. 2, 4, 6)

Accuplacer Post-test Wednesday, Nov. 4.

Do: Read *Water for Elephants* pp. 246-267

Reminder: *Ten Steps to Advanced Reading*, Chapters 9 & 10 test is on Friday, Nov. 13.
and Current Depression presentations are due Dec. 7.

Last date for student withdrawal is Friday, Nov. 6.

(Nov. 9, 13)

College Closed Wednesday, Nov. 11, Federal Observation of Veteran's Day

Test: Chapter 9 "Critical Reading" and Chapter 10 "Active Reading and Study," Friday, Nov. 13.

Do: Read *Water for Elephants* pp. 268-289

Do: Current Depression presentations are due Dec. 7.

***Test *Water for Elephants* Part III, Chapters 14-19, Friday, Nov. 20.**

(Nov. 16, 18, 20)

Test: *Water for Elephants* Part III, Chapters 14-19, Friday, Nov. 20.

Do: Read *Water for Elephants* pp. 290-310

Do: Complete Current Depression presentation for Monday, Dec. 7.

(Nov. 23)

College Closed Wednesday – Friday, Nov. 25-27, Thanksgiving Break.

Do: Complete Current Depression presentation for Monday, Dec. 7.

Do: Read *Water for Elephants* pp. 311-335

***Final Novel Test Part IV, Chapter 20-Author's Notes, Friday, Dec. 4.**

(Nov. 30, Dec. 2, 4)

Test: *Water for Elephants* Part IV, Chapter 20-Author's Notes, on Friday, Dec. 4.

Do: Complete Current Depression presentation for Monday, Dec. 7.

(Dec. 7, 9)

Final Current Depression Presentations

(Dec. 11)

Final required individual conferences in B-325 with Mrs. Thomas:

RED 1008-01 on Friday, Dec. 11 scheduled between 11:00-1:00

My conference is at _____.