



English – 12 Honors Summer Reading Requirements  
**ANTICIPATION GUIDE:** (Attached) This activity will generate two essays.

**1. & 2.**

Write two essays according to the directions given in the attached **Anticipation Guide**.

- One essay will be written before you read 1984, and the second essay will be written after you have finished reading the story. **Instructions/details for these essays are clearly written in the attached Anticipation Guide sheet.**
- The “deep thoughts” response referred to in the directions in the “Guide” involves your own thoughtful analysis and interpretation, according to your experience, your beliefs, and, in the second essay, any changes or clarifications you may wish to consider making once you have read this book . Remember that using details and examples to support your ideas is key to effective writing.
- The essay will be done in MLA format. You will find a proper sample of an MLA paper by scrolling down on the following website: **<http://owl.english.purdue.edu/owl/resource/557/01/>**
- Evaluate how the issue in the selected statement is explored in the novel (cite specific examples of how the issue impacts a character or characters and/or the society)

*Note: Plagiarism is the unauthorized use or close imitation of the language and thoughts of another author and the representation of them as one’s own original work. Do Not Plagiarize!*

**3. Reading Log:**

Choose one of the three main characters in the novel (Winston, Julia, or O’Brien). Then, *from the point of view of that character*, compile a journal of ten (10) entries describing:

- your existence as a citizen of London/Oceania
- important events and people in your life
- your thoughts and feelings about problems you are facing
- account, creatively, for the way the story ends

Because you are assuming the role of a character, you will write these entries in the first person (“I”) point of view.

Each journal entry should be at least a paragraph in length. Please indicate the chapters or pages referenced by each entry. Be sure to space out your entries so that the *entire* novel is covered.

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**4. Hands-On Project Due First Week of School:**

Create a display or poster portraying the philosophy/beliefs expressed in the novel (viewed both in the **Anticipation Guide as well as in the book**) with any art work, doodles, graffiti, etc. you wish, reflecting the tone or attitude of the society described in the book. Be creative and ready to bring your project into school within the first four days of class.

**Deadline**

**Please drop off completed essays and the reading log to the center office (rotunda) entrance at Agawam High School by August 14, 2009. There will be an English 12 Honors: Kandar/Moren box provided for collecting this assignment.**

**Your hands-on project will be due within the first 4 days of school.**

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**\*\*Please sign this form and return it with your paperwork.\*\***

I have read the above information and understand the summer requirements and deadline for English 12 Honors.

Parent Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

If you have **questions** please e-mail Mr. Kandar or Mrs. Moren:

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Students with last names M-Z Mrs. Moren:	cmoren@agawamteachers.org

# 1984

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**Part I Directions:** Prior to reading *1984*, in the "Before" column, respond to each statement by putting a plus sign (+) if you agree with it, a minus sign (-) if you disagree, and a question mark (?) if you are unsure of your belief.

**Part II Directions:** For one of the statements below, write a Deep Thoughts response of 600 words or more in MLA format as to why you have the belief you have.

**Part III Directions:** After reading the story, in the "After" column respond again to the statements. Then, reply by writing a 600 words or more Deep Thoughts response in MLA format to a statement where your belief changed since reading the story. If not, write about a different statement than you responded to in Part II.

### *Before Reading*

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1. Those who would exchange freedom for security deserve neither.
2. *To assure our country's freedom, the government should be able to spy on its citizens.*
3. Patriotism means supporting your government during times of war.
4. *Torture of a person who is a threat to our country's freedom is acceptable as long as the person does not die.*
5. People who are a serious threat to the government should be able to be held in prison without being charged.
6. *The government has a right to know what people are reading so they may determine who might be a threat.*
7. Society would be safer if we had security cameras in public places to catch potential criminals.
8. *For an idea to exist, we must have words to express it.*
9. Reporters should submit their work to government officials so they may determine if it's a threat to the country.
10. *The only way to prepare for peace is to be prepared for war.*

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### *After Reading*

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