Genre Study: Play

Amended Genre Study Syllabus

Jan 14 1)Homework: Read Hedda Gabler

2)Take online quiz

3)Write rough draft of essay

Write a rough draft of an essay using **one** of the following topics:

Choose one:

\*Character analysis: Compare and/or contrast Nora and Hedda. Use examples from the works

as proof.

OR

\*Discuss how inanimate objects are used as symbols in both plays –you pick the two symbols to compare and contrast; explain the symbolism of each. Explain how the symbols are used to add meaning and significance to the theme of the plays.

OR

\*Discuss the sociological issues they address. Are these issues relevant in a post-modern society?

Give specific examples from the plays and from current sources.

**JAN 21** Submit your essay online to the yahoo group. DO NOT BE LATE!

**JAN 22-24 Peer Editing Week**

Watch the following youtube video on peer editing: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3yXerR7O-Lc>

READ THE FOLLOWING DIRECTIONS CAREFULLY!

1. Download the peer editing worksheet and make 3 copies.
2. You have been assigned to a Peer Editing Group. These were randomly selected.
3. Download , read and edit the work of the other members in your group.
4. Now, choose one person that is not in your group. Read and edit that person’s work.
5. Staple your comment sheet to the top of the paper.
6. Bring all 3 sets of papers to class on Jan 28.

You have 2 weeks to download this material. I will accept no excuses. There will be no alternative assignments; no late work will be accepted.