

HOMework

DUE: Thursday, August 25

Me in a Bag Project Mr. Thompson – Freshman English

PURPOSE

During this project we will learn more about our classmates' lives and discover the similarities and differences between us.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

Students will practice the following skills:

- basic writing process
 - beginning, middle, and end
- listening and note-taking
- speaking and presenting
- time management

GRADING

You will be graded on the following:

- Completion of Me in a Bag
- Quality of rationales
- Presentation of Personal Me in a Bag items

REQUIREMENTS

Inside a paper bag, place five items that reflect who you are and what is important. Exclude electronic devices, money, and multi-media; let's dig deeper than a phone, music, and cash.

1. IN CLASS - On a piece of paper, write a rationale identifying the object and an explanation of its significance; this represents a concrete detail (item) and commentary (significance). This will help during the presentation.
2. Present "Me in a Bag" to the class.
3. Notes will be written from other classmates' presentations during class.

Example:

If golf is in your life, you might put a golf ball in your bag to represent your love of the sport, time spent playing, or perhaps how it provides a wonderful TV experience Sunday afternoons for the family. You could also place a golf tee, a ball marker, or perhaps a divot repair tool. Any of these items reveal a connection to golf.

GRADING

You will be graded on the following:

- Completion of Me in a Bag
- Quality of rationales
- Oral Presentation

Memorize the following auxiliary verbs:

Quiz #1 Tuesday – Am, is, are, was, were

Quiz #2 Wednesday – be, being, been, has, have, had, do, does, did

Quiz #3 Thursday – can, could, shall, should, will, would, may, might, must, ought

Quiz #4 Friday – all 24 auxiliary verbs listed above

Student _____ Hour _____

“Remind” Text or Email Alert Registration

Please sign up and provide the necessary information requested below.

Parent Registration Needed – Check which applies.

- I have signed up now as a parent with the registered name of (if known) _____
- As a parent, I am opting out of reminders which may help keep my child on track in English.
- As a parent, I am unable at this time to sign up for either text or email alerts.
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Student Registration Needed – Check which applies.

- I have signed up now as a student.
- As a student, I am unable to sign up because receiving texts or emails is not a possibility.
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Student Signature

Parent Signature

How To Register

After texting the message below for a particular class, a message will return asking for your name or saying thanks if your cell number is already a part of the program from another class.

If asked for a name, parents should include, “parent of” with the student’s name. Students may simply enter one’s name.

Text Alerts (fastest)

1st Hour – Text 81010 This Message: @dt001

2nd Hour – Text 81010 This message: @dt002

3rd hour – Text 81010 This Message: @dt003

4th Hour – Text 81010 This Message: @dt004

Email Alerts

email dt001@mail.remind.com

email dt002@mail.remind.com

email dt003@mail.remind.com

email dt004@mail.remind.com

**Return this no later
than tomorrow!**