Texts

On Chalk

Syllabus

Oct 5 -- Introductory; Edgar Allan Poe, “The Cask of Amontillado”

Oct 12 -- Washington Irving, “Rip Van Winkle” and “The Legend of Sleepy Hollow”

Oct 19 – Edgar Allan Poe, “Berenice” and “The Black Cat”


Nov 2 – PAPER (5-7 PAGES) Herman Melville, “Bartleby the Scrivener”

Nov 9 – Harriet Prescott Spofford, “Circumstance” and “The Amber Gods”

Nov 16 – Lecture on Building Arguments; Walt Whitman, selections

Nov 23 – Emily Dickinson, selections

Nov 30 – HOLIDAY

Dec 7 -- Ralph Waldo Emerson, “Nature” and Herman Melville, “The Mast Head” from Moby Dick

-- Individual Writing Tutorials

Dec 17 – PAPER (10-12 PAGES)

Office Hours

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