

**LAFAYETTE HIGH SCHOOL**  
**LEXINGTON, KY**

**Advanced Placement English Language and Composition**

**Summer Reading 2021-2022**

AP Language students,

You are on the precipice of a great adventure! The content and contexts of this course are thoroughly engaging and varied. The following list of assignments and texts to be purchased are a minimal requirement. Feel free to explore the text in ways you enjoy, such as journaling or researching the author. You may contact: Natalie Allen ([natalie.allen@fayette.kyschools.us](mailto:natalie.allen@fayette.kyschools.us)), Michelle O'Neil ([michelle.oneil@fayette.kyschools.us](mailto:michelle.oneil@fayette.kyschools.us)) or Joanne Trammell ([joanne.trammell@fayette.kyschools.us](mailto:joanne.trammell@fayette.kyschools.us)) if you have questions over the summer. Have a great summer!

**Needed Materials**

- Three ring binder (you may choose type, size and color)

**Assignments:**

There is NO reading assignment; you will complete the literary/rhetorical terms as your summer homework. .

- Complete the attached handout with literary terms and bring it with you on the first day of class. This list will be used throughout the year. You will submit this via Canvas on the first day of class so have a Google file or a scan ready when you return to school.

<b>RHETORICAL TERM</b>	<b>MEANING</b>	<b>EXAMPLE</b>
ad hominem argument		
allusion		
anachronism		
analogy		
anaphora		
anecdote		
antecedent		
antithesis		
asyndeton		
clause		
colloquialism		
concrete detail		
connotation		
consonance		
denotation		
diction		
didactic		
dramatic irony		
enthymeme		
epigram		
epistrophe		
ethos		
euphemism		
euphony		
extended metaphor		
generic conventions		
homily		
hubris		
hyperbole		
inference		
invective		
inversion		
juxtaposition		

<b>RHETORICAL TERM</b>	<b>MEANING</b>	<b>EXAMPLE</b>
litotes		
logical fallacy		
logos		
loose sentence		
malapropism		
metaphor		
metonymy		
mondegreen		
onomatopoeia		
oxymoron		
paradox		
parallelism		
parody		
pathetic fallacy		
pathos		
pedantic		
periphrasis		
philippic		
polysyndeton		
prose		
satire		
semantic		
simile		
situational irony		
syllogism		
symbol		
synecdoche		
syntax		
theme		
thesis		
tone		
understatement		
unity		

<b>RHETORICAL TERM</b>	<b>MEANING</b>	<b>EXAMPLE</b>
verbal irony		
verisimilitude		
wit		
zeugma		