

Homework Week 13

1) Use the form “Creating an Introduction and Conclusion” on the website to write your introduction and conclusion for *A Christmas Carol*. Contact me if you need help.

2) Write your essay using the outline you created last week. When you are finished, it should be formatted like this:

Introduction:

Lead

Transition

Thesis Statement

Three body paragraphs each with these parts:

Topic Sentence

Explanation

Support from the story (don't forget to follow quotes with the stave number in parentheses)

Conclusion (answering the prompt)

Conclusion:

Loose restatement of thesis statement

Transition

Concluding remarks relating back to the lead

Note:

- ☞ Your essay must be typed using Times New Roman, 12 pt., double-spaced.
- ☞ There must be no spelling, punctuation, or grammatical errors.
- ☞ Give your essay a title.

3) Poetry: Write a six-word memoir of your life. Try to get the essence of your life, not details. To do this, think about words that make you unique or is a defining event of your life. Be creative.

Here's mine: My birthday in a stranger's Bible.

4) Vocabulary

Demure—reserved, modest

Incessant—unceasing

Melancholy—sad

Precept—rule to live by

Trivial—of little value or importance