***The Odyssey*: A “One-Pager”**

20-Point Writing Grade

Due Monday at the latest

For your culminating *The Odyssey* assignment, you will be constructing something referred to as a “one-pager.” A one-pager combines drawings and text to emphasize key aspects/connections of a novel or story, but it is confined to one side of a page.  I will show you examples in class. (Keep in mind, though, the examples might have different requirements, but they will still allow you to get the idea of what you are constructing.)

**Here are the rules:**

1. All work must be on one side of a sheet of plain white copy paper.

2. The title of the text as well as your first and last name must be clearly displayed.

3.  Be colorful and neat. Your entire page should be filled with the elements below. If you have more room, you may choose to repeat any of the elements. No space should be left blank, and nothing should be left in pencil. USE COLOR.

4.  All work must be written/drawn. You can’t cut out words or pictures. (Trust me…you can do this without being an “artist.”)

**What you need to include:**

**1. 2 Significant Quotes.** Include 2 quotes of significance from the poem. You should include the character who says it as well as a citation.

2. **Drawing of a visual image.** This could be a character, a symbol, or a moment from a scene. (I will not be judging your artistic ability. Just make the effort.)

3. **Word cluster around your image for #2.** These words should highlight the importance of your chosen image. Feel free to use a quote here if you want.

4.  **Poem/song lyrics.** Find a poem or the lyrics to a song that you think captures a theme or scene from the novel really well. Include a brief (but in complete sentences) explanation of how this song or poem relates to the novel.  Make sure you credit the poet/songwriter.

5.  **Personal “I believe…” statement**.  Write a statement that begins with “I believe….” that shows something that you believe after reading this novel. (Think along the lines of a “life lesson.”)

6.  **Three unfamiliar vocabulary words**. Find three words you do not know. Write the word, the sentence where it is used, and a definition for the word.

The Odyssey CP 1-Pager Checklist

1. Colored Drawing (5 points) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_
2. Significant Quote 1 and Analysis (4 points) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_
3. Significant Quote 2 and Analysis (4 points) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_
4. 3 Unfamiliar Terms (word, sentence, definition) (3 points) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_
5. Poem / Song Lyric & Explanation of Significance (2 points) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_
6. “I believe” Statement (2 points) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_