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| **Grade Level:**  | 12 | **Teacher/Room**: | Dial  | / | 416 | **Course(s)/ Period(s):**  | AP English | / | 1, 2 | **Week of:** | February 1-5, 2016 |
| **Unit Vocabulary:**  | AP List 12 |
| **Instructional Strategies Used:**  | Think/Pair/Share, video clips, review, discussion, quizlet.com, kahoot.com, reading guide, daily grammar practice (DGP), practice test, writing |
| **Day 1** | **Day 2** | **Day 3** | **Day 4** | **Day 5** |
| **GSE/GPS Standard(s)**: | **GSE/GPS Standard(s)**: | **GSE/GPS Standard(s)**: | **GSE/GPS Standard(s)**: | **GSE/GPS Standard(s)**: |
| ELACC12SL1Initiate and participate effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse topics and issues.  | ELACC12W9: Draw evidence from literary or informational texts to support analysis, reflection, and research. | 12SL1d. Respond thoughtfully to diverse perspectives; synthesize comments, claims, and evidence made on all sides of an issue; resolve contradictions when possible; and determine what additional information or research is required to deepen the investigation or complete the task. | ELACC12W1: Write arguments to support claims in an analysis of substantive topics or texts, using valid reasoning and relevant and sufficient evidence. | ELACC12L6: Acquire and use accurately general academic and domain-specific words and phrases |
| **Essential Question:** | **Essential Question:** | **Essential Question:** | **Essential Question:** | **Essential Question:** |
| What character traits would be necessary to survive a long-term ordeal like Pi at sea? | How will taking an AP diagnostic t est highlight strengths and weaknesses before the real test? | How will rating past AP essays improve my knowledge of what better essays should be? | How can I sucessfully defend an AP topic in 40 minutes? | What are the definitions of List 12 vocabulary words, including words from the eleven previous lists? |
| **Mini Lesson:**  | **Mini Lesson:**  | **Mini Lesson:**  | **Mini Lesson:**  | **Mini Lesson:**  |
| * Edit Daily Grammar Practice (DGP)
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 | * Edit DGP
 | * Discuss how to handle a timed essay effectively
* Edit DGP
 | * Study words on List 12 vocabulary, including previous lists
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| **Activating Strategies:**  | **Activating Strategies:**  | **Activating Strategies:**  | **Activating Strategies:**  | **Activating Strategies:**  |
| * Think/Pair/Share (see handout -Can We Trust our Senses?)
 | * Discuss format of AP practice/diagnostic test
 | * Go over prompt being rated and possible scores to be used
 | * Get prepared for writing prompt
 | * Review using Quizlet.com and Kahoot.com
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| **Lesson:**  | **Lesson:**  | **Lesson:**  | **Lesson:**  | **Lesson:**  |
| * In groups or with a partner continue from Friday where you identified survival items needed to survive a shipwreck, today you will identify character traits needed to survive and create a pie chart with most important to least
* View Magic Realism powerpoint and discuss
* View interview with Martel about book Life of Pi
 | * Take diagnostic/practice AP exam (time 1 hour)
* Check answers and check handout with correct answers with explanations to determine why questions were missed
* If time is left, read Life of Pi
 | * In groups, rate previous scored AP essays and determine how close my group comes to the actual score
* Discuss what makes a good essay versus how do essays land in the lower tier
* Read Life of Pi
* Answer reading guide questions
 | * Students will be given an AP prompt to write a timed essay in 40 minutes
* When finished, read novel Life of Pi and answer study guide questions
 | * Take List 12 AP literature quiz which is cumulative
* Read Life of Pi novel
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| **Resource/Materials:** | **Resource/Materials:** | **Resource/Materials:** | **Resource/Materials:** | **Resource/Materials:** |
| * AP list 12
* Think/Pair/Share handout
* Group survival traits activity handout
* Powerpoint on Magic Realism
* video clips
* computer
* overhead projector
 | * DGP handout
* AP diagnostic/practice test
* bubble answer sheet
* novel Life of Pi
 | * DGP
* previous AP prompt essays that the College Board rated (without scores)
 | * AP prompt
* novel Life of Pi
* writing materials
 | * overhead projector
* computer
* quizlet.com and kahoot.com
* textbook
* quiz AP vocabulary List 12
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| **Differentiation:*****Content/Process/Product:***  | **Differentiation:*****Content/Process/Product:***  | **Differentiation:*****Content/Process/Product:***  | **Differentiation:*****Content/Process/Product:***  | **Differentiation:*****Content/Process/Product:***  |
| * Content: discussion and creation of group character traits
 | * Content: AP practice test and individual evaluation of results
 | * Content: group rating of essays
 | * Product: timed essay from prompt
 | * Content: vocabulary quiz
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| ***Grouping Strategy:*** | ***Grouping Strategy:*** | ***Grouping Strategy:*** | ***Grouping Strategy:*** | ***Grouping Strategy:*** |
| * equal ability groups
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| ***Assessment:*** | ***Assessment:*** | ***Assessment:*** | ***Assessment:*** | ***Assessment:*** |
| * Think/Pair/Share
 | * informal
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 | * vocabulary quiz
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| **Assessment :** | **Assessment :** | **Assessment :** | **Assessment :** | **Assessment :** |
| ***Pre-Test:*** |           | ***Pre-Test:*** |       | ***Pre-Test:*** |       | ***Pre-Test:*** |       | ***Pre-Test:*** |       |
| ***Post-Test:***  |       | ***Post-Test:***  |       | ***Post-Test:***  |       | ***Post-Test:***  |       | ***Post-Test:***  |       |
| ***Formative:***  | discussionThink/Pair/Share | ***Formative:***  | observational checklist and AP practice scores | ***Formative:*** | ticket out the door - What I have Learned about how to write a better essay | ***Formative:*** | AP essay written from prompt  | ***Formative:*** | observational checklist for vocabulary review |
| ***Summative:***  |       | ***Summative:***  |       | ***Summative:*** |       | ***Summative:*** |       | ***Summative:*** | List 12 vocabulary quiz |
| ***Performance Based:***  | ***Performance Based:***  | ***Performance Based:***  | ***Performance Based:***  | ***Performance Based:***  |
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| **Homework:**  | **Homework:**  | **Homework:**  | **Homework:**  | **Homework:**  |
| Read Life of PiAnswer reading guide questions | Read Life of PiAnswer reading guide questions | Read Life of PiAnswer reading guide questions |  Study for List 12 AP quiz which is cumulative | Read Life of PiAnswer reading guide questions |
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| **Grade Level:**  | 10-12 | **Teacher/Room**: | Dial  | / | 416 | **Course(s)/ Period(s):**  | Creative Writing | / | 3rd | **Week of:** | February 1-5, 2016 |
| **Unit Vocabulary:**  |       |
| **Instructional Strategies Used:**  | computer lab, class blog, think/pair/share, computer program Adobe In-Design, wordpress.com, create literary magazine  |
| **Day 1** | **Day 2** | **Day 3** | **Day 4** | **Day 5** |
| **GSE/GPS Standard(s)**: | **GSE/GPS Standard(s)**: | **GSE/GPS Standard(s)**: | **GSE/GPS Standard(s)**: | **GSE/GPS Standard(s)**: |
| ELACCW4: Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience. | ELACCW4: Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience. | ELACCW4: Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience. | ELACCW4: Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience. | ELACCW4: Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience. |
| **Essential Question:** | **Essential Question:** | **Essential Question:** | **Essential Question:** | **Essential Question:** |
| How can we increase our submissions to the literary magazine? | What do I plan to turn in to the literary magazine? | What are the attributes of Adobe's InDesign program, and how can we learn it? | What is the status of my weekly blog postings? | Where do we stand in terms of submissions, artwork, writings, etc. for the literary magazine? |
| **Mini Lesson:**  | **Mini Lesson:**  | **Mini Lesson:**  | **Mini Lesson:**  | **Mini Lesson:**  |
| * Plan what is needed to further magazine work: advertisements, flyers, class visits, class writings, etc.
 | * Update status of submissions, planned strategies, training for computer work, etc.
 | * Discuss Adobe InDesign program and get students on computer practicing who want to learn - tutorials
 | * Continue work in Adobe In-Design and preparations for literary magazine
 | * Continue preparations for literary magazine
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| **Activating Strategies:**  | **Activating Strategies:**  | **Activating Strategies:**  | **Activating Strategies:**  | **Activating Strategies:**  |
| * Students will check blog for topic and post
 | * Student will give topic for today's blog
 | * Plan magazine strategies for the day
 | * Think/Pair/Share handout
 | * Gather and prepare for share day
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| **Lesson:**  | **Lesson:**  | **Lesson:**  | **Lesson:**  | **Lesson:**  |
| * IF LAB IS NOT AVAILABLE, THIS WEEK, ALTERNATE ASSIGNMENTS WILL BE GIVEN OR WRITINGS WILL BE DONE IN CLASS AND POSTED TO BLOG LATER WHEN COMPUTERS ARE AVAILABLE!
* work on first submission to the literary magazine The Vision
* Complete any work needed for literary magazine production
 | * Go to wordpress blog and write about topic posted
* If no computers available, students will write a story in groups based on criterial given
* Post story to blog
* Contine work on The Vision: typing submissions, scanning artwork, collecting submissions, ideas for magazine, etc.
 | * Go to wordpress.com and read assignment
* Complete assignment and post to individual blog
* Continue any work on magazine: typing submissions, scanning artwork, collecting submissions, ideas for magazine, etc.
 | * Read class b log for assignment and post to individual blog
* Continue work on magazine to get submissions by deadline
 | * Each person will share chosen piece with the class
* Post journal entry of choice to blog making sure it is school appropriate
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| **Resource/Materials:** | **Resource/Materials:** | **Resource/Materials:** | **Resource/Materials:** | **Resource/Materials:** |
| * computer lab
* wordpress.com
 | * computer lab or cart
* wordpress blog
* materials for flyers if needed
 | * computer lab or cart
* wordpress blog and assignments
 | * think/pair/share assignment
* Class blog
* Computer lab or computer carts
 | * items to be shared with class
* class blog
* computer lab or cart
 |
| **Differentiation:*****Content/Process/Product:***  | **Differentiation:*****Content/Process/Product:***  | **Differentiation:*****Content/Process/Product:***  | **Differentiation:*****Content/Process/Product:***  | **Differentiation:*****Content/Process/Product:***  |
| * Product: magazine submission
 | * Product: blog assignment posted
 | * Product: blog posted
 | * Content:Think/Pair/Share
 | * product: chosen work to share
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| ***Grouping Strategy:*** | ***Grouping Strategy:*** | ***Grouping Strategy:*** | ***Grouping Strategy:*** | ***Grouping Strategy:*** |
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| ***Assessment:*** | ***Assessment:*** | ***Assessment:*** | ***Assessment:*** | ***Assessment:*** |
| * Informal
 | * Informal
 | * informal observational checklist of blog completed
 | * Informal: Thik/Pair/Share
 | * informal checklist of sharing
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| **Assessment :** | **Assessment :** | **Assessment :** | **Assessment :** | **Assessment :** |
| ***Pre-Test:*** |           | ***Pre-Test:*** |       | ***Pre-Test:*** |       | ***Pre-Test:*** |       | ***Pre-Test:*** |       |
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| ***Formative:***  | posted blog | ***Formative:***  | posted blog | ***Formative:*** | observational checklist | ***Formative:*** | Think/Pair/Share | ***Formative:*** | observational checklist |
| ***Summative:***  |       | ***Summative:***  |       | ***Summative:*** |       | ***Summative:*** |       | ***Summative:*** |       |
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| **Homework:**  | **Homework:**  | **Homework:**  | **Homework:**  | **Homework:**  |
|       |       |       | Bring in written, art, found work for share day tomorrow |       |
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