

# CP English 11      September 26, 2014

**Learning target(s):** I can defend an argument with evidence. I can be a good listener and participant.

## **Agenda:**

- 1. *Lord of the Flies*: Clock Buddies
- 2. Class discussion

## **Homework:**

- 1. Grammar due Monday
- 2. Ch. 6 due Tuesday
- 3. Work ahead: page 75
- 4. Chapters 1-6 test Wednesday

# Tally

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# Discussion Rules

- Half of you will be assigned a number.
- Your number refers to the statement on the page.
- Your job is to call on 3 people who do not have a number at all.
- Their job is to share what they have for this item. Use literary present tense.
- Then you share whatever you have left. Use literary present tense.

# Honors

# September 26, 2014

**Learning target(s):** I can define foil. I can be a good listener and participant.

## Agenda:

- 1. Quiz (7<sup>th</sup> period)
- 2. Expert Days

## Homework:

- 1. Books XII-XIII due Monday
- 2. Grammar due Monday
- 3. Test Wednesday
- 4. Work ahead: Vocabulary, p. 69

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# AP Euro

September 26, 2014

**Learning target(s):** I can research and compose a detailed essay on a specific topic.

## Agenda:

- 1. Library: research Ch. 16 Extended ID

## Homework:

- 1. 531-546 Quiz Monday
- 2. Ch. 16 Extended ID due Tuesday

# CP English 10

September 26, 2014

**Learning target(s):**

**Agenda:**

- 1. VQ
- 2. Counterargument & Persuasive Appeal review
- 3. Sentence types introduction

**Homework:**

- 1. Writing Center conference!
- 2. Vocabulary Test next week, Lessons 1-5

# Find Counterargument 1

Let's start with the most ambitious option: lengthening the school year. I have written previously about the benefit of extending the hours of the school day. A similar argument applies to extending the academic year: More time at task helps children learn, and it would be worth the extra expense involved. (I can already hear the groans from some teachers -- even if the prospect of a longer school year would mean higher salaries. Having grown up in an academic family, I appreciate the benefits of the summer break, but in fairness few other professions get three months off.)

From "How Summer Is Making U.S. Kids Dumber and Fatter" by Peter Orszag



## Find Counterargument 2

One of my biggest fears when I made the decision to go abroad was that I would lose my good friends and be really far out of the loop when I returned home. First and foremost, your being abroad shouldn't change anything. You can still talk via Skype and phones and, if your friends are true friends, they will be excited for you to go and do something with your life, as well as be understanding when you come home.

There is still the possibility that you will feel out of the loop when you go back home, but you'll catch up on the latest music trends, TV shows and fashion crazes pretty quickly. Besides, the stuff you pick up while abroad is probably more valuable anyway.

From "Why Study Abroad" by Nate Nault

## Find Counterargument 3

I cannot cite the amount of times I have talked with someone who “can’t cook”, and is convinced it’s hard and not within their abilities. In my opinion, not cooking binds you to others to deliver sustenance and nutrition... these same people do not always have your best interest at heart. What happens if circumstances change, things fall apart, or your income takes a dive and you can’t afford that anymore? My guess? You’ll be forced to learn to cook. Let’s just start now, shall we?

I don’t want to be beholden to anyone to live when it comes to food. I want to be able to lead my own life, make my own choices. I don’t want chemicals, additives and other such nonsense in the food I eat and serve to my family and friends. I want the animals I eat to have had a good life. It’s very personal. It matters to me. And and I bet there are issues you care about represented at your dining table, right there on the plate.

From “Why Should I Cook at Home? 5 Reasons” by Brandie Kajino.