

Instructions for revising your TKAM Essays:

A writer's job is never done. In order to truly produce a well-written composition there are many steps to the revision process. Today, you are going to receive feedback on your *To Kill a Mockingbird* Essays. The essays have been graded using Turnitin.com. I have spent a great deal of time giving you as much helpful feedback as possible so that you may revise your essay for completion one last time.

It is imperative that you take this process seriously as it is part of the competency process to pass this class. In order to pass this quarter you must demonstrate mastery of the writing process. Once you have completed the following steps and have made as many corrections as you can within this class period, you will turn your essay back in to turnitin.com.

This assignment is worth 20 points and is pass/fail. If you make EVERY change (no matter how minor) you will receive 20 points. If you only complete part of it, you will receive a zero.

Please follow the directions to complete your essay revision:

- 1) Log on to Turnitin.com and enter into our English class.
- 2) Locate your essay and open the document.
- 3) Take a few minutes to read through the comments that have been left on your essay. If you click on the speech bubbles themselves, a small window will pop-up with feedback for you. The bubble should be attached to the word or phrase that it is in reference to.
- 4) Once you have read the feedback, it's time to begin modifying and perfecting your essay.
- 5) Since you completed your essay on a Google Doc, open up a new window and open your copy of your TKAM essay. You are going to make your corrections to the google doc you started originally. (You turned this doc in, so you will need to unsubmit).
- 6) Starting from the beginning, reread the corrections and notes I have given you and MAKE ALL CORRECTIONS to your essay on the google doc. Refer back to your essay packet if you need.
- 7) Highlight all changes you make.
- 8) When you have made ALL corrections and are satisfied that you have passed competency, turn in your final copy to Google Classroom.
- 9) Once you have submitted your essay, please post a comment to this assignment, stating what your goal will be for your next essay.

The revised essay is a pass/fail assignment that will be recorded in the assessment category and is meant to give you a boost in the grade you earned on your essay.

Thank you for all of your hard work. You are growing as a writer!

Once, you are finished, please begin working on your Literature Circle Homework.