

English 12 - World Literature & Composition

2025-2026

Please join Google Classroom for World Lit as soon as possible: 3s4yg53k.

I will make posts during the summer of important class news, needs, and notes. (Make sure you are signed in with your @students.montgomerycatholic.org account.)

Book to Read: *Purple Hibiscus* by Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie

ISBN-10: 1616202416 **OR ISBN-13:** 978-1616202415

Assignment I: Identify two (2) significantly different conflicts in the story. For each conflict, write a 6-sentence paragraph that identifies the two sides of the conflict, explains the conflict, and points out resolution of the conflict (if there is one). The first sentence should identify the conflict itself, and the rest of the paragraph should complete the other requirements. Type both paragraphs on the same Google Document, provided in Google Classroom. You will have one document with two separate (not connected) paragraphs about two separate conflicts in the novel.

This document is **due Tuesday, 12 August 2025**; this is the second day of school. This assignment will be a Writing Grade and a Literature Grade.

It is imperative that you do this on your own with your own words; plagiarism will result in a 0 for this assignment.

You can look on Google Classroom for examples of conflict in general terms. If you cannot access Google Classroom at this moment, email me (kmoore@montgomerycatholic.org), and I will send you a copy of the examples.

Assignment II: Keep a list of the main characters with a few words/phrases of description on your own paper. This will help you as you read the novel and when we discuss it in class. There will be a Completion Grade for Assignment II.

We will study the novel together as our first unit, and there will be a test at the end of the unit. We will also do a writing assignment.

