

WORLD LITERATURE HONORS
STUDY GUIDE FOR SECOND SEMESTER EXAM

Research Paper-define or explain the following:

- Placement of the thesis statement in the introductory paragraph
- What is included in the conclusion?
- Explain a direct quote.
- How do you list sources on a works cited page?
- Are sources on a works cited page numbered?
- What are the rules about the title on a research paper?
- What goes in a commentary statement?
- If you paraphrase in the research paper, do you cite it?
- What is the rule for citation if a research article does not have an author?
- What is a signal phrase in a research paper?
- Do you indent the first line of the works cited page?

Doll's House

- Is Ibsen the greatest and most influential dramatist of the 19th century?
- Did Ibsen make any changes to the genre of drama?
- Was Ibsen on a series of highs and lows when it comes to success in his field?
- Is Nora's rebellious attitude patterned after Ibsen's mother?
- Did Ibsen slam the door on Norway and society just as Nora slams the door of her house?
- Did Ibsen spend 27 years in a government-imposed exile?
- A Doll's House first act takes place right before what holiday?
- What are the rules of characterization in a realistic drama?
- Krogstad worries that Nora and Helmer have worked together to accomplish what in the bank business?
- How did Nora borrow the money for the trip to Italy?
- What connection does Dr. Rank have with the Helmer's?
- How would you describe Dr. Rank?
- Who signed the note for Nora to borrow the money?
- If Nora's father did not sign the note, then of what crime is Nora guilty?
- Nora could have asked whom for the money? .
- Nora knows what she has done is both legally and morally wrong?
- What was Nora doing last Christmas when Helmer thought she was making decorations for the tree?
- Dr. Rank tells Helmer about his illness before he tells Nora?

Why did Krogstad and Mrs. Linde end their relationship several years ago?

Does Anne-Marie know everything about Nora?

A successful marriage, according to Ibsen, needs people who know and trust one another, view each other as equals, and have what kind of identities?

When Helmer reacts to finding Krogstad's letter what does that prove about his love for Nora?

Which of the following shows Act I as a realistic prose drama? Artificial language style; perfect, fantasy-like setting; elaborate, complex sequence of events; a detailed list of props

The first Act is made up of which of the following? Frequent interruptions, extended soliloquies, invocations of the muse, or asides to the audience.

What type of events make up a realistic prose drama?

Melodramatic, supernatural, coincidental, or ordinary

What do we find out about the character of Nora when we see her eating macaroons and telling someone to "Hide the tree"?

When Nora wants to rip up her masquerade clothes, what is she saying about how she feels about her marriage?

Helmer's lines seem to suggest that he values what?

His children and spending time with them; Nora's happiness, modesty in his speech, or the praise of others

What does Dr. Rank mean when he tells Nora, "You are a mystery to me."

In Act III we find that Krogstad really wants to do what in the bank?

What statement is Nora making in Act III when she changes from her costume to another dress?

Who said this?

"I have duties equally sacred."

"No, it's Christmas. It's going to be up to you how merry a Christmas you have."

"... this dreadful thing has to be aired ... all these lies and evasions can't go on."

"He ... [was] like a dark cloud setting off our sunlit happiness."

"Yes, you see, there are some people one loves best, and others whom one would almost always rather have as companions."

"... do you think he is the only one ... Who'd gladly give up his life for you?"

Who is this?

Insists that the truth must come out expediting the eventual denouement. At first is presented as one-dimensional, but a human side is revealed throughout the course of the play.

Proof that a woman can leave her children without collapsing.

Helps Nora to see Helmer's physically exploitive nature.

What object is this?

What Nora and Helmer's marriage could have been

Guilty pleasures; rebellion

Beauty

Mourning for the loss of their relationship

Nora's surrendering to the inevitability of her "miracle" never happening The masquerade Nora and Helmer's life has become

Represents the control Helmer has over everyone in the house

The Middle Ages

The Song of Roland

What does Ganlan hope to gain?

Which act of betrayal is most reprehensible?

What motivates Ganlan's hatred?

What is the great ashen lance a symbol of?

What does the difference in Roland and Oliver represent?

How is the hero flawed in this story?

Perceval

What is the hero's mistake?

What might be symbolized by the castle?

The Inferno

What is the role of the narrator?

What foreshadows the narrator's spiritual rebirth?

How does Dante make the Inferno relevant to his readers?

What is meant by all of the circular imagery in Canto III?

What is the narrator's reaction to Francesca's story?

What does Dante want the reader to understand about the main occupants of the last circle?

Renaissance Literature

The Prince-Machiavelli

The Decameron-Boccaccio

What is ironic about the killing of the falcon?
What major event served as the setting to Boccaccio's writing of the Decameron?
What is the structure of the Decameron?

***Doctor Faustus*- Marlowe**

What subject is the inspiration for this play?
What is ironic about Faustus selling his soul to the devil?

Romanticism and Realism Literature

"The Lorelei" and "The Lotus Flower"

How are these typical of Romantic poetry?
How are they typical of lyric poetry?
Which image takes the part of the rejected suitor?

How Much Land Does a Man Need? Tolstoy

How is this story like an allegory?
How is the story similar to the story with Faustus?

Two Friends

The Overcoat

What is the central lesson?
What is characteristic of Romanticism?
What is characteristic of Realism?

Modern World Literature

"Everything is Plundered" by Akhmatova

"I Am Not One of Those Who Left the Land" by Akhmatova.

Who are the lucky ones?
What is meant by "wormwood infects your foreign bread"?

The Contemporary World Literature

"The Handsomest Drowned Man in the World"

The cramped, desert-like image is symbolic of what? As they prepare the body, the dead man begins to what? What is the lasting impact on the villagers?

"Annie John"

Miss Dulcie and dustheap metaphor?
What do the places she passes on the road have in common?
What do her feelings about the jetty symbolize?

Ode to My Socks

What images are surreal?

How is the speaker like the explorer in the jungle?

The Tempest

Prospero

Miranda

Ferdinand

Gonzalo

Alonso

Ariel

Antonio

Trinculo

Stephano

Sebastian

Who usurped Prospero's dukedom?

How did Prospero help to lose his dukedom?

Who helped to take the dukedom away?

What does Antonio have to pay King Alonso?

Miranda and Prospero are not killed because?

Prospero was exiled in a ?

Where is the King of Naples returning from in the opening of the play?

Who or what is responsible for wrecking his ship?

When does the shipwreck occur?

The action of the play covers about how long?

Prospero releases Ariel from an evil spell cast by?

What was Ariel's torture?

How long had Ariel's torture lasted?

Who is Caliban's mother?

Who tries to murder the King of Naples on the island?

Who prevents the murder?

Who from the shipwreck party first discovers Caliban?

Prospero does not want his daughter to be easily won, so what does he do?

Caliban tells his accomplices that they must steal what from Prospero in order to kill him?

Ariel has the conspirators walk into what? A

foil to the delicate Ariel is?

WUTHERING HEIGHTS

What is inscribed above the door of Wuthering Heights?
What is the name of town near WH?
Who plans to live at Thrushcross Grange at end of novel?
Why does Catherine climb over garden wall?
Who raises Hareton in the early years?
Who dies first?
Who dies last?
When will Catherine's body decompose?
Where is Heathcliff originally found?
Where is Catherine buried?
At what age is Linton taken by Heathcliff?
Who works as a servant for Hindly?
At what age are Catherine and Linton reunited?
Whom does Heathcliff use as a servant?
Where do Heathcliff and Catherine become close?

CHRONICLE OF A DEATH FORETOLD

Who is Santiago betrothed to?
At what time of day is Santiago killed?
Who performs the autopsy?
How does Bayardo react when he discovers his bride is not a virgin?
Who takes Angela's virginity?
What social construct influences the Vicario twins to commit the crime?
What happens to Bayardo and Angela?
Who yells at Santiago to run to his house?

NECTAR IN A SIEVE

What type of narration is there?
How many children do Ruku and Nathan have?
Who is the oldest?
Who works with Kenny?
What is Irawaddy named after?
Who wrote the poem that the title is taken from?
Have an idea of the type of quote the characters in the book would say.