

Check-list of required entries for the reading blog for Introduction to Literature
(Feel free to include “extra” entries if you wish!)

1. Ch. 1. Respond to the two “Immigrants” poems.
2. Ch. 1. Describe how the language in one of the readings—“Girl,” “Powder,” or “Christmas Tree”—is “pleasurable” or enjoyable.
3. Ch. 5 Choose one of the stories or excerpts and describe the “setting” in as much detail as you can, via what you’ve gleaned from the story.
4. Ch. 6 Please discuss point-of-view usage by one of the authors you read in this chapter.
5. Ch. 31 Pick a type of “criticism” described by your book. How does it call “our attention to interesting things going on in a” story or play or poem (1536)?
6. Ch. 8 How are the techniques that a filmmaker uses similar to those “of a playwright or of a short story writer” (204)?
7. Choose one of the short stories from weeks five or six and describe why it, in your opinion, has stood the “test of time” and is considered a classic piece of literature.

These posts must be completed by Monday, October 6.