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Honors Literature – World History

Aztec Women & Men

Grammar & Rhetoric Week 11

TASK: Read the text, *Aztec Women & Men* (page 253 APWH textbook) carefully. Answer each of the following items completely, accurately and neatly.

TASK: Literary Analysis

1. Identify the verb tenses of the passages.

2. Identify the “Person” of the passages.

3. List the characteristics of the Aztec women and men. How are they important in the development of the author’s argument?

4. List the action verbs within all of the text and describe their effect, purpose. What insights can be gained about the main ideas of the text from an analysis of the verbs?

5. Identify two examples of figurative language and describe their effect, purpose.

6. List 10 prepositional phrases, the words they describe and the type of prepositional phrase.

8. Describe how the author portrays the rulers. What does that tell you about the characteristics of a good ruler? A bad ruler?

9. Which of the persons / roles is most similar to you...which do you have more characteristics in common?

10. Describe the author's use of detail and how would the details be important to understanding the point the author is making?

11. Write a sentence for each of the following syntactical structures:

S V C _____
sc , SVC _____
SV+VC _____

12. Identify 4 characteristics that would not be appropriate today and explain why... then identify 4 characteristics that would apply even today and explain why they would be good in today's world.

13. Complete the PERSIAN docs for BOTH the Toltecs and the Aztecs. Then, write a Change and Continuity over Time Essay on the two societies.



