**2013-2014 English 12 First Semester Exam Study Guide**

Directions: Answer the questions on SEPARATE SHEETS OF NOTEBOOK PAPER. ANSWER USING COMPLETE SENTENCES. Completed study guides are worth up to 5% extra credit on the semester exam!

**Fahrenheit 451 Questions**

1. The author says 451 degrees Fahrenheit is the temperature at which\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

2. What does the reader learn about Mildred in section one?

3. What two events deeply effect and influence Montag?

4. How does the reader know that Captain Beatty is educated?

5. Montag shows Mildred his hidden books because \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

6. What is Montag’s reaction to the “Denham’s Dentifrice?”

7. Faber considers himself a coward because \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

8. Faber says three things are required for happiness; these are \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

9. What does Faber give Montag?

10. Describe Montag’s interaction with Millie and her friends (section two).

11. In Montag’s final confrontation with Captain Beatty, Montag \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

12. The manhunt for Montag ends when \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

13. The use of “Denham’s Dentifrice” on the subway, symbolizes

* 1. the need for good dental hygiene.
	2. the powerful government/commercial mind control.
	3. a code word for Faber.

14. How does Montag escape?

15. Who are the men Montage meets in the woods?

16. Why is Montag the one who leads the men of the woods back to the destroyed city?

17. How does Montag change throughout *Fahrenheit 451*?

18. In *Fahrenheit 451*, what motivates Montag to change his behavior?

19. What type of conflict does Montag encounter when he first meets Clarisse?

20. Beatty striking Montag on the head is an example of which type of conflict?

21. What is ironic about the follow quote from Montag in *Fahrenheit 451*? (RL.11-12.6)

*Beatty, he thought, you’re not a problem now. You always said, don’t face a problem, burn it.*  (121)

22. “Firefighters starting fires, rather than putting them out” is an example of which type of irony? (Dramatic, situational, verbal?)

23. If a character is sarcastic to another character, it is an example of which type of irony?

24. If a character does not know what is going to happen, but the reader does, it is an example of which type of irony?

25. By including items used in real life, the author is using \_\_\_\_\_.

26. What event is the climax of the novel?

27. What does the salamander insignia symbolize?

28. Round/Flat, Static/Dynamic?

Montag

Clarisse

Captain Beatty

Millie

Faber

29. What are two major THEMES (lessons) from Fahrenheit 451?

30. What is the Phoenix symbolic of?

**1984 QUESTIONS**

31. In the opening line of the novel, the clock strikes “13.” Which word best describes the mood in the opening portion of the novel?

32. Complete the following phrase: “Under the spreading chesnut tree….”

33. Winston is writing his diary to?

34. What are the three party slogans? What are they examples of?

35. Newspeak will eventually eliminate:

36. Hope, according to Winston, lies in the \_\_\_\_\_\_.

37. A particular feeling the author attempts to create for the reader is called\_\_\_\_\_.

38. A place where the government, laws, and society are supposed to be perfect, but instead are flawed, is called a/an?

39. The fact that Victory mansions are crumbling is an example of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

40. “War is Peace, Freedom is Slavery, and Ignorance is strength” are

a. party slogans

b. statements of irony

c. examples of doublethink

d. A and B

e. A, B, and C

41. The newspeak work “Ingsoc” is actually short for\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

42. Why can’t Mrs. Parson’s discipline her children?

43. “Reality control,” or “to be conscious of complete truthfulness while telling carefully constructed lies,” is called \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

44. Who is the subject of the two-minutes hate and the sworn enemy of Big Brother?

45. In Winston’s dream, he hears a voice bring him a message. What does the voice say? Who do we find out is the speaker?

46. Finish the following quote: “Thoughtcrime does not entail death…”

47. The discredited leaders of the party tend to spend time in what location?

48. Any reference to in literature to a certain person, event, or thing from the past is a(n)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

49. What is an “axiom,” and what is the best example from the novel?

50. “Oranges and Lemons say the bells of Saint Clements” is an example of a/an \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

Which “superstate” does each country belong to: United States, England, China, Soviet Union/Russia?

51. The two aims of the party are to (Goldstein’s book) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

52. Nothing is efficient in Oceania except the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

53. Real war in the age of 1984 is waged by (Goldstein’s book) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

54. That telescreen was hidden behind the church, when traditionally the church is a place of protection and sanctuary, is an example of:

55. Why aren’t proles educated?

56. According to Goldstein’s book, physical rebellion against the Party is impossible.

57. The aim of the “high” in society is to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(Goldstein’s book)

58. The aim of the “Low” in society is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (Goldstein’s book)

59. Winston's former neighbor who is turned over to the thought police by his daughter:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

60. The “place where there is no darkness” is actually:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

61. The past exists in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, which are both controlled by the party.

62. The Party's command, compared to old Totalitarian regimes and despotisms, is:

a. thou shall not b. thou art c. thou shalt

63. Why does the party seek power?

64. Winston, at the end of the novel, has won the “victory” over: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.