Poetic Vision Project '13-14

Log Requirement "Ballpark" Numbers

The PV project runs from the time the official assignment sheet is presented, until roughly the end of March, followed by 2-3 week "dead period" where only homework is PV project compilation. Poetic Vision Sightings Logs and the Miscellaneous Quote Journal will begin the first week of school. First collection of logs will be at end of first semester. Due Diligence is not supposed to entail waiting until the weekend before logs are due, and trying to "cram." You'll be bitter, and the result is most "unpoetic." **Required numbers this year have been reduced to compensate for the new iPad learning curve!!**

Major Projects:

1   Read Poems Logs: After the initial library computer Poetic Introduction (Sept), in which you will log 6-10 poems, you will be required to read and log a <u>minimum</u> of one poem per week (roughly 25 for year).   Students will have an AP Poetry handout with types of poems and suggested poems for each type.   You are also required to complete logs for poems that the teacher provides (10-15).   We're talking 30+for the year (16 weeks first sem; 14 second sem before Easter break. This number would put you in <u>A-territory</u>.

2   Movies: Min. 8 movie logs for Sept - March gets you an <u>A.</u>)
    A   2 Logs for Movies Released from 6/2011 - 3/2012; includes summer '11 films
    B   4 of 5 of the following required movies: *DPS, Shawshank Redemption*, *Pay it Fwd*; *Life as a House; Man Without a Face*); if you've seen one of these and don't choose to repeat it.
    C   2 or more Your Choice (Any Movies, Old or New). No credit for horror or inappropriate films.

3   Theater Logs: You are required to see two amateur productions (HS) and one "professional" one (college or professional).   Logs for each.   **DO** keep the programs. You will need indisputable picture proof from inside the theater of each performance.

Minor Projects:

1   Song Lyrics: **3** per Month gets you to <u>A-territory</u>

2   Photographs: **3** per Month gets you to <u>A-territory</u>

3   Original Poems: **Minimum of 8 (non Haiku –length)** gets you an <u>A</u>.   Many students have never written a poem. These need to be spread out over the length of the project.   We will do some class work on "how" to write a poem; it's not clean and simple, but messy.   The emphasis is on the process, which is usually messy and involves drafts and revisions. Evidence of some revision is required.

4   Miscellaneous Quote Journal Quotes: Sept thru March. ≥75 gets you an <u>A</u>.   All quotes must be hand written, i.e., <u>typed, cut and pasted</u> Misc Quote Journals.

5   PV Vision Sightings Logs: 4 per week, Sept through first week of March.   Holidays are exception to 5/week rule..   So how many is that for the first semester? Do the math.   Min one per day, M-Th and Sunday times 24 weeks (approx) = 120 minimum.   Keep them any way you like.   Creative way?   One rule though: No more than a few sightings (2-3?) per day.   Avoid Cramming! Number your entries consecutively from #1 to whatever.   Again, "ballpark" numbers.

6   Organizational Decision: How are you going to keep your logs, pictures, etc. during the year?   Accordion- file, binder, other?   Feel free to network with classmates for best option. . . or, "think for yourself" (*OFK*).