

Julius Caesar Essay Prompt

Compare and contrast Antony and Brutus' rhetoric in their public speeches (Act 3, Scene 2). Explain why one speech is more persuasive than the other. Make sure to clearly break down uses of pathos, logos, and ethos. Explain what Shakespeare is suggesting about rhetorical strategies (which is most effective on the average citizen).

You will be graded in the following Categories

- Evidence
 - TIES
 - Academic Verbs
 - MLA Citations
- Unique & Sophisticated Analysis
- Grammar & Mechanics:
 - Effective use of commas
 - At least one 1 colon
 - At least 2 semicolons
- Required strategies:
 - Keyhole intro & conclusion paragraph
 - FATt sentence
 - S.B. Thesis
 - CEIEI Paragraphs
 - MLA Format
 - Honors Students add:
 - Present tense
 - 3rd person
 - Brackets
 - 1 block quote
 - "This"

Organization ideas for compare and contrast essays:

- 1 paragraph on inferior speaker & 2 paragraphs on superior speaker
- Each paragraph compares 1 quote/strategy from each speaker