



English Literature and History

Assignment 11

- *poetry memorization*. Memorize parts 1–6 of Girard Manley Hopkins' poem, "Binsey Poplars." There will be only more part to memorize after this week.
- *reading and vocabulary*. We will begin the Elizabethan Period with Lesson 11, which covers several works by William Shakespeare, including his sonnets and a prose rendition of his play, *Macbeth*. Read the literature in the anthology corresponding to the study guide material. Study and complete all of the vocabulary exercises in Lesson 11. Read and study the literary terms presented in Lesson 11 of the study guide, including *poetic justice* as well as the *form and function* of poetry.
- *writing*. Make sure you have an idea for your ballad. Be able to discuss the basic plot line.
- *literature test*. Study for the literature test on the Briton and Medieval Periods.
- *English history*. Read English History Chapter 6 and answer the questions in the study guide.

Long-Range Assignments

- *comparison essay*. We will be working in class on our comparison essay on the Edwards of Medieval English history (presented in Chapter 9 in our English History textbook). The comparison essay between the two Edwards will be due the second Friday of December.
- *heraldry project*. Make sure to have your heraldry project complete before the Thanksgiving break. You will bring the shield to class and the class and I will judge which are the first-class shields.