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***English A1 Networking
Meadowbrook High School—Carolyn Henly
Friday, November 7
9:30-1:00***

Agenda

9:30 – 10:00 Registration and Breakfast

10:00 – 12:30 Oral and Written Commentary

- Close Reading Strategies
- Attention to precision of meaning in individual words (written/read)
- Structuring a short story unit
- Structuring the Oral Commentary
- Activities to prepare students for the Written Commentary (Paper 1)
- Structuring the Written Commentary (Paper 1)

Oral Presentation

- Topic suggestions?
- High-interest activities to prepare students for the IOP
- Suggested readings
- What vocabulary, if any, should be taught?

World Literature Paper

- Recommendation for novels/other works for World Literature?
- How should sources be used on World Lit Papers
- SparkNotes?
- Effective topics for World Lit Papers

General Course Management

- Pacing
- Work load (teachers/students)—how do we handle the paper load?
- Creating meaningful assessments
- Recommendations of other resources?

12:30 – 1:00 Lunch