Spring 2017 Important Dates

January 20 Last day to drop a semester-length class for full refund

January 16 Monday-Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday—no school

January 27 Last day to register for a semester class in person

January 27 Last day to drop a class to avoid a “W” (withdrawal) on your record

January 29 Last day to register for a semester class on Webadvisor

February 17 Friday—Lincoln Holiday—no school

February 20 Monday—Washington Holiday—no school Four-day week end!

March 10 Last day to drop a semester-length class

April 10-13 Spring Break

May 15-19 Final Exams week

Your final is on Monday, May 15, from 1:00 to 2:50 pm.

English 128 Work Schedule

This schedule may be adjusted if needed

1/9 1 Intro to course; Think Alouds; some quick study tips. *Rich Dad Poor Dad* chapter 1 excerpt.

1/16 2 (MLK Holiday) *Empty Mansions*introduction before chapter 1 due: Reading Quiz 1.

Reading whole to part.

1/23 3 Vocabulary 1 assignment and quiz. Reading and discussion of Trump family article.

1/30 4 *Empty Mansions* chapters 1-4 (pps. 1-89) due: Reading Quiz 2. Intro to oral presentation

Assignment and choosing your topic.

2/6 5 Data base research assignment: oral presentation topics. Vocabulary 2

assignment and quiz; *Grit* text discussion; **Essay #1 due Friday, 2/10 (success).**

2/13 6 Oral reports begin. Text: “How to Buy Happiness: Choosing between Stuff and Experiences”.

Text discussion.

2/20 7 *Empty Mansions Part 2*: chapters 5-6 (pps. 91-160) due: Reading Quiz 2. Vocabulary 3

assignment.

2/27 8 Vocabulary 3 quiz; Oral reports continue; Social Darwinism and Andrew Carnegie texts

reading and discussion; **Essay #2 due Friday, 3/1 (Social Darwinism and Andrew Carnegie)**

3/6 9 Oral reports continue; *Empty Mansions* chapters 7-9 (pps. 161-224) due: Reading Quiz 3.

Vocabulary 4 assignment.

3/13 10 Oral reports conclude; Vocabulary 4 quiz. Reading and discussion of text about Tuna and

Moskewitz.

3/20 11 **Essay #3 due Tuesday, 3/21 (summary of Tuna and Moskewitz)**;

3/27 12 *Empty Mansions* chapter 10 (pps. 225-276) due: Reading Quiz 4.

4/3 13 Reading and discussion of introversion/extroversion text. **Essay #4 due Friday, April 7 (what**

**the rich owe the poor, or, how to give your money away**.

4/10-4/14 **Spring Break**

4/17 14 *Empty Mansions* chapters 11-12 (pps. 277-322) due: Reading Quiz 5; Vocabulary 5 assignment.

4/24 15 Vocabulary 5 quiz; *Empty Mansions* chapter 13 and Epilogue (pps. 323-359) due: Reading Quiz

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5/1 16 *Empty Mansions*  chapter 13 and Epilogue (pps. 323-359) due; Reading Quiz 6.

5/8 17 **Essay #5 due Tuesday, 5/9 (happiness).** Vocabulary review and test; text assignment and discussion for

final exam.

5/15 18 Final Exams Week

Our final exam is Wednesday, May 15, from 1:00 to 2:50.