Inform and Interpret Essay

**Writing prompt:** When you have closely examined a piece of literature, you are able to interpret it -- to figure out meaning that are not obvious at first glance. Write an essay that interprets a literary work and helps readers find new meaning or significance in it.

**Topics to consider:**

* How conflict in “Harrison Bergeron” helps get the author’s message across
* How setting and mood in “Searching for Summer” affect the meaning of the story

Instructions, tips, and a student model are found in the literature book on pp. 142-148. [CCSS informative rubric (p. 4)](http://mhsenglishdepartment.weebly.com/uploads/3/4/0/5/3405281/common_core_rubrics_gr9-10.pdf) will be used to grade your papers.

