

Providence Extension Program | Core E Rhetoric I
Q1 W6 Weekly Assignment Guide (9/20, 9/22)

WOW: *Word(s) Of the Week*

audacious

adjective | (aww- DAY-shus)

daring or bold

Faust's *audacious* bargain costs him his soul.

vaunt

verb | (VONT)

to make a vain display of one's own worth or attainments

Due to his education and stature, Faust was prone to *vaunt* his accomplishments.

Due Tuesday 9/20:

- **Read “On Women’s Right to Vote” (Weebly)**
 - ~ Annotate according to Rhetorical Discourse guide (handbook p. 9) from what we have learned so far
 - ~ Look for multiple examples of logos, ethos, and pathos
 - ~ Identify main idea
 - ~ Look for stylistic choices
- **Be prepared to discuss all of the above**

Due Thursday 9/22:

- **Read *Dr. Faustus* Prologue through Scene IV (p. 1 - 17)**
- **Answer *Faustus* Response; submit to Turn-it-in by 8 a.m. and bring printed copy to class. Choose ONE of the prompts below and answer according to these guidelines:**

The Reading Response, a 250-word answer to a provided prompt, must follow the TEA pattern—Topic sentence, Evidence from text, and Analysis of evidence. You must provide textual evidence via direct quote or summary, and your evidence must be properly integrated and cited in MLA format. Submit your response via Turn-it-in for tutor comment and grade and be prepared to share your response as part of the class discussion.

 - 1. The first part of Scene 1 is a long speech from Faustus. In your response, describe what it is that Faustus seeks, as well as what he rejects in the process (there are several fields he rejects).**
 - 2. After the speech, the Good Angel and the Bad Angel enter the scene. What is the significance of their entrance and what do they offer to Faustus?**
 - 3. As Faustus lists his reasons for studying necromancy, what does he say about divinity? Why is he so strongly against the study of divinity?**
 - 4. Explore the relationship between Mephistophilis and Faust. What does Faust say he is willing to do, and why is this significant? How does Mephistophilis feel about being damned?**
 - 5. Compare Scene IV with the previous scene in which Faustus agrees to sell his soul to the devil in order to gain power. What is the point of Scene IV?**