Which Letter Fits You?

In <u>The Scarlet Letter</u> the town decides the letter that best suits Hester. For this assignment you are going to figure out which letter best fits you!

- 1. Decide which letter best represents you your personality, likes, dislikes, passions, ambitions, strengths, weaknesses, ect.
- 2. Own it! Make your letter yours.-Make the letter out of something you feel represents you.-Decorate your letter appropriately to symbolize you.-You may place any type of appropriate artwork on your letter: magazine cutouts, song lyrics, 3D images, dangling ornaments, ect.
- 3. Once you have decorated your letter, write a 3 paragraph explanation about your letter. Explain:-why you chose your letter the significance of your letter.-why you decorated it the way you did.-why you chose certain pictures, drawings, song lyrics.-why it symbolizes you.
- 4. Present your letter and your explanation to the class.

Which Letter Fits You? Point Break Down:

<u>Creativity</u> - 10 points – 1. Your project demonstrates a plan and purpose, it wasn't simply put together the night before (3 points). 2. Your design is original and utilizes material that has symbolic meaning that represents you (3 points). 3. The meaning and construction of your project is not merely shallow and overly simplified, but substantial and appropriate (4 points).

Explanation - **21 points** – Your explanation is 3 paragraphs in length and gives an in-depth description of how you decorated and designed your letter and how each part represents you. Your explanation is formally written and possesses maturity of voice and complexity of thought (7 points each paragraph).

Presentation - 19 points - *Explanation*: You fully address the symbolic parts of your letter and how it represents you. (2points) Why you chose that letter. (2points) Why you utilized certain materials. (2points) Why you decorated it the way you did. *Intro/Ending*: Introduce yourself to the class to start your presentation (2points). Give a verbal cue to the audience to let them know you are finished (2points). "Thanks for listening," "I appreciate your attention, thank you," ect. *Composure*: 1. Keep calm & remember to breathe, 2. Keep still, 3. Stand up straight, 4. No fidgeting, 5. Make eye contact, (Voice) 6. Project your voice so that you are heard easily, 7. Speak in a way that is easy to understand, (Flow) 8. Present your findings without too many pauses, 9. No filler words – umm, ughhh (Clarity) (9 points)

50 Points total