

Ms. Dowling

English A (9)-Extended Home Instruction Packet

<p><u>Week 4:</u></p> <p>Lesson 1: SWBAT analyze and interpret the characters, plot and vocabulary of <i>The Wave</i> Chapters 1-6.</p>	<p>1. Answer <i>The Wave</i> short answer questions and submit them to turnitin.com under the title “<i>The Wave</i> Short Answer Questions”. Be sure to follow the directions as to the length of the answers. You do not need to type out the questions, but please number them and answer them in complete sentences.</p>
<p>Lesson 2: SWBAT analyze and interpret the characters, plot and vocabulary of <i>The Wave</i> Chapters 1-6.</p>	<p>1. Answer The Wave Essay Question #1 and submit it to turnitin.com under the title, “<i>The Wave</i> Essay Question #1”. Be sure to follow the directions as to the length of the essay. You do not need to type out the question, but please be aware of your punctuation, spelling, grammar, etc.</p> <p>2. Answer The Wave Essay Question #2 and submit it to turnitin.com under the title, “<i>The Wave</i> Essay Question #2”. Be sure to follow the directions as to the length of the essay. You do not need to type out the question, but please be aware of your punctuation, spelling, grammar, etc.</p>

The Wave-Short Answer Questions

Answer each of the following questions in complete sentences. Each answer should be at least 2-3 sentences.

1. Discuss Ben Ross's reputation as a teacher and what this reveals about him.
2. Discuss what the film reveals about Nazi concentration camps. Also share your prior knowledge of these events.
3. Discuss the different student reactions to the film.
4. Discuss what bothers Ross about the questions that his students asked him and what he plans to do about it.
5. Discuss why Ross stresses posture.
6. Discuss Ross's definition of community. Do you agree or disagree?
7. How is *The Wave* similar to the Nazis?
8. Discuss why David wants to introduce *The Wave* to the football team.
9. Make a prediction: Do you think the techniques of *The Wave* will strengthen the football team?
10. Discuss the different views of *The Wave* as presented by Laurie's parents.

The Wave-Essay Questions

Answer each of the following questions in essay format. Each essay should address all parts of the question. Make sure that each essay is at least 5-7 sentences. Submit your answers to [turnitin.com](https://www.turnitin.com). They will be labeled “*The Wave* Essay Question #1” and “*The Wave* Essay Question #2”.

1. David tries to convince Laurie to forget the events that took place in Nazi Germany: “Forget about it. It happened once and the world learned its lesson. It’ll never happen again.” Do you agree? Should we try to forget evil events, and trust in the goodness of human nature? Is evil an outside force, or are we all capable of evil acts?
2. Laurie’s father likes *The Wave* idea of getting people to work together as a group, while Laurie’s mother admires people who are not afraid to act as individuals. Whose side are you on? Do you need to be part of a group, or do you act and think more independently? Have people in the United States achieved a balance between individualism and community spirit? Is individual freedom more important than community?