

Argumentative Essay

DUE: THURSDAY JANUARY 15TH @ 8:00 A.M. NO LATE PAPERS ACCEPTED.

Plan on turning in your paper *early* if you will not be in school on this day (finals are also scheduled at this time).

Length is 4 - 6 pages double spaced 12 point font.

Using standard English essay format (see *Milo Template* for reference).

Illustrations, photographs, and bibliography pages are in addition to the 4 - 6 pages of writing.

Assignment: You selected a question to focus on during the past semester. You should have an answer now to your question. Present a well reasoned argument (i.e. see logical thinking guide exercise for an example of a "well reasoned" argument) using specific examples from the text(s) ***Maus I & II*** and ***American Born Chinese***. Include at least two examples from one of the texts, using quotes, and explain how this relates to your argument. You must also include the original research that you did, giving specific quotes from your subjects (interviewees, surveys, or articles) and detailed explanations for how the research supports (or refutes) your position.

I will be available at lunch times or via email to read your papers ahead of the deadline if you would like help and feedback. salome@goop.org