

Group Members:

Theme: _____

***The Crucible* Theme Groups**

As we read through Arthur Miller's classic play, you will be responsible for tracking one theme with a group. When we conclude our reading, your group will work on creating a presentation exploring your particular theme. You are responsible for providing a thorough analysis of your theme (complete with evidence from the text!) to our class.

Themes:

- ❖ Human cruelty in the name of righteousness
- ❖ The individual and the community
- ❖ Justice v. retribution and revenge
- ❖ Godliness v. Worldliness
- ❖ Ignorance v. Wisdom
- ❖ Order v. Individual Freedom

RUBRIC:

____ (20) Content

- ____ Well-prepared
- ____ Imaginative, Creative, unique, and/or inventive presentation
- ____ Sufficient visual/audio aids, props, handouts, etc.
- ____ Displays an excellent grasp of the information
- ____ Keep your peers' attention

____ (20) Presentation

- ____ Projection, volume of voice, voice inflection (do not be monotonous/boring)
- ____ Posture (no slouching, no hands in pockets, no swaying, no leaning against the board, no gum chewing, etc.)
- ____ Eye Contact
- ____ Appropriate word selection
- ____ Avoids overuse of "like," "umm," "okay," "so," etc.

____ (10) Includes evidence from the text!

____ (50) TOTAL