

February 4th

Chapters 22-25

Chapter 22-23 Review

1. With which of the statements about Mr. Smith would the egwugwu most agree?
 - a. He is angry and dangerous.
 - b. He is foolish and self-absorbed.
 - c. He is unaccepting and violent.
 - d. He is disrespectful and ignorant.

Chapter 22-23 Review

2. Describe which central conflict of the novel is revealed in the climax and the events of chapter 23. Use evidence from the text to support your answer.

Chapter 24 Review

1. It can be reasonably inferred from chapter 24 that the main reason Okonkwo killed the messenger is that
 - a. he was in the wrong place at the wrong time and fate determined his actions.
 - b. the head messenger was the member of the court whom Okonkwo particularly disliked.
 - c. his fixation on violence and revenge caused him to react impulsively in that moment.
 - d. killing the messenger was the best way to protect Umuofia from the colonizers.

Chapter 24 Review

1. Which piece of evidence from the text best supports the answer to question 1?
 - a. “We must do what our fathers would never have done.” (pg. 203 or pg. 211)
 - b. “Okonkwo was sitting at the edge.” (pg. 204 or pg. 212)
 - c. “In a flash Okonkwo drew his machete.” (pg. 204 or pg. 212)
 - d. “He knew that Umuofia would not go to war.” (pg. 205 or pg. 213)

Chapter 24 Review

3. Describe the significance of Achebe choosing to have Okonkwo walk away after having killed the messenger. Use evidence from the text to support your answer.

Chapter 25 Review

1. The main purpose of these lines (“be sure to leave the strong impression that without your intervention and your important book, Africa is doomed.”) is to:
 - a. convey the author’s contempt for most Western writers’ tones when writing about Africa.
 - b. introduce the author’s most important piece of advice for Western writers.
 - c. describe literally what the author believes Western writers should do when writing about Africa.
 - d. reinforce the author’s critique of African culture and African society.

Chapter 25 Review

2. It can be reasonably inferred that Achebe writes the final paragraph from the District Commissioner's point of view in order to:
 - a. criticize Okonkwo's impulsive decision and reveal the impact of his selfish act.
 - b. highlight the Commissioner's arrogance and ignorance.
 - c. reveal that the Commissioner is a complex character with conflicting viewpoints.
 - d. develop the novel's central theme of the individual and community.

Chapter 25 Review

1. In chapter 3 Achebe reveals Okonkwo's fears of dying a shameful death like his father. Describe the irony of Okonkwo's drive to separate himself from his father. Use evidence from the text to support your answer.

6 Paragraph Essay Rubric

65 Points Total:

- ❖ 10 points per paragraph over all
- ❖ 3 points per paragraph just being on the page
- ❖ 2 points per paragraph in MLA format
- ❖ 5 points per paragraph for following Guidelines
- ❖ 5 points for Name, Teacher, Period, & Date.

NO POINTS PER PARAGRAPH IF THEME IS NOT ADDRESSED!

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6 Paragraph Essay Guidelines

Paragraphs should be in order of:

1. Introduction Paragraph:
2. Body Paragraph #1:
3. Body Paragraph #2:
4. Body Paragraph #3:
5. Counter Argument Paragraph:
6. Conclusion Paragraph:

Step 2) Disprove counter claim with rebuttal

A rebuttal is basically your way of saying "No, you are wrong, and here's why."

The rebuttal is another supporting reason why your point of view is correct. You must use a quote, paraphrase, or summary with a citation and/or source tag.

Example with paraphrase and citation:

However, other tests may be available, such as hair testing (Questions). This is not an invasion of a student's personal privacy.

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