

# The Odyssey: Narrative Writing

## Assignment:

Write a response to Prompt A, B, or C. Each prompt requires a personal reflection based on a theme from *The Odyssey*.

- Include a detailed description of the scene and most important moment of this experience. Include sensory details (what you see, hear, smell, feel, taste). Put the reader in the moment of this experience with you.
- Include a reflection on the experience: what you learned and/or why it is an important moment for you.

## Prompts:

- A. Telemakhos needs to learn to be a leader and eventually stands up to the suitors. Describe a time when you learned to be a leader and/or to stand up for yourself.
- B. Odysseus needs to learn to control his temper and impulses. Describe a time when you learned to control your impulses and anger.
- C. Odysseus and Telemakhos want to kill the suitors because they believe this revenge will bring justice to their family. This was a cause in which they believed. Describe a time when you fought for what you believed was right.

## Requirements/Rubric:

- ✓ 2-3 pages, typed, double-spaced.
- ✓ MLA format
  - ✓ Heading, Header, Creative Title, Spacing, Tabs, Margins, Font/Size
- ✓ Purposeful use of first person and contractions allowed
- ✓ PRINTED ROUGH DRAFT with hand-written corrections
- ✓ Printed Final Draft

CATEGORY	COMMENT/SCORE
DETAILS	
IDEA DEVELOPMENT	
ORGANIZATION	
WRITING STYLE/WORD CHOICE	
REQUIREMENTS	