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### ESSAY REVIEW

Directions: Fill out this form completely, neatly, and in blue or black ink. ASK MS.DUNKLEY NICELY TO MAKE A COPY OF YOUR ESSAY AND ATTACH IT. Define the following words that might be important in understanding essays:

1. anecdote - a short, entertaining account of some happening
2. caption - a descriptive explanation under an illustration
3. excerpt - to select, take out, or quote part of a literary work
4. memoir - an autobiographical or biographical writing often in story form
5. colloquial- having to do with conversation

Cite your source correctly. If you got your article from a magazine, do this exactly:

Author last name, First name. "Title of essay." *Title of magazine*. day month year: page numbers. **Print**

(If you are handwriting a magazine title, underline it instead of italics.)

Quindlen, Anna. "Homeless." Glencoe Essays. 9 Aug. 2010:  
453-455. Print.

On the back of this sheet, complete ONE of the following in a short paragraph. Indent your paragraph. Use correct punctuation, capitalization, and spelling. Your paragraph should include a topic sentence, primary and secondary support, and a concluding sentence.

- A. Summarize an anecdote from the essay.
- B. Explain the importance of any captions used in the essay.
- C. Choose an excerpt from the essay that shows the author's purpose and summarize it in your own words.
- D. Summarize a memoir from the essay. (The whole essay might be a memoir.)