



# Paper + ELA Regents Preparation

## ELA, Grades 9 - 12

### Assignment Objectives

- Students will work with Paper tutors to practice developing central ideas for writing prompts to prepare for Regents Exams.

### Teacher Instructions

- Teachers will provide students with a writing prompt from prior Regents Exams.
- Teachers can copy and paste the prompt into the activity below, or students can write down.
- Students will work with a Paper Live Help tutor to develop the central idea of the prompt.
- Teachers can make a copy of this document for students to type their response, or it can be printed out to be written on.

### Ideas for Use

- Test Preparation
- Students complete a question a day as part of a station menu board.
- Substitute Lesson Plans - Just give practice prompts to work on!
- Easily differentiate questions for students to receive individualized feedback.
- So Many More - Share how you use it in your classroom with us! #HowWePaper

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**ELA Writing Regents Exam with Paper Live Help**

**Student Instructions**

You will work with a Paper Tutor on Live Help to prepare for the Regents Exam.

- 1. Write the prompt given by your teacher in your first box.
- 2. Log on to Paper and start a Live Help session with an English Tutor.
- 3. Start a conversation by sharing the assigned prompt, and let your tutor know you are working to identify a central idea first. Be sure to share any supportive reading materials that support the question with the tutor.
- 4. Write about the central idea in the first box.
- 5. Write helpful feedback from your Paper Tutor in the last box and reflect on your understanding!

**Prompt**

**Identify the Central Idea**  
What is the central idea of this piece or prompt?

**Feedback from your Tutor**  
Reflect on the feedback and support your tutor provided during this session.