English II Honors

1st Semester Final Review Topics

- I. Review the authors, characters and plot of all books read: *Othello, Much Ado About Nothing, Jane Eyre, Tale of Two Cities* as well as the key poetry read in class ("The Tyger," "My Heart Leaps Up," "Rime of the Ancient Mariner," "Kubla Khan," "She Walks in Beauty," "Ozymandias," "Ode on a Grecian Urn," "I wandered lonely as a cloud,") and the excerpts from Milton, Pope, and Swift.
- II. Lectures: Know the basic dates, the key authors, the literary innovations and the history of each literary period from the Renaissance to the Neoclassic to the Romantic to the Victorian.
- III. Poetry terminology: Know your meter (iambic, trochaic, anapestic, dactylic, pyrrhic, spondaic) as well as the definitions from the poetry terminology sheet
- IV. Poetry analysis writing: Be prepared to do a poetry analysis on the day of the final