English First Peoples 11 Sept. 3 Notes

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	Sept 3 First day of school Study guide for the quick quiz on Friday	**Sept 4** *Haida Gwaii* Go over homework and quiz for next week	**Sept 5** *The Laundry Basket*	**Sept 6** Quick Quiz *One Good Man*
Sept 9 Homework (1-4) *The Truth About Stories: A Native Narrative* ᐊᑕᐢᓕᐊᑦ *(Atanarjuat)*	**Sept 10** Quiz 1 ᐊᑕᐢᓕᐊᑦ *(Atanarjuat)*	**Sept 11** *Potlatch as Pedagogy: Learning Through Ceremony*		**Sept 13** *The Truth About Stories: A Native Narrative; Conversations with Canadians; Narrative Construction of Reality; The Sasquatch at Home; Potlatch as Pedagogy: Learning Through Ceremony*

1. Welcome to class.
2. We will go over the course outline later this week.
3. We will assign seats (your choice, in optional groups of 1-3, in random order of which group chooses first) on Sept. 4, 2024.
4. We will go over the classroom rules in more detail later this week. Here are the headlines:
    a. Do not knock, just enter the room and come in quietly. If you are late at start of class, add your name to the right jar.
    b. Please check out only one at a time using the board by the door – not in the first and last ten minutes and not right before or after a break or start/end of class.
    c. There is usually one 5-minute break every class (short days) and 2 5-minute breaks every long day. If you are late, you miss the break. If you have missing work, you may be asked to miss break or to attend homework help before school or on Wednesdays after school. Please don't ask about leaving for short periods – just go. If you must leave for a long time, please tell me that you are leaving, so I don't worry. If you leave the school, be sure to check out at the office.
    d. No devices. The one exception: You may listen to music during designated work blocks – these are long blocks for working on projects and major assignments. This never includes test days. Change your music by the corkboard. If I see your device anywhere else, I ask you to put it in the red box until the end of the period or start of the next break. You may want to bring earplugs for other work times.
    e. Ask for help. The point is to help you learn. Ask for help and I will do what I can to support you.
5. There will be a "quick quiz" on Friday. The study guide is at the website tomkertes.ca. Copy today's notes from the board to prepare for the quiz. The quiz material is required for the Final Exam, so it's best to memorize the key terms and models ASAP.