## EWRT 1A-25 Tentative Schedule of Assignments

Assignments are **due when listed** (not started then). Detailed writing assignments will be given out in class. See syllabus for additional information on policies and grading.

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|  | **Mon.** | **Wed.** |
| Week  1 | 4/6  Introductions, course overview, buy books | 4/8 **Topic 1: Knowledge vs. Pleasure**  Read: *Authentic Happiness*, ch 1 (3-16); Thurber, “The Secret Life of Walter Mitty” (14-20) |
| Week 2 | 4/13  Read: *Authentic Happiness*, ch 4-5 (45-83); Plato, “Allegory of the Cave” (5-13)  **Friday last day to add a class** | 4/15 QUIZ 1  Read: Rich “Diving into the Wreck” (21-23); Diaz, “How to Date a Browngirl, a Blackgirl, a Whitegirl or a Halfie” (24-25) |
| Week 3 | 4/20  Read: “Paul’s Case” (26-34) | 4/22  **Write: Essay 1 Rough Draft** |
| Week 4 | 4/28 Film: Happy  **Journals Collected (6 entries)**  **Write: Essay 1 Final Draft Due to Turn-it-in by 10pm** | 4/30 QUIZ 2 **Topic 2: Challenge vs. Security**  Read: *Authentic Happiness*, ch 6-7 (102-164); Daniels “The Authentic Trail” (35-36) |
| Week 5 | 5/4  Read: Puchner, “Beautiful Monsters” (37-45) | 5/6 QUIZ 3  Read: *Authentic Happiness*, ch 8-9 (125-161) |
| Week 6 | 5/11 **Journals Collected (4 entries)**  **Write: Essay 2 In class**  **Evaluation Dialogue for Essay 1** | 5/13 **Topic 3: Work and Justice**  Read: Kidder, “The Good Doctor,” (46-51) |
| Week 7 | 5/18  Read: McCoy, “The Parable of the Sadhu” (57-60) | 5/20 QUIZ 4  Read: *Authentic Happiness*, ch 10 (165-184) |
| Week 8 | 5/25 Holiday—no class | 5/27  Read: Levine, “Take This Job and Love It” (52-53); Ehrenreich, “Selection from *Nickel and Dimed*” (54-56) |
| Week 9 | 6/1  **Journals Collected (5 entries)**  **Write: Essay 3 Rough Draft**  **Evaluation Dialogue for Essay 2 due in class** | 6/3 **Topic 4: Love and Connection**  **Write: Essay 3 Final Draft Due to Turn-it-in by 10pm**  Read: Alexie, “Do You Know Where I Am?” (61-70) |
| Week 10 | 6/8 QUIZ 5  Read: Nye, “Kindness” (66-67), *Never Let Me Go* (1-48) | 6/10  Read: *Authentic Happiness*, ch 11, 13 (185-208, 247-250); *Never Let Me Go* (49-155) |
| Week 11 | 6/15 QUIZ 6  Read: *Never Let Me Go (150-196)* | 6/17 Individual Conferences  *Never Let Me Go (197 to end)* |
| Week 12 | 6/22 **Write: Essay 4 Rough Draft**  **Journals Collected (5 entries)** | **Essay 4 Due to Turn-it-in by 2PM 6/24 at 10PM.** |
| **Final Exam project due Friday, June 26 at 1:45 p.m.-3:45 pm in my office. Optional revision due with graded original to my office by 1:45 pm 6/26. No course work accepted after 6/26.** | | |