

## The Hero's Journey - Powerpoint or Prezi

In pairs or on your own, create a powerpoint presentation that shows the Hero's Journey in a well-known movie or book.

## Part I: Outline of Hero's Journey

Choose a famous story, book, or movie that tells the tale of a hero, and chart their journey through the stages of "The Hero's Journey." (Harry Potter, The Lord of the Rings, The Hobbit, Hunger Games, Frozen, Ironman, Despicable Me, Wizard of Oz, Star Wars, Ender's Game)

## Part II: Create a Powerpoint of Prezi to display your Hero's Journey Analysis

Your product should have the following:

- 1. An introductory Slide:
  - -FIRST names and period
  - -Title of movie or book to be examined
  - -Graphic
- 2. A gist slide that briefly gives a statement of the plot: 3-5 sentences.
  - -Graphic
- 3. A slide for each of the hero's journey stages.
  - -The Ordinary World
  - -Call to Adventure
  - -Entering the Unknown
  - -Supernatural Aid/Mentor
  - -Allies/Helpers
  - -Road of Trials
  - -Supreme Ordeal
  - -Magic Flight/Pursuit
  - -Atonement or Recognition of the Father
  - -Master of the Two Worlds
  - -Each slide must include graphics and a brief description of how the hero is demonstrating the stage.

You may also include transitions and effects throughout.

- \*Use your handout of "The Hero's Journey" for reference.
- \*Remember to use fonts and colors that are easy to read
- \*Don't overload the slide with too much text
- \*Use correct spelling and grammar
- \*Have fun!

Due: 10/23 or 10/24 in google shared folder with Ms. Davis. These presentations will be displayed on the class website for parents to view.

## Charting the Hero's Journey

"A hero is someone who has given his or her life to something bigger than oneself" -- Joseph Campbell

In his book, <u>The Hero with a Thousand Faces</u>, Joseph Campbell indentifies the various stages heroes must go through on their quest. Your quest is to complete this chart and make a Powerpoint presentation demonstrating the Hero's Journey in famous movie or book or story.

Text/Movie:			

The Hero's Journey Chart	Evidence from Movie or Book
<b>The Ordinary World:</b> Where do we initially find our protagonist?	
Call to Adventure: How does the character receive the call to adventure?	
Entering the Unknown: At what point in the story does the hero leave the familiar world and move into a new, unfamiliar circumstance?	
<b>Supernatural Aid/Mentor:</b> Is there a specific character who helps the hero understand the life situation or provides the hero with special training?	
<b>Allies/Helpers:</b> Who is with the hero on his journey? How do these companions help the hero face the challenges?	
<b>Road of Trials</b> : What specific challenges does the hero face?	
Supreme Ordeal (Belly of the Whale): Is there some point in the story where the hero must face his deepest fear or the darkest evil in the story?	
Magic Flight / Pursuit: Is there some point (generally at the end) where the hero is being chased or trying to escape something?	

Atonement or Recognition by the Father: Is the hero reunited with his father in some way?

Master of Two Worlds: Does it appear that the hero has conquered life in both the familiar and unfamiliar worlds?

The Ordinary World 2.0
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