Humanities 1  
Edwards—Winter 2015  

Paper 2  

Essays are due at the end of lecture on **Friday, February 13th**. The essay should be a minimum of 4 full pages in length (and no more than 6) in the Humanities format (see Mechanics and Quotation Handouts).* In writing your essay, pay particular attention to the Thesis Statement and Effective Conclusions handouts and to those sections of the Grammar Handbook that have already been discussed.  

Respond to one of the following prompts:  

1. **David’s behavior as king resembles more that of Priam than Agamemnon. Do you agree? Argue for or against this proposition.**  

2. **Although Homer’s heroes are animated by a strong sense of morality, the gods have little to do with morality as Achilles’ speech at 24.612-22 suggests. Do you agree? Argue for or against this proposition.**  

Submit a paper copy of your essay to your TA in a plain manila folder with your name on it. Include the Writing Exercise and Paper 1 in your folder.  

**Before** submitting the paper copy at lecture, you must submit an electronic copy to www.turnitin.com for textual similarity review. The essay is not considered submitted until both the paper and electronic copies are received. Information will be distributed and discussed in section by your TA.  

Late essays will be penalized 1/3 of a grade **per day late.**  

*All handouts are available online ([http://revelle.ucsd.edu/humanities/writing-info/index.html](http://revelle.ucsd.edu/humanities/writing-info/index.html)).