

Humanities 1
Professor Edwards
Winter 2014

Writing Assignment 4

Essays are due at the end of lecture on Monday, March 10th. It should be 4-5 pages (a minimum of 4 *full* pages) in the Humanities format (see Mechanics and Quotation Handouts).*

Respond to one of the following prompts:

1. Agree or disagree with the following claim: Sophocles' characterization of Odysseus in *Philoctetes* owes more to Homer's portrait of Odysseus than to the critical outlook of Archilochus and Xenophanes.
2. Agree or disagree with the following claim: By the end of the play, all of the issues that Ion raises in his speech on divine behavior (411-33) have been resolved.
3. To what extent is Plato in *Meno* indebted to Pindar's concept of memory?

Submit a paper copy of your essay to your TA in a plain manila folder with your name on it. Include your previous writing assignments in your folder.

Before submitting a paper copy at lecture, you must submit an electronic copy to www.turnitin.com for textual similarity review.

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/writing-info.html>) or in the Humanities office (Galbraith 180).