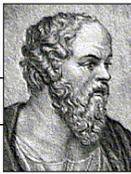


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## Socratic Seminar Participant Form Preparation

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### Focus Questions and Annotations

Write 3 level two or three questions about the text(s) to be discussed today. You may wish to make connections with earlier readings, suggest a possible interpretation, or clarify your understanding of theme, character, or devices. Staple your annotated text(s) to this sheet.

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### Possible Responses to Your Questions

Write a brief reply to the questions you recorded above.

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### Quick Write

Before the seminar, the moderator will pose a question. Write your response in the space below.

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## Socratic Seminar Observation Form

Name of student you are observing: \_\_\_\_\_

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✓ Refers to text and/or notes

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✓ Asks a question

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✓ Answers a question

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✓ Interrupts

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✓ Engages in side conversation

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1. Describe his or her tone and body language.

2. What did he or she do well?

3. What advice can you give for the next seminar?

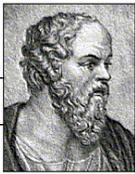
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### Last Word:

What do you wish you had been able to say or ask during today's seminar?



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## Socratic Seminar Preparation Guide

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| Key Passages and Page Numbers   |  |
| Astute observations and insights                                      |  |
| Characters, settings, and plot points that you would like to discuss  |  |
| Symbols, themes, and literary elements that you would like to discuss |  |
| Connections to other texts or allusions that provide insight          |  |

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seminar!

### **Final Thoughts**

After the seminar, write a **page** in which you clarify your interpretation of the text(s). You may wish to answer one of the questions posed in discussion or synthesize ideas into a coherent paragraph with a clear thesis and textual evidence. Attach paper as needed.