

12<sup>th</sup> Grade ELA  
**Key Concept Synthesis**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Period: \_\_\_\_\_

Directions: Use the following graphic organizer to identify the most important concepts from each reading. If you had to summarize the article to someone who had not read the text, what are the **key concepts** you would want them to understand? Use a highlighter and take marginal notes to identify the most important concepts as you read and then complete the chart below after each reading.

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