**To my A+ students**

I am sure you have been studying since morning. Now you need to stop! Let the information sink in because I am sure you already know this.

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|  | **Theme** | **Style** |
| **Oedipus the King** | 1. Man Cannot escape destiny 2. Knowledge vs. ignorance 3. Seeing vs. blindness | **Ancient Greek Tragedy**  The purpose of Tragedy?  Unity of Time & Place  Dramatic Irony  Foreshadow  Figure of a hero  The Chorus |
| **The Odd Couple** | 1. The importance of compromise in a relationship (marriage) 2. Extremes lead to failure | **Modern Comedy of** Manners/Social  The purpose of comedy?  The ending of the play (an open end)  The card game |
| **Washington Square** | Betrayal | 19th influence on the characters and events |

**What you need to know about Characters:**

**(Round-Flat-Foil)**

Oedipus

Oscar and Felix

Catherine, Dr. Sloper, Morris Townsind, Lavinia, Elizabeth