**Emery 10 – Days 6-12 - *Metamorphosis* Reading guide and comma worksheet**

*Read Chapter 2& 3 (we were about half-way through 2) and complete the following questions. You may print the questions and answer them, answer on this sheet and submit electronically, or just write your answers on a sheet of paper to turn into me. However you record your answers, PLEASE make sure your* ***name*** *is on the paper and that it is* ***easy for me to read and figure out what answer goes to what question.***

**Assignment 1 – Chapter 2 questions**

1.How does Gregor take to the offering of his favorite food? (22) What kinds of food does

he later discover he likes?

2. What makes Gregor feel pride in himself?

3. What does Gregor think of the impact of his transformation on his family?

4. How does Grete react to seeing Gregor? What are some things she does to create a more

positive impression?

5. What positive discovery does Gregor make as a result of his transformation?

6. What can be inferred by Grete saying, “He’s left everything again”?

7. What is the family’s previous and current financial situation? What did Gregor do

(before his transformation) to rectify these problems?

8. What’s Gregor’s secret plan for Grete?

9. In reflecting on his family, how does Gregor characterize his father and mother?

10. How does Grete show her discomfort with her job as caretaker? What does Gregor

do to ease this discomfort?

11. How do his parents treat him during the first two weeks of his transformation?

12. What objection does his mother bring up for removing the furniture? Gregor agrees

with her that it shouldn’t be moved, but for a different reason. What’s his reason?

13. Why does his sister’s will prevail? What did the family think of Grete before her

adopted role as caretaker for Gregor?

14. How does Gregor’s father strike him as different?

15. Why doesn’t Gregor escape his father by crawling over things?

**Assignment 2 -Chapter 3 Questions**

1. What two good things come out of Gregor’s injury?

2. As keeping the overly large apartment is prohibitive for the family, what really prevents

them from moving?

3. When reflecting on his few previous female acquaintances, what do their professions

and circumstances of meeting Gregor tell us about his character?

4. What kind of emotional change has come over Gregor, now that he’s injured, and months

into his transformation?

5. How has the treatment of the family towards him deteriorated?

6. How is the new cleaning woman’s treatment of Gregor superior to that not only of previous

employees, but even the family?

7. Describe the new addition to the family. How do they impact Gregor?

8. What effect does Grete’s playing have on the rooms various listeners?

9. How are the roomers comic characters?

10. What’s the irony of Grete’s suggestion of what to do with Gregor?

11. Evaluate the fairness of Grete’s notion of why Gregor cannot understand speech.

12. How does the narration change, at the end of the novel?

13. How does the family react on news of Gregor’s death?

14. What’s the mood of and significance (major point to) the ending?

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**Assignment 3 - Creative Assignment:**

*For this assignment I would like you to make a drawing of Gregor (as a bug) and then write 5 sentence description of him at the bottom. You may turn the actual paper into me OR you may take a picture and send it to me via livegrades or email.*

You will be graded according to the following:

Your picture is accurate to the description in the novel 10 points

You have included an accurate 5 sentence description 20 points

Total = \_\_\_\_\_/30 points

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Add commas where needed.

Please make sure that you use a **BOLDED** comma if you are doing this electronically.

1. My three favorite classes are English History and Biology.
2. Matt Katie and Joe need to report to the office.
3. At practice we will be working on drills formations and blocking.
4. We can read the book together or we can get into small groups.
5. I do not want to go to the game nor do I want to go shopping.
6. The paper needs some work but it is due today at noon.
7. Because you came in early you can edit and print the paper.
8. After we read the book we will be doing a group project.
9. When you get home you need to send me an email.
10. Tomorrow Valentine's Day is the best day of the whole year!
11. You however will not be able to celebrate.
12. Your job a cashier at Peebles is more important than a silly party.
13. My mother said “you may not stay out past eleven.”
14. “Why does the sky look blue” the little boy asked his teacher.
15. I’m sorry we do not stay open late on Sundays.
16. Unfortunately my favorite ice cream was sold out.
17. Elkins West Virginia is my new home.
18. I use to live near Coopers Rock in Morgantown West Virginia.
19. Mail the letter to 122 South Street Brownsville Virginia 12485.
20. Today is Tuesday December 10th 2019.

**Week two grades:**

**Chapter two reading and questions 15 points**

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**Creative assignment 30 points**

**Comma work 20 points**