

Provincial Exam Tips & Tricks

- Take 2-3 practice exams and discover your grade range
- Look over the [online student samples on our class site](#)
- Review and check over each of your multiple choice answers to understand WHY you got it wrong and to learn from your mistakes
- Are you using TAG TIQs CE? (Title, Attention-Getter, Thesis with Integrated Quotes for support, Conclusion with Epiphany)
- Use quotes from throughout the piece of literature

Night Of

- Do nothing – more so do something to take your mind off things (movie, hang out with friends, pet your cat, etc)
- Go to bed by 10 PM at the latest

Morning Of

- Up in time to have a shower and eat a good breakfast
- Don't drink too much coffee/tea/water/Slurpee/etc.
- Don't forget your ID and a pencil/pen/post-it notes/earbuds
- At school by 8:30 AM

Just Before

- Go to the bathroom
- Turn off your phone and leave in locker or bag (or give to teacher)
- Check which lab you are in
- Register and sit at the computer that has the biggest/widest monitor

During

- Write the exam
- Read aloud your answers
- Take a nap
- Read your answers again
- Do not leave until you are sure you could live with a low mark
- Read your answers again
- Do not leave until at least 2 Hours (and a half)

Afterwards

- You are allowed to rewrite the exam one more time.