

ENGL 100 Live Chat 2



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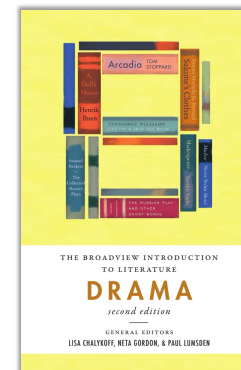
	Writing Seminars	Assignment Debriefs	Live Chats
Weeks 1-3	Writing Seminar 1 (Thesis Statements)		Live Chat 1 (Short Fiction)
Weeks 4-6	Writing Seminar 2 (Essay Structure)	Assignment 1 Debrief (Thesis Statements)	Live Chat 2 (Drama)
Weeks 7-9	Writing Seminar 3 (Grammar and Style)	Assignment 2 Debrief (Essay Structure)	Live Chat 3 (Literary Non-Fiction)
Weeks 10-12	Writing Seminar 4 (MLA and Plagiarism)	Assignment 3 Debrief (Grammar and Style)	Live Chat 4 (Poetry)

Hannah Moscovitch (1978-)

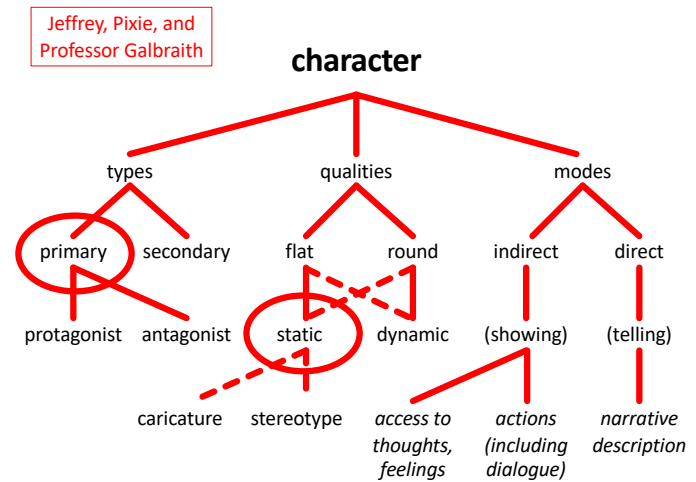
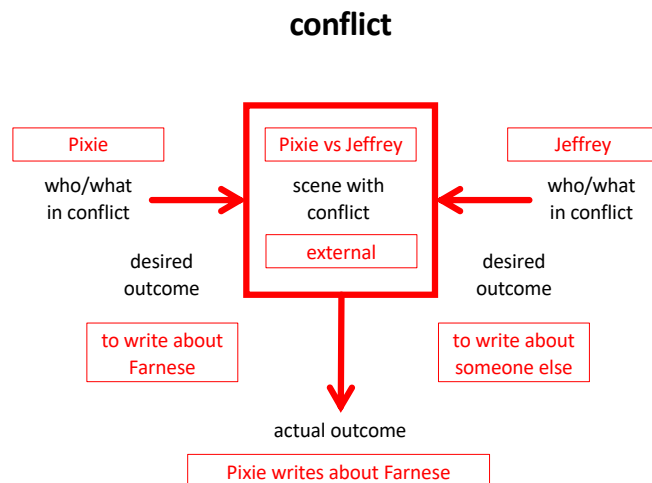
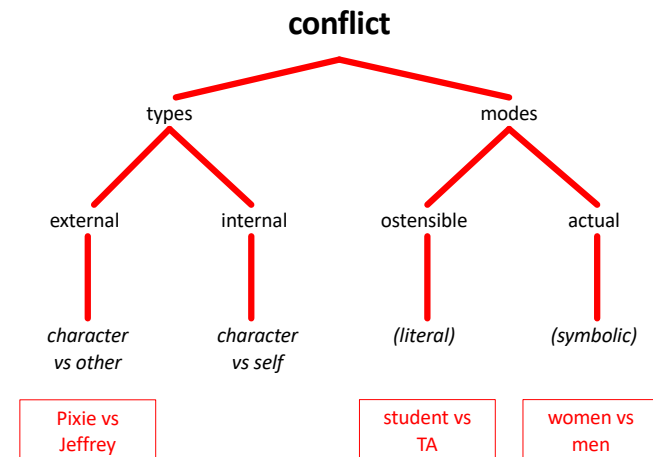
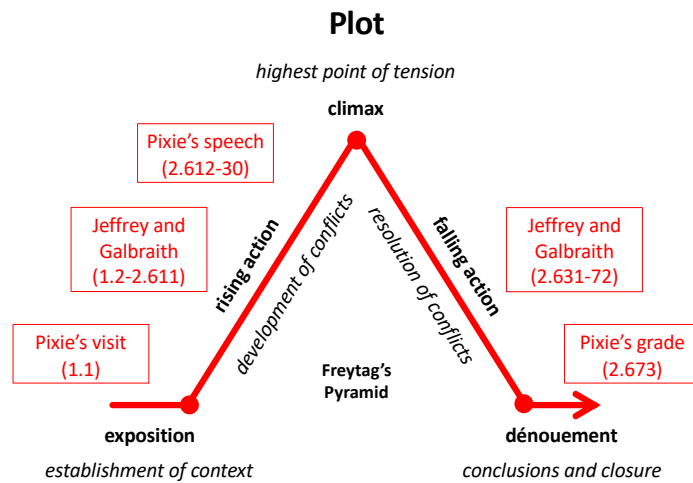


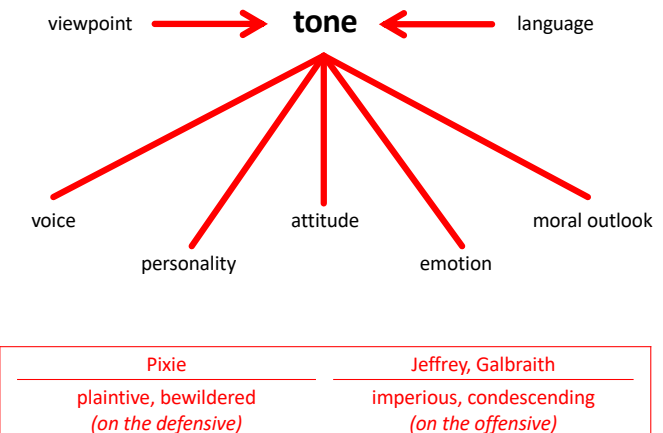
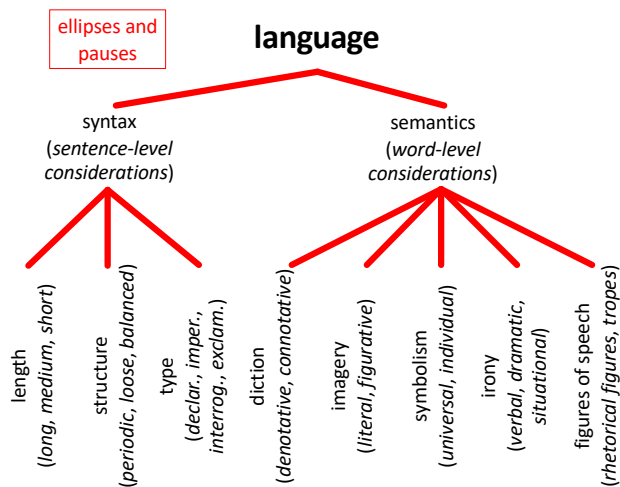
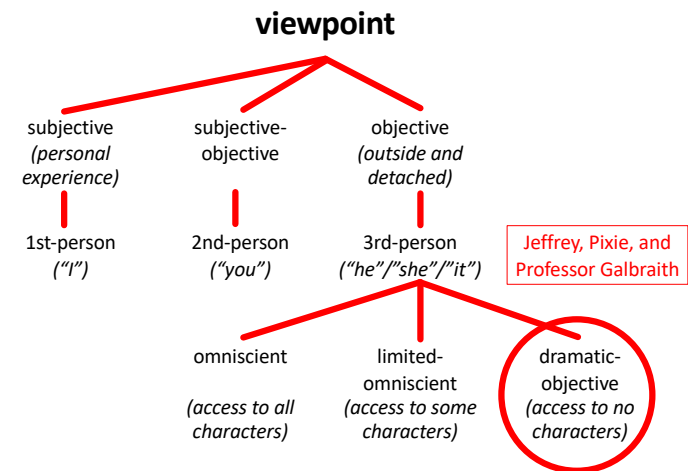
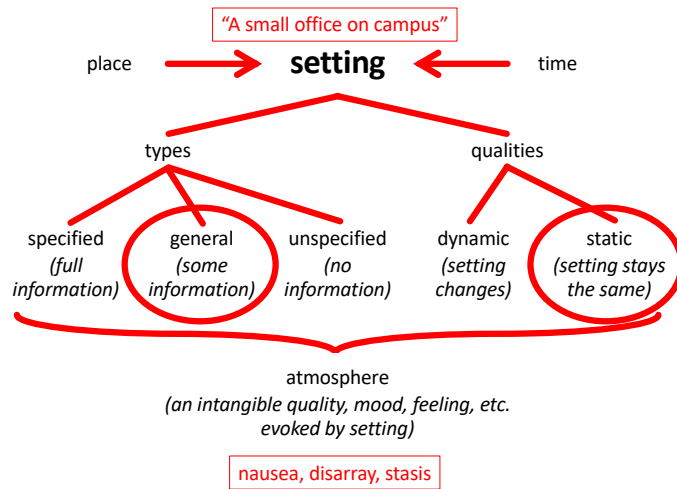
- born in Ottawa to a family of progressive academics
- studied acting at the National Theatre School in Montreal, and then literature at U of T
- gained widespread acclaim at Toronto's SummerWorks festival with her debut plays, including *Essay* (2005), which won an award for best new play
- her work is characterized by a blend of satire and dark humour, and often deals with challenging or controversial topics (436)

The Elements of Drama



plot	organized narrative
conflict	tensions/oppositions
character	people/entities
setting	when and/or where
viewpoint	who the narrator is
language	rhetorical devices
tone	attitude of narrator
mode ^{NEW!}	dramatic subgenre
theme	abstract concept





mode

play	mode(s)
📖 Shakespeare, <i>Twelfth Night</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> problem play tragicomedy
📖 Wilde, <i>The Importance of Being Earnest</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> comedy of manners farce
📖 St Bernard, <i>Salome's Clothes</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> political allegory
📖 Moscovitch, <i>Essay</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Juvenalian satire

- a categorization of a play by its subgenre
- often revealed in aspects of the play's performance about which audiences have conventional expectations (words, music, costumes, lighting, mise en scène, etc.)
- playwrights sometimes invert these expectations to explore different modes and the grey areas between them (*D* 8-10)

Syllabus Appendix A2

Writing Assignment 2

Step 1

Participate in Writing Seminars 1-2.

Step 2

Compose and refine a draft thesis statement that responds to the topic in Appendix A2 of the Course Syllabus.

Step 3

Compose an analytical paragraph based on your thesis statement that adheres to the structure outlined in Writing Seminar 2.

Step 4

Submit the following two elements in one (and only one) document on onQ:

1. Thesis Statement (1 sentence)
2. Analytical Paragraph (300 words)

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