**Anglo-Saxon Poetry Project**

Due Wednesday April 2, 2014 (25 points)

**Theme: Exile and Fate**

**Standards: RL.11-12.4**

**Terms to remember:**

**Fate**: The development of events outside a person’s control

**Exile**: the state of being banished from one native’s country

**Objective**: Using examples from both poems think of connections in how each example of exile relates to modern day exile and Interpret 2 quotes or lines from each poem used to support the overarching theme of exile.

**Instructions:**

1. On a blank sheet of paper you are to draw a thematic box (example below)

**A**

B C D

**Exile & Fate**

1. Title your paper Exile and Fate (this can be in the center of the sheet or at the top).
2. In each of the columns (B = The Seafarer, C = The Wanderer, and D = The Wife’s Lament) think of a symbol (drawn or pasted in color) that can be used to represent each poem. Write a short summary (2-3 sentences) explaining why this symbol represents this poem.

(example: for “The Seafarer” you may choose to use the bible as a symbol since The Seafarer is more concerned about eternal life rather than living an earthly life. )

1. Choose **2 quotes** from each of the poems that exemplify **what kind of exile the characters are experiencing and how they are coping with both**. Interpret or paraphrase these quotes in your own words (complete sentences).

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1. On the top (C) write 3-4 sentences stating how exile is still felt today and how people cope with modern day forms of exile. Is this form of exile mostly related to self exile or forced exile? Explain.

Symbols of Exile Project Rubric

(30 points)

Symbols (artwork, idea, color) /6

Quotes (supportive of symbol?) /6

Paraphrase (relation to Exile Theme) /6

Relation to Modern Exile /6

Overall Creativity & Appeal /6

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TOTAL /30

5 – Excellent

4 – Good

3 – Average

2 – Ok

1 – Needs

Improvement