

Maymester—British Literature I—18th Century Group-led Discussion Guidelines

All Groups Must:

- ☞ Meet with me in conference early next week.
- ☞ Prepare a short lecture/presentation (10-15 minutes) on their assigned author.
- ☞ Connect assigned authors to our previous class discussions by means of:
 - Literature
 - Works Studied
 - Ideas About What Literature “Should Be”
 - Literary Influences
 - Historical Context
 - Kings and Political Matters
 - History of the English Language
 - *NAEL*’s Arbitrary Time Periods
- ☞ Assign a responsible and manageable amount of reading for the class. Feel free to use what’s already assigned, if that floats your boats.
- ☞ Lead discussion by means of the following (free choice here):
 - Questions
 - Activities
 - Close Reading
- ☞ Divide work evenly amongst group members.
- ☞ Let me know if someone doesn’t pull his or her own weight.