

## The Scarlet Letter Journal Assignment

While reading the book *The Scarlet Letter* by Nathaniel Hawthorne you are to write journals from the perspective of one of the three major characters of the story: Hester Prynne, Roger Chillingworth, or Arthur Dimmesdale.

Your assignment is to write 5 journal entries from the perspective of **one** of these characters. What is their daily life like? For example, you can talk about how Hester's status as an adulterer affects her day to day life, or what it is like for Arthur to watch the woman he loves and his daughter be victims of mockery, or Chillingworth's lust for revenge against Hester and Arthur. Whatever you want to write about is up to you; your job is to become immersed in the role of the character. Write about at least five specific events from the text.

Your assignment must consist of five journal entries, and each must be at least one page in length