

Week 1 Weekly Sheet
Calvin and Hobbes Tutorial – Fall 2016
August 28 – September 3

Sunday, Aug. 28th

Due by 9 PM: Assigned “reading reactors” post on fb group page. Ayyad, Nick, Karin, Olek

Prompt: How would you briefly describe Calvin and Hobbes to someone who has never read it before? What are the most important features to describe it? Consider not only the surface features but also the underlying thematic ones. Aim to be brief, try to keep it to a single paragraph, maybe 5 or 6 sentences.

Tuesday, Aug. 30th

Prepare: Read the reading reactions on fb. Comment on them if you have something to say.

Read: 1. C&H strips from March 21, 1993 to August 1, 1993

- Paperback: p. 47 – 105 in book IV
- Hardcover: ????? (I’m working on it)
- There’s no specific sheet to fill out like last time, but work on suspending judgement and noticing as you read. Keep track of the things that you find interesting/strange/revealing. You can annotate the book or keep a separate sheet.

2. [“How to email your professor” blog post](#)

Thursday, Sept. 1st

Read: 1. C&H strips from November 18, 1985 to March 29, 1986

- This is the first few months the strip was published
- Paperback: p. 22 – 77 in book I
- Hardcover: ??????

2. “Romantic continuations, postmodern contestations, or, ‘It’s a magical world Hobbes ol’ buddy’...crash!” by James Holt McGavran. [available in our course e-reserves]

- You only need to read pages 1-12, the chapter is a little longer than that.
- I will give you some guidance about reading this article in class on Tuesday.

3. “Part I: Understanding Academic Integrity” from the Grinnell College Academic Honesty booklet, p. 1-16.

- I will provide a physical copy of the booklet in class on Tuesday. If you’d like to start on it before that there is a pdf available [here](#).