



Essay 1:
Oulipo & A Void

2-3 pages
1.5 line spacing
see program syllabus
for more guidelines

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Due **Friday**, week
3, by 4:00 pm
in your seminar
faculty's mailbox.

If you cannot get to
campus on fridays,
talk with your
seminar leader about
an alternate plan

You are writing a short essay.
You won't have room to summarize and create lengthy introductions. You've got to get sharply to the point and give clear, textual support for your ideas.
Consider your audience to be a group of people doing academic work who have read and thought about these same texts.

TOPIC
Create your own thesis statement about the texts (Reader materials & *A Void*) to guide your essay. Your thesis should *make a specific claim about* the readings, not simply recapitulate them.

*Place your full thesis statement
as the title of your essay.*