

# An Alternate POV

Advanced Eng. A | AY 24 -25

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## Creative Writing Assignment: A Villain's Perspective

**Objective:** Write a 1-2 page creative story from the perspective of a villain. This can be a story, a diary entry, a letter, or even a monologue. Your goal is to explore the villain's thoughts, emotions, and motivations. Think about their moral alignment—are they truly evil, or do they believe they're doing the right thing? What internal and external characteristics make them who they are?

### Instructions:

1. **Choose a Villain** – Pick a well-known villain from a book, movie, fable, or folklore. You may also create your own villain!
2. **Develop Their Perspective** – How do they see the world? Do they believe they are the hero of their own story? What events led them to become a villain?
3. **Write Creatively** – Use descriptive language and strong emotions to bring the character to life. Show their thoughts, actions, and feelings.
4. **Structure Your Writing** – Your piece should have a beginning, middle, and end. It should be at least one page long.

### Example Villains:

- The Big Bad Wolf (Three Little Pigs or Little Red Riding Hood)
- Captain Hook (Peter Pan)
- The Wicked Witch of the West (The Wizard of Oz)
- Scar (The Lion King)
- Maleficent (Sleeping Beauty)
- The Queen of Hearts (Alice in Wonderland)
- Lord Farquaad (Shrek)
- Ursula (The Little Mermaid)
- The Grinch (How the Grinch Stole Christmas)
- Hades (Hercules)
- Any other villain from a book, movie, or your imagination!

### Questions to Consider While Writing:

- What does the villain want, and why?
- Do they regret their actions, or are they proud of them?
- What are their strengths and weaknesses?
- Do they have any redeeming qualities?
- How do they interact with heroes or other characters?
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**Example Story Starter:** "They call me the Big Bad Wolf, but have they ever stopped to hear my side of the story? Those three little pigs weren't so innocent. They built their houses in my woods without even asking! I was just trying to have a nice meal when everything went wrong..."

**Be creative, have fun, and bring your villain to life in a whole new way!**

**Questions?  
Concerns?**

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**Homework:**

**Draft due:  
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