

Assignments

Week 9, beginning 3/13/2006:

What we did and will do:

Tuesday: Surprise, surprise! It's a short week—there's no class on Thursday—so we haven't done anything yet but will today.

We'll finish up our discussion of your paper on Quindlen and then work in groups on your *Sentence-Combining Workbook*.

To Do For Next Week:

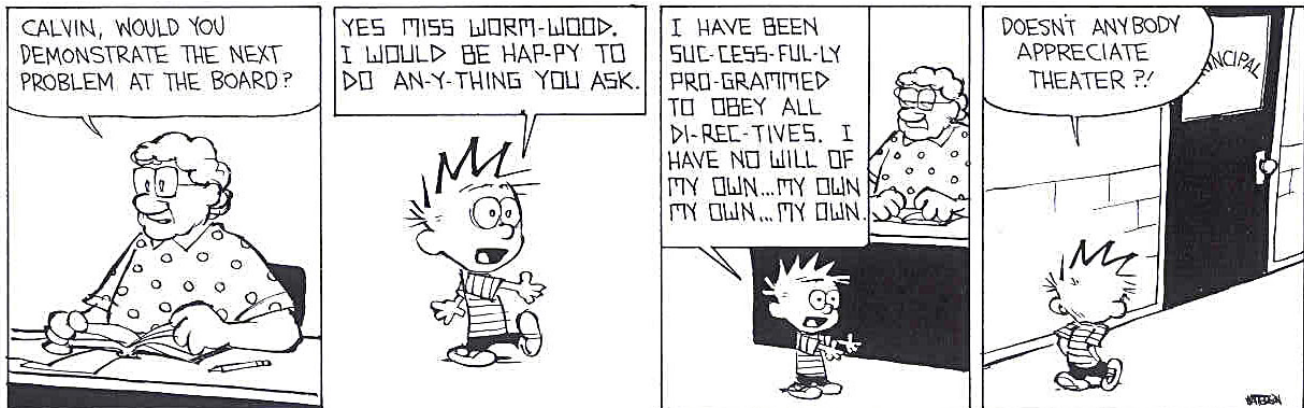
Reading:

If you haven't already, read Brent Staples's "Black Men and Public Spaces," pages 181-185 in your *Brief Bedford Reader*.

Writing:

Complete units two through four in *Sentence-Combining*. I will collect the next three units, 2 through 4, pages 23-43, on Thursday, 3/23, the same day that I'll collect your example paper.

For your example paper, due Thursday, 3/23, write a 2-3 page paper, 500-750 words, double-spaced, with proper MLA header in which you respond to Quindlen's article. Whether you agree or disagree with Quindlen, make sure that you illustrate your points by using Quindlen's ideas and examples from your own experience.



"Calvin and Hobbes" by Bill Watterson.