

Fren 1200 – Medieval Epic through the lens of *Game of Thrones* - Final Paper Grading Rubric

	Monomyth (30)	Chivalry (30)	Courtly Love (30)	Creativity/Effort (10)
25-30 points	Clearly demonstrates an understanding of the major stages and archetypal characters of the monomyth.	Clearly demonstrates an understanding of the medieval code of chivalry, including its role in the story and for the hero.	Clearly demonstrates an understanding of courtly love, and includes many of the major elements. (not all are necessary)	Clearly demonstrates hard work and a creative and engaging story. (9-10 points)
20-24 points	Demonstrates adequate understanding of the monomyth, with a few noticeable gaps or incorrect usage.	Demonstrates adequate understanding of chivalry, with a few noticeable mistakes.	Demonstrates adequate understanding of courtly love, but fails to distinguish it from chivalry.	Demonstrates adequate work and creativity. (7-8 points)
15-19 points	Problematic use of the monomyth, fails to demonstrate more than the most basic of elements.	Problematic representation of chivalry, misuse of chivalry or demonstrates only one small element.	Little inclusion of courtly love, may avoid nearly all the tropes, or complete confusion with chivalry.	Little effort or creativity incorporated into the story. (6 points)
0-14 points	Does not demonstrate a working knowledge of the monomyth, may ignore the essential stages or fail to include most of the characters.	Does not demonstrate knowledge of chivalry.	Does not demonstrate an understanding of courtly love tropes.	Does not demonstrate minimum effort or engagement with assignment. (0-5 points)