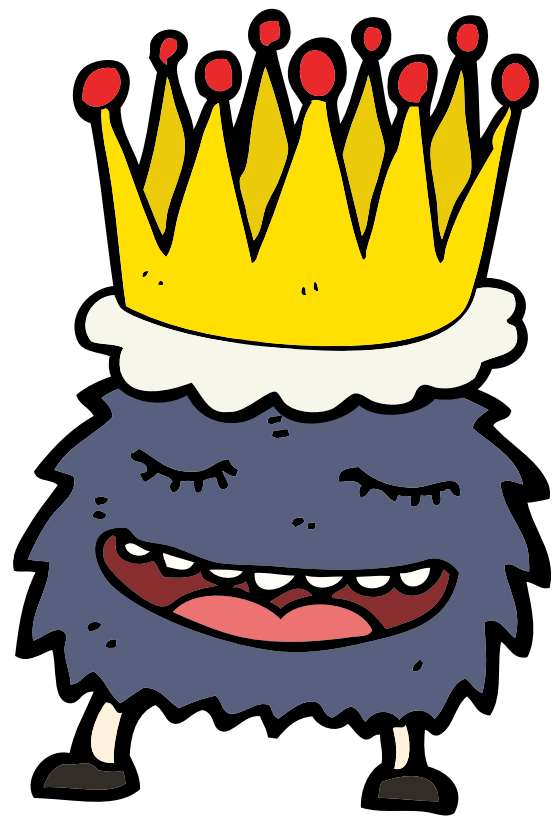


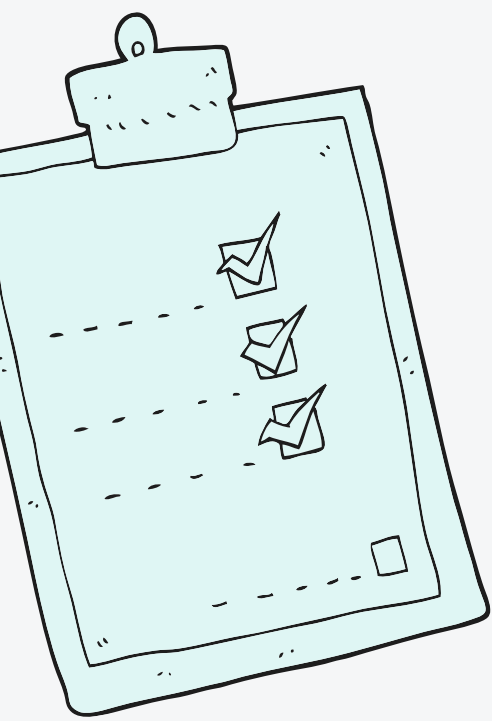
# SO WHAT AM I LOOKING FOR?

- A "So What?" Your reader shouldn't leave wondering why they read your paper in the first place (or why they didn't just read Gatto!
- Some sort of organization. I am NOT looking for a 5 paragraph structure, but likewise, I don't want your readers to leave totally confused and lost. We'll talk about this.
- Some thought behind who your AUDIENCE is, no matter which essay you choose. Who are you trying to reach? What language do you think is the best language to reach that particular group?



## OTHER STUFF YOU NEED

- MLA formatted citation. We'll review this in class, but please also review the handout on citation under "Resources" on the course website!
- An interesting title. NOT "Paper #1" or "Education Paper"
- An interesting intro-- which we will discuss in class.
- Run spell check and proofread! You might end up using some slang terms which spell check doesn't recognize. That's fine! But leave yourself some time to catch your own mistakes.
- 850 words. Is it possible to write a good paper in fewer words? Yes-- but MUCH harder, and your writing must be much better. Generally, it will take at least 850 words to get make a worthwhile point.



**THE PAPER IS DUE ON FEB 21.  
THE ROUGH DRAFT IS DUE ON FEB 19.**

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THE WEBSITE! LATENESS CAN CAUSE  
FAILURE!!**

**PLEASE COME SEE ME IF YOU'RE STUCK.**

