ESOL Summer Reading Book Jacket Project
*The Illustrated Man* by Ray Bradbury
Mr. Griffin – ELL-sheltered Multicultural Literature

**Due:** Thursday, August 18, 2011 (2nd period)

For this book project, you will create a book jacket about the book you read with Ms. Roberts at Edwards Middle School, *The Illustrated Man* by Ray Bradbury. You need to complete the book you selected before starting the actual book jacket. Try to have the book read before returning to school on Monday, August 1, 2011, so you will have plenty of time to complete the book jacket.

**Constructing the Book Jacket**
1. Cut a sheet of posterboard 11 inches high by 2 feet long. (any color, thicker paper tends to work better)
2. From the left side, measure in 4 inches and place a light pencil mark. Also place a mark 11 inches, then 13 inches, and then 20 inches from the left side.
3. With a ruler and a pencil, lightly draw a vertical line at each spot you measured from the top to the bottom. The oak tag or posterboard can then be folded inward along the lines. Check the diagram below.

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<td>Explanation of artwork on front cover (75 words)</td>
<td>Description of a favorite scene with explanation in paragraph form (100 words)</td>
<td>Creative, original art work illustrating the book</td>
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**Written Portions:**

Follow the guidelines in the illustration above. Make sure you meet the minimum word requirements indicated in the illustration above. Remember to proofread and edit your writing before turning in your project for a final grade.

You will need to neatly handwrite or type each of the written sections of the book jacket. If you choose to type the written sections, make sure the margins will fit the panel measurements. If you handwrite each section, try paper-clipping a lined piece of paper underneath a blank piece of white paper so the final copy doesn’t have lines showing. Please also try to handwrite the final copy in pen, rather than pencil.

This project will count as your first test grade for ESOL Multicultural Literature. No late work will be accepted past the due dates listed above.
Summer Reading Book Jacket Grading Rubric  
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Front Cover  
Design a cover for your book jacket that includes:
- The title of the book (3)
- The author’s name (2)
- A creative illustration. This should be eye-catching and reflect an important part of the book. Your illustration needs to be hand drawn and can be in colored pencils or markers. (10)

Book Spine  
- Include the title of the book (3) and the author’s name (2)

Back Cover  
- In the top section of the panel, include a rating of this book with a detailed explanation in paragraph form (100 words). (10)
- In the middle section, write a description of a favorite scene with a detailed explanation in paragraph form (100 words). (10)
- In the bottom section, include your favorite quote from book with a detailed explanation in paragraph form of who said it, to whom it was said, why it was said, and why you like the quote (100 words). (10)

Front Cover Flap  
- In the upper section of the flap, include a summary of the major events that occur in the book in paragraph form (150 words). (10)
- At the very bottom of the flap, include your name, period, and due date. (5)

Back Cover Flap  
- In the upper section of the flap, include a small picture of author with a short biography of author (50 words). (10)
- In the lower section of the flap, write a short explanation of the creative, original artwork (75 words). (10)

Spelling/Grammar  
- Be sure to revise and edit your book jacket, checking for correct spelling, grammar, punctuation, and well-written paragraphs. (10)

Overall Creativity & Neatness  
- Try to be as creative as possible with your book jacket. Use lots of colors and use your imagination! Book jacket was neatly put together, without torn or ripped edges or pieces of paper falling off. Written portions are easy to read. (5)

TOTAL POINTS: _____ / 100

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