**For this assignment, you will have two options. You will pick only one option. The rubrics for these assignments are on the back of this paper. You may decide to do either option independently or with a partner.**

**Option 1:**

Rainsford had such an *interesting* time on the island, and now he wants to make some money off of his experience, of course. You work for a publishing company, and you are up for the job of creating a book cover for Rainsford’s new biographical thriller.

On the front cover:

1. **Include a picture of Rainsford, the island, or something related to “The Most Dangerous Game”**

* This should be in color. You may decide to draw a picture of him, but you may also print one.

1. **Create a title for the new book**

* What do you think Rainsford would title his book? Remember: you want people to read this, so make it sound appealing!

1. **Write a summary of the story from the text**

* Include three exciting and thrilling quotes directly from the text
* Be sure not to give away the story and the ending—you want to make sure there is some mystery left!

1. **Include a brief biography of Rainsford based on what you know of him from the story**

* What is his job? Where is he from? What does he like to do in his spare time? These should each be a quote from the text

**Option 2:**

Poor General Zaroff…all alone with no one to hunt. That is until he comes up with the brilliant idea for an advertisement for his lonely island!

Pretend you are advertisement executives with the task of working for Zaroff (don’t worry, he won’t hunt you…*yet*), and you are tasked with the job of persuading people to come to Shiptrap Island.

You and a partner will be creating an advertisement for Shiptrap Island. In your advertisement, you must include:

1. **At least one picture of the island**

* It may be hand drawn or printed off the computer, BUT this should be in COLOR
* You may have more pictures

1. **Descriptions of the Island**
   * You should have **three** descriptions of the island
   * These should be quotes taken directly from the text
   * You can describe different “attractions” on the island (quicksand, rocky shore, cliffs, etc.)
   * This may also include different “activities” that you may able to do on the island, as well.
2. **Descriptions of the House where guests will be staying**
   * You should have three descriptions of the island
   * These should be quotes taken directly from the text
   * You may describe the different parts of the house or the exterior of the house
3. **A slogan**

* Your ad should have a catchy slogan or catchphrase that people will remember

Make your advertisement colorful and interesting! You *want* people to come to the island.

Remember: you are working for General Zaroff, and if he is not pleased with your work…well, you know.

**Option 1: Rainsford’s Biography**

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| **Mastery** | **Getting There…** | **Needs Improvement** |
| Picture is included. It is in neat, in color, and it matches the descriptions from the text.  10 | Picture is included. However, it may need to be neater, may need to be in color, or may not completely match the descriptions from the text.  7.5 | Picture is included, but it is not need or not in color. It does not match the descriptions from the text.  OR  There is no picture included.  5-0 |
| Title for the book is included on the advertisement and is relevant. It is clearly visible to the viewer.  5 | Title is included. It may not be completely relevant. It may not be clearly visible to the viewer.  2.5 | A title is not included on the advertisement.  0 |
| A summary is included. It is well written and includes **three** details from the story that draw in the reader.  10 | A summary is included. It may include quotes from the story (2 or 3), but the quotes may not be relevant or drawing in the reader.  7.5 | A summary is included but has only one relevant quote from the story.  OR  Summary is not included  5-0 |
| There is a biography of Rainsford that includes the required details mentioned in the assignment description. Each is a quote from the text.  10 | There is a biography of Rainsford that includes the required details but may not have all of the relevant quotes (2).  7.5 | There is a biography of Rainsford that includes some of the require details but does not have the quotes.  OR  The biography is not included.  5-0 |
| Assignment is free of spelling, grammatical, and punctuation errors. Assignment is neat.  5 | Assignment may have 2-3 spelling, grammatical, and punctuation errors. Assignment could be neater.  2.5 | Assignment may have greater than 4 careless spelling, grammatical, and punctuation errors.  Assignment is not neatly put together.  1 |

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**Option 2: General Zaroff’s Advertisement**

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| **Mastery** | **Getting There…** | **Needs Improvement** |
| Picture is included. It is in neat, in color, and it matches the descriptions from the text.  10 | Picture is included. However, it may need to be neater, may need to be in color, or may not completely match the descriptions from the text.  7.5 | Picture is included, but it is not need or not in color. It does not match the descriptions from the text.  OR  There is no picture included.  5-0 |
| Description of the island is included. It has **three** relevant quotes taken directly from the text.  10 | Description of the island is included, but it may not have the required number of quotes (2), or they may not be relevant.  7.5 | Description of the island is included but only has one quote from the text or irrelevant quotes.  OR  The description is not included.  5-0 |
| Description of the house is included. It has **three** relevant quotes taken directly from the text.  10 | Description of the house is included, but it may not have the required number of quotes (2), or they may not be relevant.  7.5 | Description of the house is included but only has one quote from the text or irrelevant quotes.  OR  The description is not included.  5-0 |
| A slogan is included. It is catchy and relevant.  5 | A slogan is included, but it may not be clear or catchy.  2.5 | A slogan is not included.  0 |
| Assignment is free of spelling, grammatical, and punctuation errors. Assignment is neat.  5 | Assignment may have 2-3 spelling, grammatical, and punctuation errors. Assignment could be neater.  2.5 | Assignment may have greater than 4 careless spelling, grammatical, and punctuation errors.  Assignment is not neatly put together.  1 |

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