

## Daily and Standard English 10 Summer Reading Assignment

**THIS ASSIGNMENT IS DUE THE FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL  
AND WILL BE USED AS AN INTEGRAL PART OF UNIT 1.**

**Read:** “The Chrysanthemums” by John Steinbeck. You can click on the following link to find this short story:

<http://www.nbu.bg/webs/amb/american/4/steinbeck/chrysanthemums.htm>

**Click** on *Thinking Maps* on the Arundel High School Website.

**Choose** the *Bubble Map* as a guide for when you create your own bubble map.

**Identify** a theme that you have found in “The Chrysanthemums” and write this theme in the center bubble of your thinking map.

**Demonstrate** how the author conveys this theme in the surrounding bubbles on your thinking map.

**Explain** how this theme connects to your life. This needs to be at least 1 type page double space or 1 ½ to 2 pages hand written.

**If further assistance is needed, please contact:  
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