

Literary texts

- Kathy Acker *Great Expectations* (1982)
- John Barth "Lost in the Funhouse" (1968)
- Angela Carter *The Passion of New Eve* (1977)
- Robert Coover "The Babysitter" (1969)
- Don DeLillo *White Noise* (1985)
- Thomas Pynchon *The Crying of Lot 49* (1965)

Theoretical texts

- Barth, John. "Literature of Exhaustion" (Available online)
- Baudrillard, Jean. "From Simulacra and Simulation," (*Postmodern American Fiction* pp. 631-637)
- Deleuze, Gilles. "The Simulacrum and Ancient Philosophy" (excerpt) *The Logic of Sense* 291-303 (Handout)
- Felski, Rita. "Feminism, Postmodernism, and the Critique of Modernity," *Cultural Critique* 13, 1989, pp. 33-56. (Available via SUB)
- Hassan, Ihib "Toward a Concept of Postmodernism" (Handout)
- Hutcheon Linda
 - "Theorizing the Postmodern: Toward a Poetics," *A Poetics of Postmodernism: History Theory, Fiction* (London: Routledge, 1988) 3-21 (Available electronically through SUB)
 - "Intertextuality, Parody, and the Discourses of History" *A Poetics of Postmodernism* 124-140 (Available electronically through SUB)
 - "Subject in/of/to History and His Story" *A Poetics of Postmodernism* 158-177 (Available electronically through SUB)
- Jameson, Fredric "The Cultural Logic of Late Capitalism" *Postmodernism, or, The Logic of Late Capitalism* (1991), pp. 1-54. Available in various collections.
- Jardine, Alice. "The Demise of Experience: Fiction as Stranger than Truth?" (Handout)
- Jencks, Charles. "The Emergent Rules" (Handout)
- Lyotard, Jean-Francois.
 - "Answering the Question: What is Postmodernism?" (Handout)
 - "Note on the Meaning of 'Post'" (Handout)

**Approaches to
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- McHale Brian. "From Modernist to Postmodernist Fiction: Change of Dominant," in *Postmodernist Fiction*, Chapter 1: pp.3-25 (Available electronically through SUB)
- Nealon Jeffrey T. "Post-Postmodernism: Periodizing the '80s: The Cultural Logic of Economic Privatization in the U.S.," in *Post-Postmodernism, or, The Cultural Logic of Just-in-Time Capitalism* (Stanford: Stanford University Press, 2012), pp. 1-24. (Handout)

Additional material to be assigned by the teacher