

Class 11 Main Lesson: *Parzival* – Day 3 - Wednesday

1. Please say the special verse.
2. **Personal Reflection:** (in the back of your book)
 - What qualities (both positive and negative) have you inherited from your parents, or grandparents? *Be specific*
 - Your name: Etymology? Why did your parents call you it? Do you like it? Why/why not? Do you prefer to be called by other names? Which one/s? Why?
3. **In short dot points** (as a draft), please take some notes on the following points from yesterday – The Fool, part one.
 - Describe Parzival as a boy (not just physically!)
 - Consider: what qualities might he have been bequeathed (gifted) from each of his parents?
 - Describe his physical upbringing (the setting/environment)
 - Describe his emotional upbringing: how his mother raised him.
 - What advice does his mother give him before he leaves (three pieces) = **important**
 - What happens with Jeschute in Duke Orilus's Tent?
 - Who does he meet afterwards, and what does he learn?

This is important – you will need this information for your own Retelling.

Please do it this way, and don't take the notes as you listen / after you've listened (recalling the day after is much more effective in building lasting neural pathways, amongst other reasons...)

4. **Start a new page in your ML book titled "ADVICE"**
 - Write down Herzeloide (his mother's) three pieces of advice
 - Leave room for another ~10 bits of advice to follow on Friday/Monday (**Monday will be a finishing day, where you illustrate and can add to this ADVICE page**).
5. **Optional** listening and watching: listen (and watch) Pink Floyd perform the song "Mother" and pay attention to the lyrics.

Choose one:

- 5 minute version with lyrics: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Es1yTuF-npg>
- 7 minute version with video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=73UMWoXRbjg>

Ask yourself: Why might I have asked you to listen to this song? What might its relevance be to Parzival, at this stage of his life? Is the song relevant to you in any way?

If you have some good thoughts, please share them with me by email
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6. Please listen to me read Part Two of 'The Fool'

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/136wflI50aoGvqbkCQEgFkSMhRxU1-ym2/view?usp=sharing>

7. Personal reflection thinking questions for tomorrow:

- What is a piece of advice you have received from a parent or parental figure that you chose to follow: what was the outcome?
- Have you/do you ever feel foolish, or have been made to look like a fool? Think of a particular time, and think on it...
- Thinking question: is being a fool always a bad thing?