Book Portfolio

Instruction: Create a portfolio out the following assignments. You will need to purchase some sort of portfolio, folder, or small notebook to display you work.

1. Cover: Produce a colorful water-color with artistic effort. Feel free to incorporate motifs, symbols, themes, and appropriate shading/ color choices for your illustration based on your book selection.
2. Table of Contents: Include page numbers for each assignment
3. Study Guide Questions: Please answer the questions to all chapters.
4. 20 Vocabulary Words:
5. Write out sentence from text, underline word, include page # where you found the word.
6. Predict the definition using context clues.
7. Define the word using a dictionary or online reference.
8. Use the word in a new sentence of your own making.
9. Action Timeline:
i. Flip a piece of paper horizontal and draw a timeline.

ii. Chose 4-5 quotes in chronology from the book you feel represent a significant/ meaningful section of the book (For example, choose a section that represents one of the themes of the book, or a section important to the plot, characterization, or setting).

iii. Illustrate one of the quotes to give the timeline some texture.

1. Connections:
2. Print or copy of a current event article.
3. Write a Power Paragraph regarding a Universal Theme of Human Struggle
4. Cross-word Puzzle: Make a puzzle for your vocabulary words (or more you have found). Bonus: Have fun and create more than one game. For example, you could make a cross word puzzle, word search, jumble, etc.)
5. Introduction Paragraph: Prompt: How does your author convey a universal theme of human struggle, and what does he say about the prospects for humanity or the individual? Write an Introduction to a five paragraph persuasive essay. Include a HOOK (Quote, Anecdote, Question, Definition or Vivid Description), some Background Information (Historical Setting, Author, and Reader Response), and a Thesis Statement. The thesis should have three reasons to support your argument (Think of each supporting reason as a good choice for potential topic sentences in body paragraphs).