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*The Grapes of Wrath* by John Steinbeck

Chapter 12

Repetition & Syntax Notes

**Repetition**: an author repeats a word or phrase for emphasis

**Syntax**: analysis of an author’s use of punctuation, sentence structure, and/or length of sentences.

**Directions**: While reading chapter 12 of *The Grapes of Wrath*, highlight at least one example of repetition and one example of syntax. After reading choose one of your examples and complete the following notes USING COMPLETE SENTENCES.

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| **Transition, “Example of repetition or syntax from the text” (Steinbeck, 160).** | **Explain quote in your own words.** | **Explain why the quote represents repetition or the use of syntax.** | **Explain Steinbeck’s reason for repeating the word or phrase or using syntax.** | **Explain how the repetition or syntax contributes to the theme (be specific & state the theme).** |
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