

AP English Literature and Composition Exam Survival Kit

Pen	Write with confidence! State your ideas clearly and support them thoroughly.
Pencil	Bubble accurately. Mark passages and cross out answers you know are wrong.
Snacks	Feed your brain and maintain your focus and energy.
Gum	You possess a variety of flavors and skills. Use them.
Eyes	Examine passages and prompts carefully.
Dice	Only gamble when you can eliminate two wrong answers. Leave the unanswerable blank!
Pencil sharpener	Stay sharp as you're reading and maintain your point while you're writing.
Fish eraser	You're acclimated to the testing waters. Swim!
Smiley face eraser	Keep a smile on your face even as you face difficult questions and prompts.
Race cars	Don't speed through the exam; it's not a race. Use all the time you have—and use it wisely.
Glow sticks	AP Graders reward students for what they do well, so glow and shine!
Rock	You have a solid foundation of skills and knowledge. Transfer your worries to the rock.
Marbles	No matter how stressful the exam is, don't lose your marbles!