**Perception is Everything – Dystopias Unit 3**

1) Make a list of all the qualities of your PERFECT school versus your WORST EVER school.

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| PERFECT SCHOOL | WORST EVER SCHOOL |

2) Do you know the definitions of the words “utopia” and “dystopia”?

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| Utopia  | Dystopia  |

3) Which school is a utopia? Why?

4) Which school is a dystopia? Why?

5) What are the characteristics of a dystopian society?

6) What are some major themes of dystopian societies?

7) What do you think it means to have free will and individuality?

8) What do you think it means to be oppressed and forced to conform?

9) Between #8 and #9, which one gives you a dystopia?

10) Dystopia has been pretty popular in the past years. Can you think of some books or movies that are dystopian societies?

11) Time for some film trailers!

12) Who is Ayn Rand? Where is she from? Why are we talking about her?

13) What are the major themes in the novel *Anthem*?

14) Ok...now time to figure out what these words mean!

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|  | Use context clues to make a guess about the meaning of the word... | Definition of the Word | How it Relates to Dystopia  |
| Collectivism |  |  |  |
| Individualism |  |  |  |
| Conformity |  |  |  |
| Obedience  |  |  |  |
| Independence |  |  |  |