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Class 10th Date _____

Singapore Method Annotations

Story: The Pit and the Pendulum
Author: Edgar Allan Poe

Directions: For each method, use a different colored pencil. Be sure to write in cursive and follow each method's annotation. Be sure the colors are easy to read if a sentence/question is required. Not only should the symbol be included, the material should be shaded in the correct color as well. Proofread and be neat. Tally on the left as you complete each annotation.

- **+** = NEW INFORMATION
- **V** = VOCABULARY...Post-it with word, part of speech, personal definition & dictionary definition - stick on page (NOTICE: Non-Post-it words are subject to random testing).
- **rr** = had to STOP and REREAD...this is something important that I need to remember for later.
- **?** = QUESTION...and actually WRITE the question you have using correct punctuation.
- **()** = CONNECTION...and actually WRITE how you personally connect to the passage (complete sentence).
- **!** = WOW... this just blew me away...amazing facts or details.
- **^** = EMPATHY...the ability to understand and share the feelings of another.
- **VZ** = VISUALIZE...created a mental picture of what was being said.
- ***** = RESEARCH...further research is needed for me to understand this.
- **I** = INFER...WRITE what you conclude from evidence and reasoning (not explicitly stated) in a complete sentence.
- **=** = CLUE... leads to other/in-depth understanding (be able to defend this with examples/evidence).