***To Kill a Mockingbird***

**CHAPTER 17 – due Thursday**

1. a. Choose one paragraph containing excellent, vivid description.

b. Reread the paragraph and copy the **3 most vivid sentences** in your notebook.

c. Explain what **techniques** Harper Lee uses to paint a picture in the description.

1. “Against the fence… were six… jars holding brilliant red geraniums, cared for as tenderly as if they belonged to Miss Maudie Atkinson… People said they were Mayella Ewell’s” (Lee 170)( purple book). (Lee 228) (brown book).
   1. ***Picture*** how this family lives, and then **i*magine*** **what qualities** about Mayella Ewell her geraniums might reveal.
   2. ***List*** the qualities and ***explain*** why the geranium detail is unexpected considering who the Ewells are.
2. ***Speculate***: What could Mr. Ewell’s being left handed prove?