

STEINBECK WEBQUEST: Utilize the links on Mrs. Renner's home page. After you have typed your responses, print the document, staple & turn in.

Name:

Period:

Date:

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1. Where was John Steinbeck born?
2. When did John Steinbeck die?
3. Where specifically is John Steinbeck buried?
4. Who were John Steinbeck's wives?
5. Who were John Steinbeck's children?
6. Who was his best friend?
7. How did Steinbeck "research" his fiction to be able to write about it?
8. List 5 of Steinbeck's most popular novels.
 - a.
 - b.
 - c.
 - d.
 - e.
9. When did Steinbeck win the Nobel Prize?
10. Find and record an interesting quote from his Nobel acceptance speech.
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11. Which American President presented Steinbeck with an award AND what was that award?
Part A:

Part B:
12. Who was Charley AND what was the famous book that featured Charley?

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Of Mice & Men

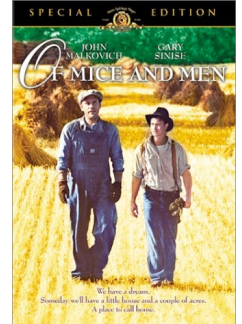
13. When was *Of Mice & Men* first published?

14. Was the novel a commercial success?

15. In the ORIGINAL film version, who played George? AND What other film roles was he famous for?

Part A:

Part B:



16. In the ORIGINAL film version, who played Lennie? AND What other film roles was he famous for?

Part A:

Part B:

17. *Of Mice and Men* is one of the most frequently banned books in the United States. Where (at what #) is it on the list? AND List the top 5 banned books.

Part A:

Part B 1.

2.

3.

4.

5.

18. What reason(s) is/are most often stated for banning *Of Mice and Men*?

19. Where specifically does the title of the book *Of Mice and Men* come from? AND What does it mean?

Part A:

Part B: