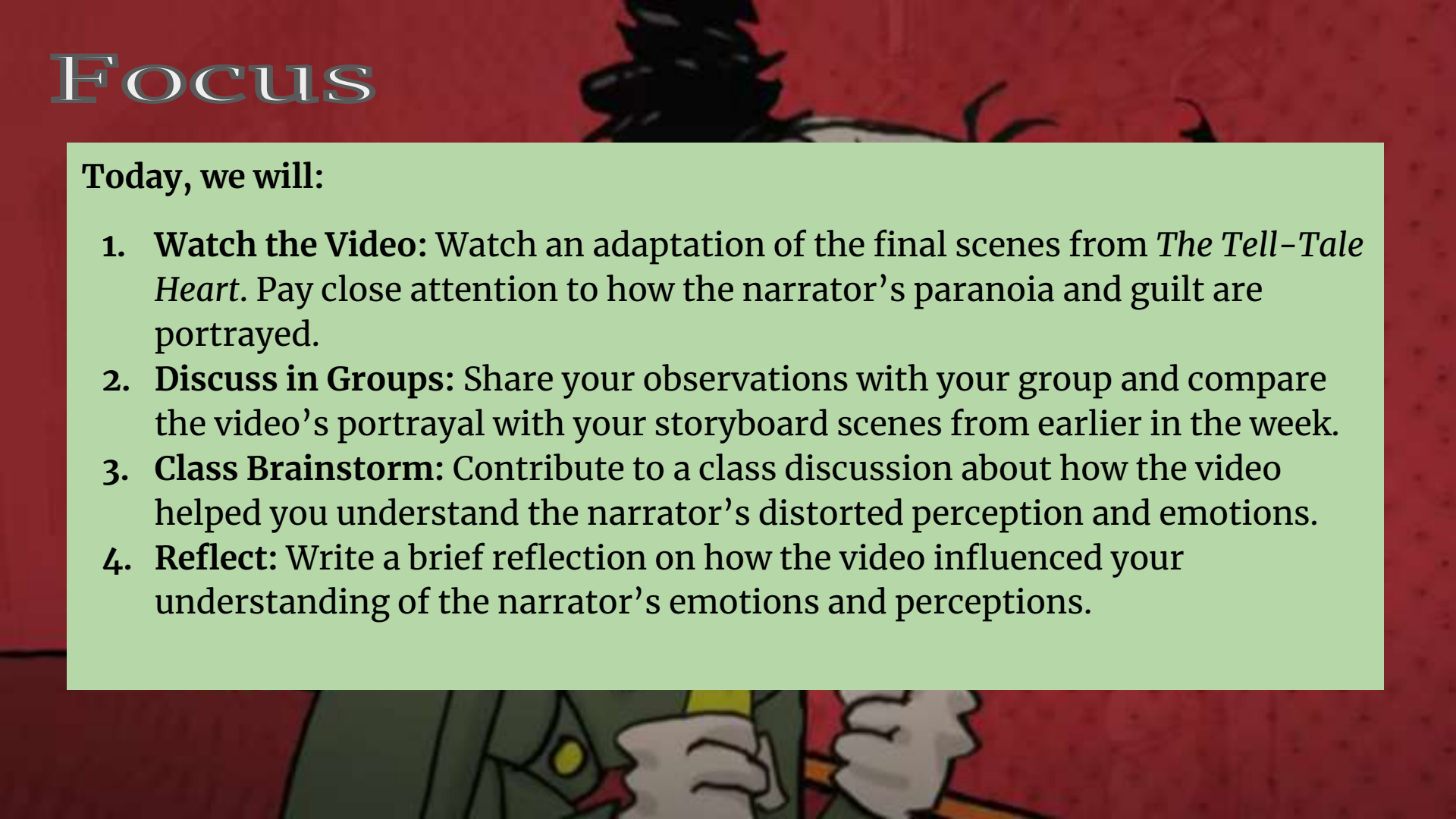# Lesson 4

Analyzing Adaptations: Exploring the Narrator's Emotions in The Tell-Tale Heart
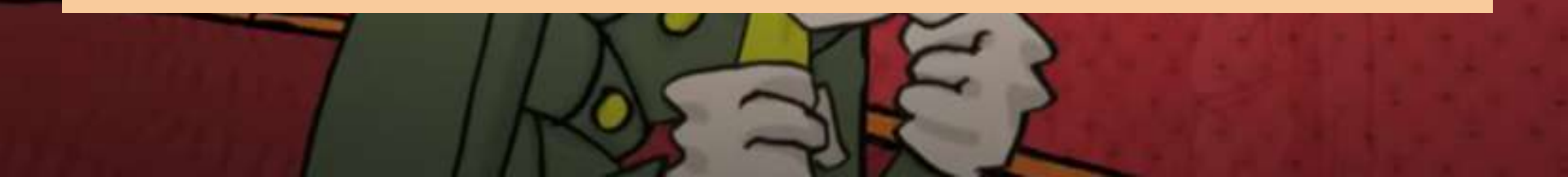
Focus

Today, we will:

1. **Watch the Video:** Watch an adaptation of the final scenes from *The Tell-Tale Heart.* Pay close attention to how the narrator's paranoia and guilt are portrayed.
2. **Discuss in Groups:** Share your observations with your group and compare the video's portrayal with your storyboard scenes from earlier in the week.
3. **Class Brainstorm:** Contribute to a class discussion about how the video helped you understand the narrator's distorted perception and emotions.
4. **Reflect:** Write a brief reflection on how the video influenced your understanding of the narrator's emotions and perceptions.

Viewing Directions

Instructions:

- Watch the video adaptation of the final scenes of The Tell-Tale Heart.
- Pay close attention to how the video portrays the narrator's paranoia and guilt.

After Viewing

How does the narrator's paranoia come across in the video?

How does the narrator's guilt impact his perception of the events?

Discuss

Comparison with Storyboards: How does the video's portrayal of the final scenes compare to your storyboard scenes from Day 2 and Day 3?	
Narrator's Emotions: How does the video's portrayal of the narrator's paranoia and guilt differ from or align with your interpretation?	
Details and Interpretation: What specific details in the video help you understand the narrator's distorted reality better or differently?	

Reflect

Write a brief reflection on how the video changed or deepened your understanding of the narrator's emotions. Use your notes and discussion insights to support your thoughts.

The video changed my understanding of the narrator's emotions by ... This is evident because ..., which deepens the portrayal of his ...

One new insight I gained from the video is ... This insight helps me see how the narrator's ... is more pronounced, especially when ...

The video deepened my interpretation of the narrator's emotions by ... For example, ..., which shows ... and alters my view on his ...

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