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The film is rated PG-13 for some violence, language and thematic elements. Because of this rating, I am distributing a permission slip to each student. Please return the slip below indicating whether your student will or will not be allowed to watch the movie. An alternate assignment will be given to students who do not watch the movie. Please contact me if you have additional questions or concerns. Thank you.

Sincerely,
Mr. Wolf
8th Grade English
(805) 708-5168
mwolf2@sandi.net

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