**Beowulf Study Guide**

* Know all major plot events
* Be able to discuss several themes of the epic
* Be able to describe, in depth, all of the major characters
* Understand different forms of symbolism that might occur in the text
* Be able to relate the essential questions to the text

Terms you are responsible for:

* heroic epic
* archetype
* characterization
* symbolism
* Kennings
* Allusion
* Alliteration
* Imagery
* evolution of English language
* figurative language
* Epic
* Epic Hero
* Simile
* Metaphor
* Personification
* Imagery
* Allusion
* Theme
* Characterization
* Symbol
* Kenning
* Irony
* Foreshadowing
* Antagonist
* Conflict
* Plot
* Folk Literature
* Alliteration
* Geats
* Danes
* paganism