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Fahrenheit 451 Unit Test

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Directions: On the lined paper you received, write thorough responses to each of the five questions. Answers shorter than a well-developed paragraph are likely not detailed enough. Ensure that you are using specific examples from the novel to demonstrate mastery of the content, and pay attention also to grammar, punctuation, and mechanics. Make sure to number your written responses appropriately. Each response is worth **twenty** points.

1. Identify how *Fahrenheit 451* could be described as “dystopic.” Consider the elements of dystopic fiction and the specific plot progression in the novel.
2. Discuss the ideological development of Montag throughout the novel in relation to **and** as a result of the other characters.
3. Compare and contrast “conformity” and “individuality” as they are presented in the text.
4. Bradbury has been both criticized and praised for his extensive literary use of figurative language and symbols. Choose two examples of figurative language **OR** two symbols to discuss. Describe the importance **and** meaning of each, and identify whether this usage is advantageous to the readerly experience.
5. Select one moment or event from *Fahrenheit 451* that was especially memorable. Identify its relationship to the novel as a whole, and discuss its effectiveness in advancing a certain theme or message.

Guidelines for Scoring Responses:
Content/Examples 10 points
Clarity/Coherence 5 points
Grammar/Mechanics/Spelling 5 points

	Content/Examples	Clarity/Coherence	Grammar/Mechanics/Spelling
Response 1			
Response 2			
Response 3			
Response 4			
Response 5			

