

Pre-AP ENGLISH LANGUAGE & COMPOSITION  
Summer Reading Assignment

College Board, the administrative body for the AP exams, lists "101 Great Books" for college bound students on its website:

<http://www.collegeboard.com/parents/plan/hs-steps/21276.html>

Follow this link and choose two books to complete the following assignment (I recommend browsing the titles on Amazon.com or at a bookstore before you make the commitment).

For **each** book:

- provide a one page synopsis of the major events of the novel
- choose 4 quotes that seem significant to you and write a 1/2 page response per quote

You may interpret "significant" as you like, whether that importance reside within the story or outside.

Format:

- 1" margins
- double-spaced
- 12 pt. Times New Roman font

We will discuss these books at the beginning of the year and write a book review for one. Enjoy your summer! Use this assignment to grow a little extra brain matter for the fall...

Best regards,  
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