

Pre-AP ENGLISH II Summer Reading Assignment

Hi, sophomores. For your summer enjoyment, please procure a copy of these two books; **READ THEM** (this is an important step); and then, complete the following assignment.

THE BOOKS

Kurt Vonnegut Slaughterhouse Five

Zora Neale Hurston Their Eyes Were Watching God

(Do not spend \$\$\$\$ on the leather-bound, gold-foil edition. Get a paperback; bend it; write in it; spill juice on it; take it to the beach; *love it.*)

THE ASSIGNMENT :)

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 resides within the story or out.

Format:

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

Make sure you follow these instructions **EXACTLY**. Make sure you do this assignment with your own mind. Absolutely no Sparknotesque commentary.

This assignment is **Due Day One**. Come prepared.

Enjoy your summer! Use these books to grow a little extra brain matter for the fall...

Best regards,

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