

English I Enriched Summer 2021 Reading Assignment

All incoming ninth grade students who enrolled in English I Enriched will read *Animal Farm* by George Orwell.

ASSIGNMENT FOR ANIMAL FARM

As you read *Animal Farm*, take notes and annotate the text. You may handwrite your notes neatly on loose-leaf paper, or you may type your notes in MLA format (Times New Roman, size 12, double-spaced, one-inch margins). Please use the heading listed below. You should have a minimum of one page per topic listed below (six pages).

These are notes and annotations that you should make related to the text.

- Identify the main characters.
- Identify conflicts within the novel.
- Identify a theme and passages that prove this theme.
- Make connections to other texts, stories, or events in history.
- Circle/underline words that are unfamiliar and then define them.
- Summarize each chapter.

Be prepared to discuss and complete activities upon returning to school. Bring your novel and notes with you on the first day. A test will be given during the first week of school.

Your heading should look like this and should appear in the top left corner on the first page:

Your Name

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Subsequent pages should have your last name on the top right margin with the page number: Smith 2