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Dear Kelly High School Student for 2017-2018,

All students, except seniors enrolled in the Lamar English program, are expected to fulfill reading requirements over the summer. Be prepared for a comprehensive assessment of the reading material the first week of school.

**\*\* Lamar students, please note that if you wind up taking a Kelly English course instead of Lamar, you will be responsible for having the summer assignments read by the first day of school in the fall.\*\***

The summer reading books are as follows:

**English I: To Kill a Mockingbird**

**English I Pre-AP: The Good Earth and To Kill a Mockingbird**

**English II: The Alchemist**

**English II Pre-AP: Ethan Frome and Their Eyes Were Watching God**

**American Literature: The Great Gatsby**

**English III AP (Language and Composition): Narrative of the Life of Frederick Douglass, Isaac's Storm, The Great Gatsby, and The Scarlet Letter**

**British Literature: Tuesdays with Morrie and 1984**

**English IV AP (Literature and Composition): The Awakening, Tuesdays with Morrie, and The Catcher in the Rye**

Incoming freshmen and currently enrolled English II College Preparatory, English II Pre-AP, American Literature, English III AP, British Literature and English IV AP students, as well as students enrolling during the summer, must purchase their books. Please contact individual teachers for preferences regarding paper copies of books versus iBook versions.

We hope you will enjoy reading these books over the summer, returning to school in August rested and ready to begin a productive year in English class.

God Bless,

Kelli Mahan

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