

## Summer Reading Assignment for Incoming 11th Graders

Over the course of the summer, students will be required to read the book marked required and complete the assignments below for that Novel.

### **Reading List:**

- The Scarlet Letter by Nathaniel Hawthorn (**Required**)
- The Jungle by Upton Sinclair (Recommended)
- How to Read Literature Like a Professor by Thomas C. Foster (Recommended)

### **Assignments:**

After reading each book, students will complete the following assignments for **the Required NOVEL**.

- Create a list of **AT LEAST 20 Words** that you did not know or found interesting.
  - Identify the page the word was on.
  - Draw a picture that represents the word
  - Explain why you chose each word
- Create a new cover for the book that provides enough images to give readers an idea of main events. (DON'T Give Away Anything Important)
- Write a song or poem (At Least 15 Lines) about the main ideas of the novel.
- Choose ONE character from the novel and create 10 questions you would ask them in an interview. ALL questions must be relevant to the content of the novel. Answer the questions as if you were the character being interviewed.

### **Additional Note:**

Please be advised that there will be a graded assignment completed in class for the required novel the first week of school.