

AP English Language 2021
Summer Reading
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Summer Reading Book 1

***Blink* – Malcolm Gladwell**

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Assignment #1: Enroll in the **AP English Language Summer Google Classroom - Summer Reading**. Use this access code - **63in4i7** - to complete your enrollment.

Assignment #2: Read ***Blink*** by Malcolm Gladwell. It is an excellent resource book which will give us a common vocabulary and structure for our reading.

Assignment #3: As you read, log on weekly to the **AP English Language Summer Google Classroom** to answer key questions. These will serve to pace your reading. As of June 1st, there will be 6 topics posted. Throughout the month I will add topics/prompts. Your minimum participation in this discussion group is as follows:

- Respond to **at least 5** discussion topics/prompts. Try to stretch and grow in your responses. Say important things, raise the bar in your critical thinking.

Please complete these five assignments by June 30.

Summer Reading Book 2

***Into the Wild* - Jon Krakauer**

ISBN # 9780385486804

During the month of July, we will shift the focus of our discussion group to Jon Krakauer's ***Into the Wild***. You can purchase and read any edition of the text...there are several to choose from.

Assignment #1: Read the text of Jon Krakauer's ***Into the Wild***

Assignment #2: As you read, log on weekly to the **AP English Language Summer Google Classroom** and respond to the discussion topics posted. Your participation in this discussion group is as follows:

- Respond to **at least 5** discussion topics. Consider any connections between ***Blink*** and ***Into the Wild***.

Please complete all summer reading assignments by August 15.