

AP Literature and Composition (English 12AP)

Summer Reading Essay Guidelines & Rubric

Identifies (including title and author) three separate works of literature as your “classics”

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Thoroughly explains the inclusion of each work in your personal canon
(in other words, why do you value this literary work? What makes it meaningful for you?)

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Incorporates at least one point/element from Calvino’s definition into the explanation for each selected work

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Is a minimum of 550 words; typed and double spaced

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Has clear introductory and concluding paragraphs

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Follows MLA format and employs proper grammar, mechanics, and spelling
(you may write in first person for this assignment)

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total:

_____ / 100 (quiz grade)

If you have any questions about this assignment, you can reach Mrs. Lauder at:
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