

June 2017

Dear AP English IV Student:

As you are aware, summer reading is an important portion of the curriculum at Gloucester City High School. You have been assigned *David Copperfield* by Charles Dickens and the One Book, One School selection that has been chosen this year to read this summer.

Three components will be used for evaluation, as indicated below, for the novel *David Copperfield*. You are required to upload these assignments to the turnitin.com website. The log-in information is: Class ID 15518639 and the password is apenglit. When school commences in September, be prepared for immediate class discussions on both novels.

**Evaluation Tool 1 – Guided Reading Component** – must be uploaded to turnitin.com by the date indicated next to the assignment. There will be 20 points deducted for each day that the work is submitted late. All items should be typed in Times New Roman, size 12 font, and double spaced.

1). For *David Copperfield* - Create original summaries of at least two pages for the following chapter groups: Chapters I – X; Chapters X- XX; Chapters XXI – XXIX; Chapters XXX- XL; Chapters XLI – XLIX; Chapters L – LVIII; and Chapters LIX – LXIV. Please write objectively, refraining from any use of the 1st or 2nd person pronouns. This portion of the assignment is worth 100 points. **Uploaded and due on 8/21/17.**

2). Create a journal/diary for David from the novel *David Copperfield* with at least twenty entries discussing major events in the novel from his point of view. Entries should be at least half a page long. Be sure to use appropriate journal/diary entry form and write in the first person, as though you were David. This portion of the assignment is worth 100 points. **Uploaded and due on 8/28/17.**

### **Evaluation Tool 2 – Objective Test**

Prepare for an objective test to be given on the book during the first week of school in September which will be worth 100 points.

### **Evaluation Tool 3 – Essay**

Your September Writing Sample will relate to the books you have read over the summer. Have a wonderful summer. I look forward to seeing you in September for a wonderful senior year!

Sincerely,  
Dr. Amy Lawson