

## Summer Reading Assignment

1. In The Pact Sampson, George, and Rameck were inspired to make something of their lives. Write a paragraph between 100-150 words describing their inspiration and give details of each man's results of that inspiration. In a second paragraph of 100-150 words, describe a person who has been inspirational in your life. Give specific details of how this person inspired and/or changed your life.
2. Create a concrete poem (one that creates a picture with the way the words are arranged on the paper) about an idea/person/theme presented in your summer reading assignment.
3. In Brave New World a futuristic setting was described showing consequences of a utopian society where government mass produced specific characteristics of test tube people. Create an illustration depicting a scene from the novel and create a poem of NO MORE THAN 50 WORDS describing your illustrated scene.
4. Create a science fiction story which describes government's involvement in people's lives in a way that could serve as a warning to not let such involvement happen. This needs to be at least 500 words.
5. Write a rhymed verse poem (at least one page) about your summer reading selection.
6. Create an epic poem (one of a hero) about a person from your summer reading. The poem needs to give specific heroic traits as discussed in the novel. (at least one page)
7. Write about The Bill of Rights and what it guarantees and how life would be different without it. (150-300 words)
8. President Obama's education speech and The Pact are two examples of inspirations about taking control of one's life and setting goals. Create a poem comparing the speech with The Pact. (one page minimum)