Summer Reading Assignments by Grade Level

➢ 9th: *Animal Farm* by George Orwell
Interdisciplinary unit with Social Studies
Task: **Text-mark (i.e., write notes in the margins of)** your book as you read,
looking for characters who display <u>IB Learner Profile traits</u>. Then make a digital copy of
this <u>form</u> and fill out all 10 rows.

➢ 10th Grade: *Kindred* by Octavia Butler
<u>Click here to view the Summer Reading Assignment!</u> It will also be posted on Schoology.
As you read *Kindred* this summer, your main goal is comprehending the text as a whole.
You will use a graphic organizer to track the setting, characters, plot, and a motif.
This will be a Summative Portfolio element that needs to be<u> individually completed.</u>

*Note: There is a TV show of *Kindred* that is *very loosely* based on the book. Watching
instead of reading will not work out well for you.

➢ 11th Grade: *A Doll's House* by Henrik Ibsen

Read Ibsen's play for the following:
- **Plot:** Recall and explain the plot of the 3 acts of *A Doll's House*
- **Characters:** Identify and describe the 5 most significant characters in the play
- **Issues:** Give details about major issues and ideas in the text
- **Authorial Choices:** Explain how important symbols, motifs, stage directions,
  and other authorial choices contribute to the major issues and ideas

You have the <u>following 4 options </u>to demonstrate your understanding of these elements
by creating **one of the following products**:
- Option #1: Text Annotation
- Option #2: Sketchnotes
- Option #3: Directing a Scene
- Option #4: Create a Comic Book of the play

➢ 12th Grade: The Anthropocene Reviewed: Essays
**5 **Journal entries about five essays of your choice.
<u>Journal entries will address the following:</u>
  ○ Overview of essay
  ○ Favorite line/passage/authorial
  ○ Consider the topic Green writes about and connect it to one of the <u>Common App</u>
    <u>prompts</u>. Then, brainstorm an essay topic you could write about yourself that also
    aligns with this common app prompt.