

AP English Language and Composition

Summer Reading Assignment

Read BOTH novels listed below. Then select only ONE and complete the required Summer Reading Project as instructed for the novel you choose. Please be advised that you will be tested on BOTH novels in class.

For *The Great Gatsby* choose from one of the following topics to analyze throughout the book and write 500 - 800 word essay explaining what the author is trying to say/show about the topic:

- The Roles of Women
- The Pursuit of the American Dream
- The Narrator of *The Great Gatsby*

For *The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn* choose from one of the following to analyze throughout the book and write a 500 - 800 word essay explaining what the author is trying to say about the topic:

- Imagination and Reality
- Identity and Freedom
- Gentility and Violence
- Nature and Society
- Deception and Truth
- Entrapment and Escape