

English 8 Summer Reading Assignment

Reminder: “Optional” student in-service, to discuss readings and assignments, on WED AUGUST 11, 10 - 11 a.m. in the Arts & Science building. All assignments are due on the first day of school. Expect an additional evaluation in class.

For your summer reading novel, you are expected to read The Adventures of Tom Sawyer by Mark Twain.

PART 1

Reading Log – As you read, complete the reading response chart below by finding significant short passages and explaining their importance. If you feel you need more room, you may complete this activity on your own paper, however be certain to include all of the same information. If you download this form from www.walnuthillseagles.com and save it, you can type your answers directly on the form below.

Chapters	Copy a short passage from the reading that contains language that surprised, amused, angered, or confused you, or that seemed to hold significance to understanding a character or a point.	Page Number	Explanation of why the passage is significant.
Ch. 1			
Ch. 2			
Ch. 3 – 5			
Ch. 6 – 8			
Ch. 9 – 11			
Ch. 12			
Ch. 13 – 14			
Ch. 15 – 16			
Ch. 17 – 18			

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Ch. 19 – 20			
Ch. 21			
Ch. 22			
Ch, 23 – 24			
Ch. 25 – 26			
Ch. 27 – 28			
Ch. 29 – 30			
Ch. 31 – 32			
Ch. 33 – 34			
Ch. 35			

PART 2

On a **separate piece of paper**, answer the following question in a 2-3 paragraph response.

Throughout the course of the novel, several of the characters change a great deal. Which character do you think changed the most? Choose **one of the main characters** in the novel and explain **how** he/she changed throughout the story and what effect it had on the **outcome of the novel**. Make sure you use at least 2 quotes for support. (Again, not necessarily something someone said, but simply a piece of text).