

English III Summer Reading (Choose ONE)

The Bean Trees by Barbara Kingsolver

The Joy Luck Club by Amy Tam

Answer the following questions about your summer reading. Be sure to answer in complete sentences. You must type your answers into this Word document, which is a table and will expand as you type. This assignment is worth 25 quiz points.

Your teacher will give you a due date for this assignment during the first week of class.

<i>Name/period/Summer Reading Selection</i>
<i>1. Choose one character and explain how the character is depicted at different points in the novel. In other words, how does the narration influence how you view the character? (Include at least two paraphrased - in your own words - details and two direct quotes with the proper page numbers as support. These details should come from different points in the novel.) 10 points</i>
<i>2. Many readers are initially confused when the novel changes the point of view from which it is told. How did this technique affect your understanding of the novel? Give a specific explanation that includes one concrete detail of when this perspective changed. (5)</i>
<i>3. What did you like about the novel? (Be specific. Use details and examples from the novel to explain your answer.) 5 points</i>
<i>4. What did you not like about the novel? (Be specific. Use details and examples from the novel to explain your answer.) 5 points</i>