**ENGLISH III SUMMER READING**

**Read One (1) of the Following Books:**

1. *Death of a Salesman* by Arthur Miller

2. *Wise Blood* by Flannery O’Connor

3. *Grapes of Wrath* by John Steinbeck

4. *The Awakening* by Kate Chopin

5. *The Picture of Dorian Gray* by Oscar Wild

6. The Age of Innocence by Edith Wharton

7. *A Brilliant Solution* by Carol Berkin

8. *The Scarlet Letter* by Nathaniel Hathorne

Students: These are to be original essays that you are to complete upon finishing the books. Any work that is plagiarized, copied and pasted, and is not original (the student created it) will not be accepted.

All assignments are due upon returning to school.

**PROJECT ASSIGNMENT FOR EACH BOOK**

After reading the book, compose a five-paragraph essay that analyzes one character from the story. Use the following outline to organize your essay.

1. Introduction (4 sentences minimum)
2. Body paragraph that describes the character (5 sentences minimum)
3. Body paragraph that explains what motivates this character to behave the way he/she behaves (5 sentences minimum)
4. Body paragraph that describes one or more conflicts that this character faces (5 sentences)
5. Conclusion (3 sentences minimum)