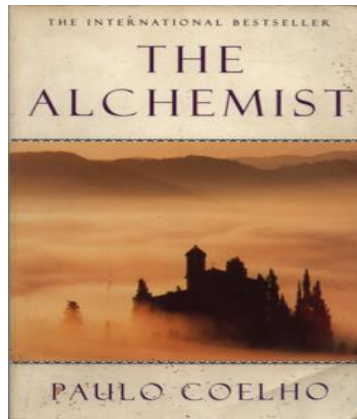




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## 10<sup>th</sup> Grade Global Literature II Summer Assignment 2018-2019



As part of Eleanor Roosevelt High School's 10th grade, you will be spending the year looking at the interaction between the individual and society and the balance between freedom and responsibility. The first step of that exploration will take place this summer as you read *The Alchemist* by Paulo Coelho.

As you read, pay attention to how the main character changes over time and what causes him to change. Also, look for ways in which the character rebels or adapts to his surroundings, according to the societal values or norms imposed on him.

We strongly encourage you to take notes either on post-its, or annotate directly in the book.

While you read, use the numerous reading strategies you have been taught this year to identify powerful lines, literary elements, and writing techniques. You will not hand in your notes; your notes will be a useful resource of study.

Upon arrival to the 10th grade, on the first day of school, **you will take a quiz to test your knowledge of this text.** This **quiz** will be your first form of assessment for the year, so prepare purposefully as you are reading.

Have a healthy, happy, relaxing summer. Enjoy your reading and don't hesitate to read additional books this summer—the more the better!

Sincerely,

Your 10<sup>th</sup> Grade English Teachers