

English I PreAP

Dear Students,

Welcome to English I Pre AP! We are looking forward to meeting each of you and feel confident that we will have a productive year. The English I Pre AP curriculum emphasizes writing based on a study of classical and contemporary literature. We will study the following major works: Great Expectations, Romeo and Juliet, A Midsummer Night's Dream, The Pearl, and The Count of Monte Cristo.

For your summer reading assignment, please obtain a copy of The Old Man and the Sea by Ernest Hemingway from a library or bookstore. Hemingway, like other authors, develops his characters by description of their physical, emotional, and intellectual development of Santiago, the protagonist. During the first week of school, you will write an essay about Santiago. You are expected to have read the book by the first day of school, but you do not have to turn in a written assignment.

If you or your parents have any questions or concerns, please call 442-0800 mailbox 267.

Enjoy your summer!

English I PreAP Teachers