

**Queens Gateway to Health Sciences Secondary School  
 Current Grade 11 enrolled in Advanced Placement English, Fall 2008  
 Summer Reading Assignment (15% of the first marking period grade)  
 Due Date: September 4, 2008**

Summer Reading Book: *Invisible Man* by Ralph Ellison

Assignment:

- 1) Read *Invisible Man*

**Component A** :List 20 vocabulary words from the novel, define each, and provide the part (s) of speech for each.

**Component B** :For **each** of the following motifs (blindness, naivety, invisibility) do the following:

- 1) Identify 10 examples from the novel (Quote and page number **must** be included/ 30 examples total).
- 2) Explain how the example (quote) helps to characterize a character or helps to provide insight into the meaning of the novel as a whole.

**Rubric (15 points= 15 % of the first marking period grade)**

0= incomplete/ no evidence of an answered question 1= poor 2=satisfactory 3= well done

Organization (3)	1	2	3
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Grammar/Spelling (3)	1	2	3
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Content of each component (a, b)

a)	1	2	3
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b)	1	2	3
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Format:	1	2	3
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- ✓ All papers must be typed, 12 font, Times New Roman, single spaced, with 1 inch margins. **Do not write an essay.** A Bulleted list format is fine.
- ✓ Component B of the project should be 3-4 pages in length.
- ✓ All papers must have a cover page with your name and grade.
- ✓ No late papers will be accepted.