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## **English 9 Required Summer Reading Assignment**

**Reader Reflection Directions:** After reading *The 7 Habits of Highly Effective Teens* by Sean Covey, choose two of the seven habits and write a well-written, multi-paragraph response in which you do the following:

- identify and define the two habits you've chosen
- reflect on why you chose each habit and what current habits you have that you would like to change (See "The 7 Habits of Highly Defective Teens" on pages 7-8.)
- explain how adopting each of these habits will improve your approach to school and life in general. Please provide specific examples.
- explain how you will implement these habits with regards to your academic year and the benefits you hope to see. Please provide specific examples.

Please type (double spaced) your responses. Include an MLA heading and header at the top of your reflection.

## Additional Directions:

- 1. When finished, please sign the Honor Pledge below and staple this sheet to the front of your assignment.
- 2. Assignments will not be accepted without the signed pledge, and plagiarism will result in a zero on the assignment.
- 3. Value your reputation; practice academic integrity.

*Honor Code Pledge:* My name signed below verifies that I have completed this assignment on my own and have followed the directions listed above. I have neither given nor received help on the assignment from any source. Although I may have discussed some of these topics with friends and family, the ideas in my journal pertain to me, and the writing is mine.

Student's Signature: