

Short Reflective Essay on APstats Summer Reading

Write a short one-page reaction to the book you read over summer break: at least 550 words, and no more than 1200 words. (Be sure to indicate the title you chose, and its author.)

Tell me whether you liked the book or not, *and why*. Please be specific about the elements or aspects of the book you enjoyed the most, with supportive reasoning and illustrations from the text. Please also do the same for those that you most disliked, and any note any major flaws in the book.

Please also be sure to mention anything in the book that you found relevant (or contradictory) to material you expect to encounter in AP Statistics.

The best tone to take is conversational. Please avoid being too academic. Book reviews in newspapers and magazines are good exemplars. I'd suggest taking a look at a page-one review in *The New York Times* Sunday Book Review section.

Conclude with a recommendation about the type of person to whom the book you read is best-suited— someone to whom you would recommend the book.

Not required, but a good idea: give your reflection a title and a one sentence summary — similar to a headline and descriptive title that you might see in a magazine or on a website.

If you have any questions, do not hesitate to ask.

Report is due Wednesday, September 7 — and must be submitted electronically to our Google Classroom .