English I - Norwalk High School
Summer Reading Assignment

To ensure a successful program, it is necessary that all freshman student entering ninth grade read, *Speak* by Laurie Halse Anderson

After reading the text, select FIVE quote and reflect why the quote is important to the story.

Honors are required to read one book from the list below and select FIVE quotes to analyze:

- *The Alchemist* by Paulo Coelho
- *The Help* Kathryn by Stockett
- *Room* by Emma Donoghue
- *Looking for Alaska* by John Green
- *David and Goliath* by Malcolm Gladwell
- *Fallen Angels* by Walter Dean Myers
- *The Living* by Matt De La Peña
- *Charm & Strange* by Stephanie Kuehn

**Challenge for all**: Read ONE novel of personal interest that is not on the list and select FIVE quotes to analyze.

**Remember**:  
- This assignment must be ready for the first day of school. This will be the first grade of the quarter.
- You may choose to type the assignment or hand-write it, however, it must be neat and easy to read (maximum of 3 pages).