## **Summer Reading**

11<sup>th</sup> grade dual enrollment English 101 Read *A Midsummer Night's Dream* 

12<sup>th</sup> grade dual enrollment English 102 Read *Macbeth* 

Both plays can be read online for free. The Folger's Shakespeare Library website is one source that has them (www.folger.edu).

The assignment for both classes is the same.

As you read, keep a reader's journal. Your journal should include the following:

- 1. Five unfamiliar words you came across while reading the play and your guess as to what they mean.
- 2. Five personal reactions to characters, events, or themes in the story. Each reaction should be about 3-5 sentences.
- 3. A drawing or sketch (your artistic quality will not be judged) of something the story makes you think of. This can be a drawing of one of the characters, a symbol that represents something from the story to you, an event from the story, or a depiction of a theme from the story.
- 4. Your journal may be in an actual journal, a few pieces of paper stapled together, or however you would like to create it. Feel free to decorate it and make it look as nice as you would like, but it does not have to be fancy.

When you return to school, be prepared to complete a pen and paper test individually as well as a thematic poster in pairs.