

English III
Summer Reading

The Speckled Beauty

Rick Bragg

1. Information about author (short biography)
2. Vocabulary (define)
 - belligerent
 - brouhaha
 - cacophony
 - catatonic
 - exhortation
 - lethargic
 - octogenarian
 - recidivists
 - slaloming
 - tandem
3. Characters (identify)
 - Rick Bragg
 - Speck
 - Bragg's Mother
 - Sam Bragg
4. Bragg's writing style (identify)
5. Themes (annotate in book)
 - redemption
 - healing
 - joy

Summer reading assignments are due on Monday of the second week of school.