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Hey [REDACTED] - I was planning on getting back to you today after school. However, after [REDACTED] posted some links in the chat during class today, I wanted to check in immediately. I tried to talk to her in an individual breakout room but she didn't want to.

We read Anthem as an example of a sci-fi dystopian future story. When we start the book, we discuss Ayn Rand's experiences during the Russian Revolution growing up. We do not get into politics and I have always remained politically neutral in my classroom.

It is part of the required Freshman English curriculum in the Snohomish School District.

If you and [REDACTED] would like to continue the conversation, I am more than happy to.

My office hours are from 12:30-1:30 today.

<https://snohomishsd.zoom.us/j/97596890833>

Thank You!

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I got the email about picking up the Ayn Rand book. I'm wondering, in what context is this book going to be taught? Also, is this book required reading set by the school district?

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