

College Comp II
Mr. Reynolds
Ch. 9 *Outliers*
Assignment

Directions: Write a short one-page - single spaced - response to the topic below.

Gladwell ends *Outliers* with the chapter “Marita’s Bargain.” After reading the chapter, write a one-page response that examines how Marita (and her “bargain”) allows her to be on the path to become an “outlier.” That is, how does she attain many of the key attributes of an outlier? (Such, as her work ethic and attitude). How does she overcome many of the other key factors that other outliers have? (Such as her culture and the income levels of her parents). Finally, address what you can take away from this book and form your own “bargain” to work toward success.

