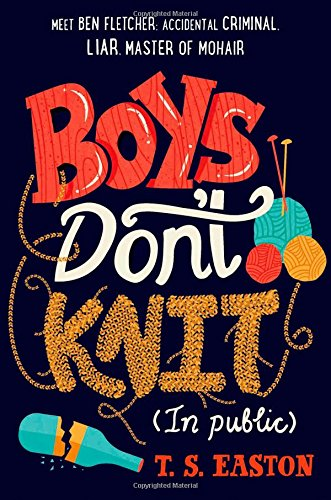
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**2019 Summer Assignment - Eng. 3B (133)- Mrs. Stager**

All students in Eng. 3B (133) are required to read the novel *Boys Don’t Knit (In Public)* by T.S. Easton AND complete the **study guide- see link**. **The study guide is due on the first day of school.** Students should be prepared to discuss the novel and write an essay during the first few weeks of school. Books are available through all major book retailers in paper or e-book format and from local libraries.



**About the novel:**  After an incident regarding a crossing guard and a bottle of Martini & Rossi (and his friends), 17-year-old Ben Fletcher must take up a hobby and do some community service to avoid any further probation. He takes a knitting class with the impression that it's taught by the hot teacher all the boys like. Turns out, it's not. Regardless, he sticks with it and comes to discover he's a natural knitter, maybe even great. It also helps ease his anxiety and worrying. The only challenge now is to keep it hidden from his friends, his crush, and his soccer-obsessed father. What a tangled web Ben has weaved- or knitted. (source: bn.com)

Link to study guide: <https://docs.google.com/document/d/1PE2jeMReO_Xszk2NfdAtHLIWs4E9UPAIZjeZjno0xYI/edit?usp=sharing>