**Do Now Theme: Katie’s Realization**

Katie exhaled calmly. After several long nights of studying, she finally felt ready for the exam.

Walking into her English class the next morning, Katie coolly focused on the task before her. As the

teacher walked up and down the rows distributing the test, Katie heard a noise, "Psst..." Katie turned to

see Shannon staring at her desperately. Shannon whispered, "I forgot to study. Please let me copy off of

you. I'll do anything." Katie refused, "I can't risk it Shannon." Each knew that if the teacher caught them,

they would both fail, but Shannon persisted, "Come on, Katie. Help me out. I'll give you fifty bucks."

The teacher turned toward them from across the room, "Ladies, please, it's test time." Katie didn't want

to jeopardize her future, but fifty dollars was a lot of money to her, so she silently nodded at Shannon.

During the exam Katie kept her test document on the corner of her desk near Shannon, giving Shannon

a clear view of all of her hard work. Shannon copied Katie's test exactly, even the writing portion word

for word. After the test Katie approached Shannon in the hallway. "When am I going to get the fifty

dollars?" Shannon sneered at her. "Ha, never. What are you going to tell someone that you let me copy?

Please..." Shannon snapped at Katie. Katie ran away crying, upset that she had been deceived and

worried that she would get caught cheating.