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Title (this is your title)

The text of the paper starts here and continues until you have said something brilliant in the conclusion. The paper should: **1. Be Double Spaced in 12 point Times New Roman; 2. Have reasonable margins; 3. Contain citations for quotes.** You should have your last name and the page number in the upper, right hand corner of each page from this one through the works cited page.

Checklist or making sure you do not lose points for carelessness

General:

_____ MLA format followed on the header and title

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_____ Double-spaced in 12 point Times New Roman

_____ Reasonable margins (1-1.25)

_____ NO contractions

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_____ NO I, me, my

_____ Is *The Great Gatsby* in italics each time you say the title?

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Citations/Quotes:

_____ Cited material taken word for word from the source has quotations marks around it and a citation at the end.

_____ The citations are in the proper form with the author's last name or abbreviated title (Fitzgerald 41). Page numbers are required for book sources.

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