

## **2022 Honors English 9 - Summer Reading Discussion**

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**Please post an answer for both prompts below. Be certain to sign your full name at the end of each of your two posts as well as use specific content from the novel to support your ideas. Prompt #1**  
**What one sees is not necessarily the way things are. Tracy Chevalier's *Girl With a Pearl Earring* depicts manifold realities, where what one sees is not necessarily the way things are. The characters' perspectives are clouded, 'reflecting the pattern' of the society around them, whether it be gender, class, or religious bias. Please identify one character in the text who possesses a 'clouded' view and explain how his/ her perspective affects those around him/ her.**

**Prompt #2 Analyzing the Final Sentence: "A maid comes free."  
Explain the significance of the novel's final sentence within and beyond the context of the novel?**