

Summer Reading List

Check the required supply list on the Summer Preparation web page

(revised 3/17/09)

(AL) = ADULT LANGUAGE (AS) = ADULT SITUATION

9TH Grade - Required Reading

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English I (Honors and Pre-IB)

A Raisin in the Sun (AS) - Hansberry

9th Grade - Recommended Reading

Tales - Poe

The Good Earth - Buck

Rebecca - DuMaurier

The Ox-Bow Incident - Clark

The Agony and the Ecstasy - Stone

The Caine Mutiny - Wouk

The Prince and the Pauper - Twain

West Side Story - Laurents

On the Beach - Shute

The Old Man and the Sea - Hemingway

10th Grade - Required Reading

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English II (Honors)

Lord of the Flies – Golding

[Assignment: English II Honors](#)

English II (Pre – IB)

The Odyssey - Homer

AP European History

A World Lit Only By Fire (AL, AS) - Manchester

[Assignment: AP European History](#)

10th Grade - Recommended Readings

1984 (AS) - Orwell

The Once and Future King - White

Wuthering Heights - E. Bronte

Jane Eyre - C. Bronte

The Human Comedy - Saroyan

Ivanhoe - Scott

Frankenstein - Shelley

Hard Times - Dickens

Pride and Prejudice - Austen

Oliver Twist - Dickens

Utopia - More

Robinson Crusoe - Defoe

Gulliver's Travels - Swift

Mythology - Hamilton

A Passage to India - Forster

War of the Worlds - Wells

11th grade - Required Reading

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AP Language (Honors)

Required for all HONOR students

On Writing: A Memoir of the Craft - Stephen King

Choose one of the following texts:

Hunger for Memory - Richard Rodriguez

The Glass Castle - Jeannette Walls

Black Boy - Richard Wright.

[Assignment HONORS: AP Language Composition](#)

AP Language – (IB)

Essays that Worked For College Applications (ed. Curry)

AP US History (Honors and IB)

I Wish I'd Been There – Byron Hollinshead, ed.

IB Philosophy

The Second Treatise of Government – John Locke (NOTE: Read only

Introduction-Chapter 5)

11th Grade - Recommended Readings

The Grapes of Wrath (AL, AS) - Steinbeck

Native Son (AL, AS) - Wright

Babbitt - Lewis

The Sun Also Rises - Hemingway

The Color Purple (AL, AS) - Walker

The American - James

The American Tragedy (AL, AS) - Dreiser

Delta Wedding - Welty

Seize the Day - Bellow

One Flew Over The Cuckoo's Nest (AL, AS) - Kesey

Light in August (AL, AS) - Faulkner

Huckleberry Finn - Twain

The Invisible Man (AL, AS) - Ellison

Meridian (AL, AS) Walker

The Woman Warrior (AL, AS) - Kingston

The Way to Rainy Mountain - Momaday

12th Grade Required Readings

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AP Literature – (Honors)

Their Eyes Were Watching God (AS) – Hurston

How to Read Literature like a Professor – Thomas C. Foster

[Assignment: AP Literature](#)

AP Literature – (IB)

Heart of Darkness - Conrad

IB Contemporary History

The First World War Peace Settlements, 1919-1925 – Erik Goldstein

AP /Macro Economics

The Armchair Economist: Economics And Everyday Life, Landsburg

AP US Government & Politics

How Washington Really Works - Peters

AP Physics

Seven Ideas that Shook the Universe - Spielberg.

12th Grade - Recommended Readings

Portrait of the Artist as a Young Man - Joyce

Crime & Punishment (AS) - Dostoevsky

Heart of Darkness - Conrad

Return of the Native - Hardy

Slaughterhouse Five - Vonnegut

Dr. Faustus - Marlowe

The Power and the Glory - Greene

Daisy Miller - James

Oedipus Rex - Sophocles

The Divine Comedy - Dante

Tartuffe - Moliere

Brideshead Revisited - Waugh

The Stranger - Camus

All Quiet on the Western Front - Remarque

No Exit (AS) - Sartre

To the Lighthouse - Woolf

Six Characters in Search of an Author (AS) - Pirandello

Catch 22 (AL, AS) - Heller

The Wasteland - T.S. Eliott

Don Quixote - Cervantes

Siddhartha - Hesse

The Cherry Orchard - Chekhov

A Doll's House – Ibsen

College/Future Planning – suggested readings

College Unranked – Lloyd Thacker

Colleges That Change Lives – Loren Pope

Looking Beyond the Ivy League – Loren Pope

Colleges with a Conscience - Princeton Review

Less Stress, More Success: A New Approach to Guiding Your Teen

Through College Admissions and Beyond -Ginsberg,Jones

Over Achievers - Alexandra Robbins

Admissions Matters - Springer ,Franck

Harvard Schmarvard – Jay Matthews

Hope in the Unseen – Ron Suskind

Gatekeepers – Jacques Steinberg

All Loves Excelling – John A. Knight

Winning the Heart of the College Admissions Dean – Joyce Mitchell

My Freshman Year – Rebekah Nathan

The Naked Roommate – Harlan Cohen

Catalyst – Laurie Anderso