

2019-2020 Suggested Summer Reading List

The list below is suggested reading for the class your child will be enrolled in 2019-2020 school year.

We have highlighted the ones which will be used during the first nine weeks. There are no summer assignments associated with this list.

6th grade

Tangerine by Edward Bloor

The Giver by Lois Lowry

Hoot by Carl Hiaasen

The Red Pencil by Andrea Davis Pitkney

7th grade

The Crossover by Kwame Alexander:

Game Changer by Tommy Greenwald

The Only Thing to Fear by Caroline Tung Richmond

Full Tilt by Neal Shusterman

Harbor Me by Jacqueline Woodson

Hatchet by Gary Paulsen

A Long Walk to Water: Based on a True Story by Linda Sue Park

The Invention of Hugo Cabret by Brian Selznick

Touching Spirit Bear by Ben Mikaelson

Out of the Dust by Karen Hesse

8th grade

Resistance by Jennifer Nielsen

The Night Diary by Veera Hiranandani

The Ghost Boys by Jewell Parker Rhodes

In the Shadow of the Sun by Anne Sibley O'Brien

**The Outsiders* by S.E. Hinton

Refugee by Alan Gratz

Between Shades of Gray by Ruta Sepetys

9th Grade

To Kill a Mockingbird by Harper Lee

The House on Mango Street by Sandra Cisneros

Bronx Masquerade by Nikki Grimes

The Odyssey by Homer

Rafferty Lincoln Loves... by Emily Williams

10th grade

Lord of the Flies by William Golding

The Hate U Give by Angie Thomas

Red Rising by Pierce Brown

Julius Caesar by William Shakespeare

The Alchemist by Paulo Coelho

11th grade

The Secret Life of Bees by Sue Monk Kidd (SPED)

The Great Gatsby by F. Scott Fitzgerald

Anthem by Ayn Rand

Flowers for Algernon by Daniel Keys

The Scarlet Letter by Nathaniel Hawthorne

A Tree Grows in Brooklyn by Betty Smith

The Poisonwood Bible by Barbara Kingsolver

12th grade

One Day by David Nicholls

Normal People by Sally Rooney

The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy by Douglas Adams

And Then There Were None by Agatha Christie

1984 by George Orwell

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AP Language (AP English III)

To maximize in-class use, students should print documents and glue into a journal, annotating each piece in the margins.

[Jonathan Edwards' Sinners in the Hands of an Angry God](#)

[Thomas Jefferson: Declaration of Independence](#)

[Elizabeth Cady Stanton Seneca Falls Speech](#)

[King's Letter From Birmingham Jail](#)

[King's I Have Been to the Mountaintop Speech](#)

[Ronald Reagan National Address After Challenger Explosion](#)

[George W. Bush 9/11 Address to the Nation](#)

[George W. Bush Speech to Rescue Workers on 9/11](#)

Visit [Quizlet](#) and study literary terms quiz cards.

Study each list of terms and be familiar with them for use in class.

AP Literature (AP English IV)

All the Light We Cannot See by Anthony Doerr

The Nightingale by Kristin Hannah

The Goldfinch by Donna Tartt

Kindred by Octavia Butler

Never Let Me Go by Kazuo Ishiguro

The Kite Runner by Khaled Hosseini

To Kill a Mockingbird by Harper Lee

The Crucible by Arthur Miller

Oedipus Rex by Sophocles

A Doll's House by Henrik Ibsen

Waiting for Godot by Samuel Beckett

No Exit by Jean-Paul Sartre

A Streetcar Named Desire by Tennessee Williams