



2026-27 School Year Reading Selections

Grade 6:

A Wrinkle in Time Madeleine L'Engle
The Lightning Thief Rick Riordan
Freedom Walkers Russell Freedman
A Long Walk to Water Linda Sue Park

Grade 7 Standard and Honors:

A Christmas Carol Charles Dickens (text provided)
One Last Word Nikki Grimes
Tangerine Edward Bloor
The Faithful Spy John Hendrix
The Outsiders S.E. Hinton

Grade 8 Standard:

A Midsummer Night's Dream William Shakespeare (text provided)
The Diary of Anne Frank (play) Frances Goodrich and Albert Hackett (text provided)
Twelfth Night William Shakespeare (text provided)
Roll of Thunder, Hear My Cry Mildred Taylor– ISBN-13 : 9780142401125
Just Mercy (Adapted for Young Adults) Bryan Stevenson– ISBN-13 : 9780525580065
The Giver Lois Lowry– ISBN-13: 9780544336261

Grade 8 Honors:

Julius Caesar William Shakespeare (text provided)
The Diary of Anne Frank (play) Frances Goodrich and Albert Hackett (text provided)
Twelfth Night William Shakespeare (text provided)
Roll of Thunder, Hear My Cry Mildred Taylor– ISBN-13 : 9780142401125
Just Mercy (Adapted for Young Adults) Bryan Stevenson– ISBN-13 : 9780525580065
The Giver Lois Lowry– ISBN-13: 9780544336261

Grade 9 Standard:

Romeo and Juliet William Shakespeare (text provided)
A Separate Peace John Knowles (text provided)
Children of Blood and Bone Tomi Adeyemi
To Kill a Mockingbird Harper Lee (text provided)

Grade 9 Honors:

Romeo and Juliet William Shakespeare (text provided)

A Separate Peace John Knowles (text provided)

Children of Blood and Bone Tomi Adeyemi

Lost Names Richard E. Kim

The Count of Monte Cristo Alexandre Dumas (ensure you get the Bantam Classics version.)

To Kill a Mockingbird Harper Lee (text provided)

Grade 10 Standard:

Fahrenheit 451 Ray Bradbury

The Crucible Arthur Miller

The Great Gatsby F. Scott Fitzgerald

Their Eyes Were Watching God Zora Neale Hurston

Grade 10 Honors:

Fahrenheit 451 Ray Bradbury

The Crucible Arthur Miller

The Great Gatsby F. Scott Fitzgerald

Their Eyes Were Watching God Zora Neale Hurston

Grade 11 Standard:

Beowulf (text provided)

Macbeth by William Shakespeare (text provided)

The Picture of Dorian Gray Oscar Wilde (text provided)

Monster (graphic novel) Walter Dean Myers adapted by Guy A. Sims--- ISBN-13: 9780062274991

The Strange Case of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde Robert Louis Stevenson—ISBN-13: 9780199536221

AP Language and Composition

Everything's an Argument, 5th Ed. (text provided)

Aristotle's Art of Rhetoric- translated with an Interpretative Essay by Robert C. Bartless (text provided)

Elements of Style, Illustrated edition, William Strunk Jr., E.B. White, et al

Into Thin Air John Krakauer

Macbeth William Shakespeare (text provided)

The American Plague Molly Caldwell Crosby (text provided)

The Great Divorce C.S. Lewis (text provided)

The Scarlet Letter Nathaniel Hawthorne

The Seagull Reader, Essays, 3rd Ed. edited by Joseph Kelly (text provided)

Grade 12 Capstone:

Hamlet William Shakespeare (text provided)

Frankenstein (1818 publication) Mary Shelley

The Kite Runner - Khaled Hosseini

The Nickel Boys - Colson Whitehead

AP Literature and Composition

Hamlet William Shakespeare (text provided)

Emma Jane Austen

Sula Toni Morrison

James Percival Everett

The Kite Runner Khaled Hosseini