

Pensacola Catholic High School

REVISED 2020 REQUIRED SUMMER READING PROGRAM

The purpose of the CHS Summer Reading Program is to encourage and support independent reading and instill a love of reading in our students. The ability to read well and on a regular basis is crucial to college and career success. Recognizing this, the CHS English Department has a year-round reading program which includes required outside reading during the summer months.

The list is designed to represent a variety of genres, accommodate a range of reading levels, and appeal to a wide range of interests. Choice is a key element in fostering a love of reading, and it is our hope that all students will find one or more books that will grab their attention and make summer reading an enjoyable experience.

The Summer Reading Program includes three books for Honors/AP students and two books for ACP/CP/G levels. Details of the program are described below.

1. Required book(s)

For each required book, students must complete a corresponding study guide, available on the CHS website.

These completed study guides, which must meet assignment requirements and be students' original work, are due by or on Friday, August 14, 2020. Class discussion of the required book(s) will follow upon submission of the study guide.

2. Choice book

For the choice book, students will submit either choice book study questions or a multimedia project due by or on Friday, August 14, 2020. Information outlining the requirements of the choice book study questions and multimedia project will be available on the CHS website.

Rising 12th Graders	REVISED LIST
First required book for ALL -- ACP/CP and Honors Students	<i>Muck City</i> - Bryan Mealer OR <i>The Secret Life of Bees</i> - Sue Monk Kidd
Second Required book for Honors Students <i>Only</i>	<i>1984</i> - George Orwell
List of Choices for ALL -- Honors, ACP, and CP students choose one book from this list.	<i>Jane Eyre</i> - Charlotte Bronte <i>And Then There Were None</i> - Agatha Christie <i>The Story of a Soul</i> - The Autobiography of St. Therese of Lisieux <i>Forget Not Love: The Passion of Maximilian Kolbe</i> - Andre Frossard <i>I Will Always Write Back: How One Letter Changed Two Lives</i> - Martin Ganda & Caitlin Alifirenka

Rising 11th Graders	REVISED LIST
First required book for ALL -- ACP/CP and Honors Students	<i>Man's Search for Meaning</i> - Victor Frankl
Second Required book for Honors Students <i>Only</i>	<i>How to Read Literature Like a Professor</i> REVISED EDITION - Thomas C. Foster
List of Choices for ALL -- Honors, ACP, and CP students choose one book from this list.	<i>The Once and Future King</i> - T.H. White <i>Delta Wedding</i> - Eudora Welty <i>Eight Men Out: The Black Sox and the 1919 World Series</i> - Eliot Asinof <i>The Good Earth</i> - Pearl S. Buck <i>For One More Day</i> - Mitch Albom <i>Peace Like a River</i> - Leif Enger

Rising 10th Graders	REVISED LIST
First required book for ALL -- ACP/CP and Honors Students	<i>The Blind Side</i> - Michael Lewis
Second required book for Honors students <i>Only</i>	<i>Into the Wild</i> - Jon Krakauer
List of Choices for ALL -- Honors, ACP, and CP students choose one book from this list.	<i>Miracle on 49th Street</i> - Mike Lupica <i>My Brother Made Me Do It</i> - Peg Kehr <i>The Family Romanov</i> - Candace Fleming <i>The Martian Chronicles</i> - Ray Bradbury <i>Travels with Charley: In Search of America</i> - John Steinbeck <i>Tuesdays with Morrie: An Old Man, A Young Man, and Life's Greatest Lesson</i> - Mitch Albom

Rising 9th Graders	REVISED LIST
First required book for ALL -- ACP/CP and Honors Students	<i>The Giver</i> - Lois Lowry
Second required book for Honors students <i>Only</i> ; Students choose one book from the two choices.	<i>The Man of the Beatitudes: Pier Giorgio Frassati</i> - Luciana Frassati OR <i>Personal Recollections of Joan of Arc</i> - Mark Twain
List of Choices for ALL -- Honors, ACP, and CP students choose one book from this list.	<i>Food Fix: How to Save Our Health, Our Economy, Our Communities, and Our Planet-One Bite at a Time</i> - Dr. Mark Hyman <i>City of Ember</i> – Jeanne DuPrau <i>Summer Ball</i> - Mike Lupica <i>The Book Thief</i> - Markus Zusak <i>The Lightning Thief—Percy Jackson</i> - Rick Riordan <i>All Quiet on the Western Front</i> - Erich Remarque