

TRINITY CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL - SUMMER READING LIST 2010

Philosophy: *The English Department's philosophy for summer reading is to expose students to novels that complement the curriculum and are recommended by colleges to prepare students for rigorous study.*

Guidelines: *Students must read the required book/s listed by grade. There will be a test covering the book/s on the last day of the first week of school. The test will be based on plot, characters, themes, symbols, and narrative devices. The test grade will count towards the student's first quarter grade. These books may be signed out of a library or purchased from a bookstore.*

GRADE 9

Of Mice and Men John Steinbeck

GRADE 10

A Separate Peace John Knowles

The House on Mango Street Sandra Cisneros

GRADE 11

American Literature:

The Crucible Arthur Miller

A Streetcar Named Desire Tennessee Williams

Advanced Placement English Language and Composition:

Me Talk Pretty One Day David Sedaris

Outliers Malcolm Gladwell

The Adventures of Huckleberry Mark Twain

AND Essay Assignments (see separate AP Language assignment)

GRADE 12

British Literature:

Brave New World Aldous Huxley

Passage to India E.M. Forster

Advanced Placement English Literature and Composition:

Animal Farm George Orwell

Brave New World Aldous Huxley

Macbeth William Shakespeare