



TWINSBURG CITY SCHOOLS
Summer Reading Requirements
for students rising to Grades PS - 12
Summer 2024



Summer Reading

Time Requirement for Reading Log

[Gr. PS-6: Every effort should be made to divide reading time into 50% Fiction and 50% Non-Fiction]

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| IPP/KPP Gr. K | 300 Minutes Total (Approx. 20 min/wk) | Listen to reading or read with an adult | Reading Log available on District website |
| Gr. 1 | 300 Minutes Total (Approx. 20 min/wk) | n/a | Reading Log available on District website |
| Gr. 2 | 300 Minutes Total (Approx. 20 min/wk) | n/a | Reading Log available on District website |
| Gr. 3 | 400 Minutes Total (Approx. 30 min/wk) | n/a | Reading Log available on District website |
| Gr. 4 | Individual Summer Reading Goal | Refer to the Dodge website for information and requirements | Reading and Math Activities available on Dodge website - Forms & Documents |
| Gr. 5 | Individual Summer Reading Goal | Refer to the Dodge website for information and requirements | Reading and Math Activities available on Dodge website - Forms & Documents |
| Gr. 6 | Individual Summer Reading Goal | Refer to the Dodge website for information and requirements | Reading and Math Activities available on Dodge website - Forms & Documents |

****Additional math assignments may also be assigned. Please see district website for specific tasks****

| Course | Title | Honors Titles |
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| RBC Gr. 7 Language Arts | Book of Choice AND Assignment about chosen reading can be found HERE . | <i>I Will Always Write Back</i> by Caitlin Alifirenka and Martin Ganda (Students must purchase book; it will be used in class during the school year.) AND Book of Choice AND Assignment about chosen reading which can be found on the District website. |
| RBC Gr. 8 Language Arts | <i>New Kid</i> by Jerry Craft OR <i>Saving Red</i> by Sonya Sones | <i>The Outsiders</i> by S.E. Hinton AND <i>New Kid</i> by Jerry Craft OR <i>Saving Red</i> by Sonya Sones |
| RBC Honors Social Studies | | <u>Choose one title:</u> <i>Elizabeth I, CEO</i> by Alan Axelrod <i>David and Goliath</i> by Malcolm Gladwell |

| Course | Titles | Honors and AP Titles (Language Arts titles are NOT required reading for Honors & AP classes) |
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| Gr. 9 | <p><i>Speak</i> by Laurie Halse Anderson</p> <p>OR</p> <p><i>Sleeping Freshmen Never Lie</i> by David Lubar</p> | <p><i>A Long Way Home: A Memoir</i> by Saroo Brierley</p> |
| Gr. 10 | <p><i>A Walk Across America</i> by Peter Jenkins</p> <p>OR</p> <p><i>Into the Wild</i> by Jon Krakauer</p> | <p><i>The Great Gatsby</i> by F. Scott Fitzgerald</p> |
| Gr. 10 Personalized Learning Pathway | <p><i>The 7 Habits of Highly Effective Teens</i> by Sean Covey</p> | |
| Gr. 11 | <p><i>Animal Farm</i> by George Orwell</p> <p>OR</p> <p><i>Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-time</i> by Mark Haddon</p> | <p>For AP Language & Composition: 1984 by George Orwell (Book must be purchased as it will be used in class.) AND "Politics and the English Language" available on Google Classroom</p> |
| Writing for Civic Engagement | <p>TBD</p> <p><i>Animal Farm</i> by George Orwell</p> <p>OR</p> <p><i>Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-time</i> by Mark Haddon</p> | |
| Gr. 12 and Social Justice in Literature | <p><i>Kite Runner</i> by Khaled Hosseini</p> <p>OR</p> <p><i>Educated</i> by Tara Westover</p> | <p>For AP English Literature: Kite Runner by Khaled Hosseini AND Things Fall Apart by Chinua Achebe</p> |
| Exploration of Black Voices in Literature | <p><i>Things Fall Apart</i> by Chinua Achebe</p> <p>OR</p> <p><i>Homegoing</i> by Yaa Gyasi</p> | |
| College I Writing | | <p>For College I Writing: Kite Runner by Khaled Hosseini Things Fall Apart by Chinua Achebe</p> |

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Note: If parents have a concern about a required reading title, they may contact the teacher for an alternative selection.