

Honors Suggested Reading List

Middle Ages and Renaissance

Shakespeare- Any esp. Hamlet, Romeo and Juliet
Boccaccio- Decameron
Cervantes- Don Quixote
Chaucer- Canterbury Tales
Dante- The Divine Comedy
Malory- Le Morte D'Arthur

18th Century

Defoe- Robinson Crusoe
Fielding- Tom Jones
Swift- Gulliver's Travels
Voltaire- Candide

19th Century

Austen- Pride and Prejudice
Bronte, E.- Wuthering Heights
Bronte, C.- Jane Eyre
Carroll- Alice's Adventures in Wonderland
Chopin- The Awakening
Cooper- The last of the Mohicans
Crane- The Red Badge of Courage
Dickens- Great Expectations, Oliver Twist, Hard Times, Bleak House, Our Mutual Friend, Tale of Two Cities, David Copperfield, Little Dorrit
Dostoevski- The Brothers Karamazov, Crime and Punishment
Douglas- The Robe
Doyle- Sherlock Holmes, Collected Stories
Dumas- The Three Musketeers,
Eliot- Middlemarch, The Mill on the Floss
Flaubert- Madame Bovary
Goethe- Faust
Hardy- Tess of D'Urbervilles
Hawthorne- The Scarlet Letter
Hugo- Les Miserables
Melville- Moby Dick
Poe- Short Stories
Shelly, M- Frankenstein
Stendhal- The Red and the Black
Stevenson- Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde
Stoker, B- Dracula
Thackeray- War and Peace, Anna Karenina
Twain- Tom Sawyer, Huckleberry Finn
Wilde- The Picture of Dorian Gray
Zola- Germinal

Modern Period

Baldwin- Go Tell it on the Mountain
Bellow- Seize the Day
Bradbury- Fahrenheit 451
Camus- The Stranger, The Plague
Conrad- The Heart of darkness, Lord Jim
Ellison- Invisible Man
Faulker- The Sound and the Fury, As I lay dying, The Hamlet, The Reivers, Intruder in the Dust, Absalom, Absalom..
Fitzgerald- The Great Gatsby, Tender is the night
Fowles- The French Lieutenant's Woman
Frank- The Diary of Anne Frank
Callico, P- The Snow Goose
Golding- The lord of the flies
Grass, Gunter- Tin Drum
Heller, J.- Catch-22
Hemingway- The Sun Also Rises, Farewell to Arms, For Whom The Bell Tolls
Huxley- Brave New World
Joyce- Portrait of the Artist as a Young Man, Dubliners, Ulysses

Kerouac, J. – On the Road
Lawrence- Sons and Lovers, Women in Love, The Rainbow, Lady Chatterly's Lover
Lee, Harper- To Kill A Mockingbird

Mann- Death In Venice
Maugham- Of Human Bondage, The Razor's Edge
Mitchell, M.- Gone with the Wind
Nabokov, V.- Lolita
Orwell- 1984, Animal Farm
Patten, A.- Cry of the Beloved Country
Plath, S.- The Bell Jar
Proust- Remembrance of Things Past
Rand- Atlas Shugged, The Fountainhead
Rawlings- The Yearling
Salinger- The Catcher in the Rye
Steinbeck- The Grapes of Wrath, East of Eden
Trumbo- Johnny Got His Gun
Waugh- The Loved One
Wells- War of the Worlds
Wolfe- To the Lighthouse, Mrs. Dalloway, A Room of One's Own
Wouke- The Caine Mutiny, The Winds of War
Wright- Native Son, Black Boy

Contemporary

Atwood- The Handmaid's Tale, Cat's Eye
Cather- Death Comes to the Archbishop, My Antonia
Craven, M.- I Heard the Owl Call My Name
Cronin- Song of Sixpence
Davies, F.- Fifth Business, The Manticore, World of Wonders
Doctorow- Ragtime
Ellison- The Invisible Man
Exley- A Fan's Note
French- The Woman's Room, Bleeding Heart
Harrison- A Good Day to Die
Kovic- Born on the Fourth of July
Malamud- The Assistant
Maya Angelou- I Know Why the Caged Bird Sings
Morrison, T.- Beloved
O'Brien- Going After Cacciato, If I Die in a Combat Zone
Pot- The Chosen
Tolkien- The Hobbit, The Lord of the Rings trilogy
Solzhenitsyn- On Day in the Life of Ivan Denisovich
Vonnegut- Slaughterhouse Five
Weisel- Night, Dawn

Other Possibilities

Dear America: Letters Home From Vietnam
The Eight
Lonesome Dove

