## **SUMMER ASSIGNMENT**

English 4 CP 2025-26

## **READ**

- Select a fiction or nonfiction book that is at or above your reading level.
  - You are encouraged to look at several end-of-year "Best of" lists and/or ask your friends and relatives for recommendations. Ultimately, however, it's your choice. Before you commit to the book, read a few pages in the beginning and middle to see if you like the author's style.
  - o It must be a book you have not read previously.

## WHILE YOU'RE READING

- Give the book a chance.
  - If you've fallen out of love with reading in years past, give yourself the
    opportunity to fall back in love with it. If you've continued to be a reader
    over the years, give yourself time to continue to grow your reading
    identity.

## AFTER YOU'RE FINISHED READING

- Be prepared to work with the book.
  - There will be an assignment to complete upon your return to school.

Purchasing the book is not required. Borrowing a book, such as from the Cincinnati Public Library, is totally cool. Listening to an audiobook is also totally cool. Either way, you will need to have access to a hard copy or ebook version of the book at the beginning of the school year. So, extend that library borrowing period as long as you can or—if you've chosen the audiobook route—request a hard copy or ebook version early enough so you have it for the first month of school.

**Questions?** Email Mr. Weiss

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