English 9 Summer Work 2025



English 9 (College Prep)

Summer Reading 2025

Due Date: Monday, August 25 (first day of school)

In charting a reading program for our students, we are aware that while we cannot mandate a love of reading, we can encourage a habit of reading. We encourage this habit by asking our students to read over the summer and to be able to discuss what they have read when they return in the fall. We hope to accomplish these goals:

- To encourage students to read for pleasure
- To teach students to become critical readers/thinkers
- To encourage students to analyze reading through writing
- To develop oral communication skills

Students should select <u>two</u> books from the <u>Recommended Books</u>. These books should be selections that the student has never read before.

These texts are recommended as high-interest works; however, some books may contain controversial material. Students should research their selection with their parents to make sure it's right for their family. If you have any questions, please contact Stephanie Arnold, English Curriculum Chair, at Stephanie.Arnold@stewardschool.org.

Students who enroll after August 18 should contact Mrs. Arnold for an abbreviated summer reading assignment.

Audio books may be used to supplement the texts, but they may not be used in isolation.

There will be an assessment during the first two weeks of school.

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