**Incline High School—Summer Reading Program 2024**

**All IHS** students will read **two books** over the summer break. Your English teacher will ask you to write about the books you read so be prepared for an assignment at the start of school. The lists below include the **required reading for English AP classes**, as well as suggested books or authors you might like. Keep in mind that this is summer reading, and you should choose books that you enjoy! Your choices do not have to come from the suggested list below but should be grade-level appropriate. We expect all newly enrolled students to complete this reading assignment as well, and they should see their English teacher about it on their first day.

**Students in AP English Language and AP English Literature have specific books that you MUST read before school starts:**

**12th Grade—Advanced Placement Literature and Composition** read in this order:

*The Things They Carried* O’Brien, Tim

*1984*  Orwell, George

*Things Fall Apart*  Achebe, Chinua

**11th Grade Advanced Placement Language and Composition**

*The Crucible*  Miller, Arthur

*One Flew over The Cuckoo’s Nest*  Kesey, Ken

*The Road*  McCarthy, Cormac

**Suggestions for all other students, including incoming 9th graders:**

**Fiction: Young Adult Recommendation** (also try other books by these popular authors)

All American Boys Reynolds, Jason and Kiely Brendan

Allegedly Jackson, Tiffany D**.**

Backfield Boys or The Prodigy Feinstein, John

Children of Blood and Bone Adeyemi, Tomi

Darius the Great Is Not Okay Khorram, Adib

Demon Copperhead Kingsolver, Barbara

Dig King, A.S.

Everything Sad is Untrue Nayeri, Daniel

Forgive Me, Leonard Peacock Quick, Matthew

Furia Mendez, Yamile Saied

Firekeeper’s Daughter Boulley, Angeline

It Ends with Us Hoover, Colleen

It Sounded Better in My Head Kenwood, Nina

Mexican Whiteboy De La Pena, Matt

My Life as an Ice Cream Sandwich Zoboi, Ibi

Neanderthal Opens the Door to the Universe Norton, Preston

Opposite of Always Reynolds, Justin A.

Patron Saints of Nothing Ribay, Randy

Promise Boys Brooks, Nick

Refugee Gratz, Alan

Scythe Shusterman, Neal

The Girl Who Fell from the Sky Durrow, Heidi

The Girls I’ve Been Sharpe, Tess

The Good Girl Kubica, Mary

The Kids Are Gonna Ask Anthony, Gretchen

The Nickel Boys Whitehead, Colson

There There Orange, Tommy

The Rest of Us Just Live Here Ness, Patrick

The Revolution of Evelyn Serrano Manzano, Sonia

The Serpent King Zentner, Jeff

The Starless Sea Morgenstern, Erin

**Fiction Series (book 1)**

Chaos Walking Ness, Patrick

Grisha Trilogy Bardugo, Leigh

Legend Series or others Lu, Marie

Red Queen Aveyard, Victoria

Storm Breaker Horowitz, Anothny

The Bone Season or The Song Rising Shannon, Samantha

The Testing Charbonneau, Joelle

Three Dark Crowns Blake, Kendare

The Wrath and the Dawn Ahdieh, Renee



**Non-Fiction**

Fly Boys: A True Story of Courage Bradley, James

Fly Girls: How Five Daring Women Defied… O’Brien, Keith

Solito Zamora, Javier

Street Life Rios, Victor

The Baseball Whisperer Tackett, Michael

The Devil’s Highway: A True Story Urrea, Luis Alberto

The Girl Who Escaped Isis: This Is My Story Khalaf, Farida

The 57 Bus Slater, Dashka

The 29th Day: Surviving a Grizzly Attack Messenger, Alex

Wolf Boys Slater, Dan



**Literature**

A Tree Grows in Brooklyn Smith, Betty

Catcher in the Rye Salinger, J. D.

How the Garcia Girls Lost Their Accent Alvarez, Julia

Jane Eyre Bronte, Charlotte

Portrait of Dorian Grey Wilde, Oscar

Slaughterhouse Five Vonnegut, Kurt

Wuthering Heights Bronte, Emily

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