

Fox Chapel Area High School Summer Reading List

Title	Author	Genre / Topic	Level
<i>1776</i>	David McCullough	History	2
<i>7 Habits of Highly Effective People</i>	Stephen R. Covey	Business	1
<i>About Three Bricks Shy of a Full Load</i>	Roy Blount Jr.	Non-Fiction/ Sports (Local Interest-Steelers)	1
<i>Absalom, Absalom</i>	William Faulkner	Fiction- Classic	3
<i>Absolute True Diary of a Part-Time Indian</i>	Alexi Sherman	Fiction- YA	1
<i>Adrian Mole Diaries, The</i>	Sue Townsend	Fiction- YA	1
<i>Alchemist, The</i>	Paulo Coelho	Contemporary Fiction	2
<i>Alive</i>	Piers Paul Read	Non-fiction-Adventure	2
<i>American Childhood, An</i>	Annie Dillard	Memoir/ Local	2
<i>And Then There Were None</i>	Agatha Christie	Mystery	1
<i>Andromeda Strain, The</i>	Michael Crichton	Science Fiction	1
<i>Angela's Ashes</i>	Frank McCourt	Memoir- Irish	2
<i>Animal Dreams</i>	Barbara Kingsolver	Contemporary Fiction	2
<i>Anthem</i>	Ayn Rand	Science Fiction	3
<i>Anthony and Cleopatra</i>	William Shakespeare	Drama	3
<i>As I Lay Dying</i>	William Faulkner	Fiction- Classic	2
<i>Atonement</i>	Ian McEwan	Contemporary Fiction	3
<i>Autobiography of Malcolm X, The</i>	Alex Haley and Malcolm X	Non-fiction/ Biography	2
<i>Awakening, The</i>	Kate Chopin	Classic Fiction	2
<i>Band of Brothers</i>	Stephen E. Ambrose	History	2
<i>Big Fish</i>	Daniel Wallace	Contemporary Fiction	2
<i>Black Like Me</i>	John Howard Griffin	Fiction, African American	2
<i>Bless Me, Ultima</i>	Rudolfo Anaya	Fiction	
<i>Brave New World</i>	Aldous Huxley	Science Fiction/ Dystopia	2
<i>Bridge of San Luis Rey, The</i>	Thornton Wilder	Fiction	2
<i>Call of the Wild, The</i>	Jack London	Adventure	2
<i>Camelot (The Play)</i>	Lerner & Loewe	Drama	3
<i>Candide</i>	Voltaire	Fiction- Classic	3

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<i>Catch- 22</i>	Joseph Heller	Fiction- Social Satire	2
<i>Chocolate War, The</i>	Robert Cormier	Fiction- YA	1
<i>Chosen, The</i>	Chaim Potok	Fiction- Jewish	2
<i>Christmas Carol, A</i>	Charles Dickens	Fiction- Classic	2
<i>Chronicles of Narnia, The</i>	CS Lewis	Fantasy	1
<i>Cold Sassy Tree</i>	Olive Ann Burns	Contemporary Fiction	2
<i>Color of Water, The</i>	James McBride	Memoir- African American	2
<i>Color Purple, The</i>	Alice Walker	Fiction, African American	2
<i>Crazy Horse Electric Game, The</i>	Chris Crutcher	Fiction- YA	1
<i>Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time</i>	Mark Haddon	Fiction- Autism	1
<i>David Copperfield</i>	Charles Dickens	Fiction- Classic	3
<i>Dharma Bums, The</i>	Jack Kerouac	Fiction- Philosophy	3
<i>Dr. Faustus</i>	Christopher Marlowe	Drama	3
<i>Dr. Jekyll & Mr. Hyde</i>	Robert Louis Stevenson	Mystery	2
<i>Dracula</i>	Bram Stoker	Fantasy / Horror	2
<i>Education of Little Tree, The</i>	Forrest Carter	Contemporary Fiction- Native American	1
<i>Emma</i>	Jane Austen	Fiction- Classic	2
<i>Ender's Game</i>	Orson Scott Card	Science Fiction- YA	1
<i>Extremely Loud & Incredibly Close</i>	Jonathan Safran Foer	Contemporary Fiction	2
<i>Fahrenheit 451</i>	Ray Bradbury	Science Fiction / Dystopia	2
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<i>Fast Food Nation</i>	Eric Schlosser	Nonfiction/ Food	2
<i>Fever Pitch</i>	Nick Hornsby	Non-Fiction/ Sports	2
<i>Glass Castle, The</i>	Jeannette Wall	Memoir	1
<i>Grapes of Wrath, The</i>	John Steinbeck	Classic Fiction	3
<i>Graveyard Book, The</i>	Neil Gaiman	YA/ Fantasy	1
<i>Great Expectations</i>	Charles Dickens	Historical Fiction	3

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<i>Great Tales and Poems of Edgar Allan Poe</i>	Edgar Allen Poe	Short Stories	2
<i>Haunting of Hill House, A</i>	Shirley Jackson	Horror	2
<i>Help, The</i>	Karen Stockette	Fiction-1960's	2
<i>Hiroshima</i>	John Hersey	Nonfiction	2
<i>Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy</i>	Douglas Adams	Science Fiction	2
<i>Hobbit, The</i>	J.R.R. Tolkien	Fiction-Fantasy	2
<i>Hound of the Baskervilles, The</i>	Sir Arthur Conan Doyle	Mystery	2
<i>I Know Why the Caged Bird Sings</i>	Maya Angelou	Fiction-African American	2
<i>Illusions: The Adventures of a Reluctant Messiah</i>	Richard Bach	Philosophy	2
<i>Illustrated Man, The</i>	Ray Bradbury	Science Fiction	1
<i>In Our Time</i>	Ernest Hemingway	Fiction, Short Stories	2
<i>In the Heart of the Sea: The Tragedy of the Whaleship Essex</i>	Nat Philbrick	Nonfiction, Adventure	2
<i>Into the Wild</i>	Jon Krakauer	Nonfiction, Adventure	2
<i>Into Thin Air</i>	Jon Krakauer	Non-fiction-Adventure	2
<i>Intruder in the Dust</i>	William Faulkner	Classic Fiction	3
<i>Ironman</i>	Chris Crutcher	Fiction- YA	1
<i>Isaac's Storm</i>	Eric Larson	Nonfiction	2
<i>Jitterbug Perfume</i>	Tom Robbins	Contemporary Fiction	2
<i>Joy Luck Club, The</i>	Amy Tan	Fiction- Asian	2
<i>Jungle, The</i>	Upton Sinclair	Fiction- Social Commentary	2
<i>Kitchen God's Wife, The</i>	Amy Tan	Fiction-Asian	2
<i>Kite Runner, The</i>	Khaled Hosseini	Contemporary Fiction	2
<i>Last of the Breed</i>	Louis L'Amour	Fiction-Adventure	1
<i>Leaves of Grass</i>	Walt Whitman	Classic Fiction	2
<i>Lesson Before Dying, A</i>	Ernest Gaines	Memoir, African American	1
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<i>Lies my Teacher Told Me</i>	James W. Loewen	Non-Fiction	3

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<i>Life of Pi</i>	Yann Martel	Contemporary Fiction	3
<i>Long Valley, The</i>	John Steinbeck	Fiction, Short Stories	2
<i>Long Way Gone: Memoirs of a Boy Soldier, A</i>	Ishmael Beah	Memoir	2
<i>Fellowship of the Rings</i>	J.R.R. Tolkien	Fantasy	2
<i>Lovely Bones, The</i>	Alice Sebold	Contemporary Fiction	1
<i>Lovesong of J Alfred Prufrock</i>	T.S. Eliot	Poetry - Classic	3
<i>Martian Chronicles, The</i>	Ray Bradbury	Fantasy	1
<i>Monster</i>	Walter Dean Meyers	Fiction- YA	1
<i>My Antonia</i>	Willa Cather	Fiction- Classic	2
<i>Mysteries of Pittsburgh</i>	Michael Chabon	Fiction/ Local	2
<i>Narrative of the Life of Frederick Douglass, An American Slave</i>	Frederick Douglass	Nonfiction	2
<i>O! Pioneers</i>	Willa Cather	Classic Fiction	3
<i>Old Man and the Sea, The</i>	Ernest Hemingway	Classic Fiction	2
<i>Oliver Twist</i>	Charles Dickens	Fiction- Classic	3
<i>Once and Future King, The</i>	T.H. White	Fiction- Fantasy	3
<i>One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest</i>	Ken Kesey	Fiction	2
<i>One Hundred Years of Solitude</i>	Gabriel Garcia Marquez	Magical Realism- Latino	3
<i>Our Town</i>	Thornton Wilder	Drama	1
<i>Perks of Being a Wallflower, The</i>	Stephen Chbosky	Fiction- YA	1
<i>Phantom of the Opera, The</i>	Gaston Leroux	Fiction- Classic	3
<i>Poisonwood Bible, The</i>	Barbara Kingsolver	Contemporary Fiction	2
<i>Prayer for Owen Meany</i>	John Irving	Contemporary Fiction	2
<i>Pride and Prejudice</i>	Jane Austin	Classic Fiction	3
<i>Rebecca</i>	Daphne Du Maurie	Fiction- Classic	2
<i>Road from Coorain, The</i>	Jill Ker Conway	Memoir	3
<i>Season on the Brink</i>	John Feinstein	Non-Fiction/ Sports	1
<i>Secret Life of Bees, The</i>	Sue Monk Kidd	Contemporary Fiction	1
<i>Sent for You Yesterday</i>	John Edgar Wideman	Fiction, Local	3
<i>Siddhartha</i>	Hermann Hesse	Philosophy	2

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<i>Single Shard, A</i>	Linda Sue Park	Fiction- YA	1
<i>Slaughterhouse-Five</i>	Kurt Vonnegut	Fiction-Social Satire	2
<i>Snow Falling on Cedars</i>	David Guterson	Contemporary Fiction	3
<i>Something for Joey</i>	Richard E. Peck	Nonfiction- YA Sport	1
<i>Sound and the Fury</i>	William Faulkner	Classic Fiction	3
<i>Speak</i>	Laurie Halse Anderson	Fiction- YA	1
<i>Step from Heaven, A</i>	Anne Na	Poetry- Asian-American	1
<i>Stranger in a Strange Land</i>	Robert Heinlein	Sci-Fi	3
<i>Tales from the Jazz Age</i>	F. Scott Fitzgerald	Fiction	2
<i>This Boy's Life</i>	Tobias Wolf	Memoir	2
<i>Thousand Acres, A</i>	Jane Smiley	Contemporary Fiction	2
<i>Time Machine, The</i>	H.G. Wells	Science Fiction	2
<i>Twelfth Night</i>	William Shakespeare	Drama	3
<i>Uncle Tom's Cabin</i>	Harriet Beecher Stowe	Fiction, African American	2
<i>Walden</i>	Henry David Thoreau	Memoir- Nature	2
<i>Walk in the Woods, A</i>	Bill Bryson	Non-Fiction/ Travel	2
<i>Water for Elephants</i>	Sara Gruen	Contemporary Fiction	2
<i>Watership Down</i>	Richard Adams	Classic Fiction	3
<i>Winesburg, Ohio</i>	Sherwood Anderson	Fiction/ Regional lit.	2
<i>Wuthering Heights</i>	Charlotte Bronte	Romance Classic	3
<i>Yellow Raft in Blue Water, A</i>	Frank Dorris	Fiction- Native American	2
<i>Zen and the Art of Motorcycle Maintenance</i>	Robert M. Pirsig	Philosophy	3
<i>Zorba the Greek</i>	Nikos Kazantzakis	Fiction- Philosophy	3
Explanation of Book Levels			
Level One: Entry Level/ Young-Adult/ High -Interest/ Straight Ahead Challenge			

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Level Two: Mid-Level/ Classics/ Moderate Challenge			
Level Three: High-Level/ Classics/ Complex Language/ Significant Challenge			