

CAPA SUMMER 2020 READING LIST

PARENT/GUARDIAN: Please review the Summer Reading List and please arrange for your child to read the books required for the grade they will be entering in August 2019. They will be held responsible for demonstrating understanding of these readings by **Tuesday September 3rd, 2019.**

Additionally, AP ELA courses have a paper due on the first day of school. These assignments should be obtained *before* the end of the 2019 school year; ask your English teachers.

9th Grade: *I Know Why The Caged Bird Sings* by Maya Angelou
Of Mice and Men by John Steinbeck

10th Grade *Life of Pi* by Yann Martel
The Piano Lesson by August Wilson

11th Grade: *The Tortilla Curtain* by T.C Boyle
Outliers: The Story of Success by Malcolm Gladwell

11th Grade AP: *Thank You for Arguing: What Aristotle, Lincoln, And Homer Simpson Can Teach Us About The Art of Persuasion* by Jay Heinrichs
Freakonomics: A Rogue Economist Explores the Hidden Side of Everything by University of Chicago economist Steven Levitt and New York Times journalist Stephen J. Dubner
**Be sure to obtain a copy of the summer reading assignment due on the first day back to school.*

12th Grade: *A Thousand Splendid Suns* by Khaled Hosseini
The Other Wes Moore by Wes Moore

12th Grade AP: *A Handmaid's Tale* by Margaret Atwood
A Thousand Splendid Suns by Khaled Hosseini
How to Read Literature Like a Professor by Thomas C. Foster

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Assignment should be created on Google Drive and shared with: rharr@philasd.org before the first day of school.

ALL GRADES: You may purchase your own copy of:

MLA Handbook for Writers of Research Papers, 8th ed., Gibaldi, J., The Modern Language Association of America, New York, 2016. ISBN: 9781603292627 (Paperback)

OR

You may access - The Purdue University Online Writing Lab for general writing resources, MLA formatting and style guide at:

<http://owl.english.purdue.edu/>

Students will be expected to follow these rules in their writing at CAPA and in college.

***The summer reading list and AP summer assignments will also be available on the school's website.**