**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  
*Be sure to obtain a copy of the summer reading assignment due on the first day back to school.

**ALL GRADES:** You may purchase your own copy of:  
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.*