

PARKLAND SCHOOL DISTRICT

2007 Summer Reading Lists for *Students Entering 12th Grade*

Title

*A Doll's House
All Quiet on the Western Front
*A Lesson Before Dying
*A Long Day's Journey Into Night
*Alive
Childhood's End
*Diary of Anne Frank
*Awakening
*Birthday Party
*Brave New World
*Candide
The Complete Works of Saki
The Count of Monte Cristo
*Cry, the Beloved Country
Doctor Faustus
*Edward II
*Hamlet
*Heart of Darkness
*Inferno/Divine Comedy
Island of Doctor Moreau
*King Lear
*Madame Bovary
Major Barbara
A Man for All Seasons
A Modest Proposal
*Much Ado About Nothing
*Murder in the Cathedral
*No Exit
*Of Human Bondage
*On the Beach
*One Day in the Life of Ivan Denisovich
*Paradise Lost
Passage to India
The Picture of Dorian Gray
Pilgrim's Progress
*Points of View
*Portrait of an Artist as a Young Man

Author

Ibsen, Henrik
Remarque,
Gaines, Ernest
O'Neil, Eugene
Piers, Paul
Clarke, Arthur C.
Frank, Anne
Chopin, Kate
Pinter, Harold
Huxley, Aldous
Voltaire
Munro, H.H.
Dumas, Alexandre
Paton, Alan
Marlowe, Christopher
Marlowe, Christopher
Shakespeare, William
Conrad, Joseph
Dante
Capek, Karel
Shakespeare, William
Flaubert, Gustave
Shaw, George Bernard
Bolt, Robert
Swift, Jonathan
Shakespeare, William
Eliot, T.S.
Sartre, Jean Paul
Maugham, W. Somerset
Shute, Nevil
Solzhenitsyn, Aleksandr
Milton, John
Forster, E.M.
Wilde, Oscar
Bunyan, John
Moffett, James (editor)
Joyce, James

The Power and Glory	Greene, Graham
The Prince	Machievelli
Things Fall Apart	Achebe, Chinua
Return of the Native	Hardy, Thomas
*Rosencrantz and Guildenstern Are Dead	Stoppard, Tom
*Siddhartha	Hesse, Herman
*Slaughterhouse Five	Vonnegut, Kurt
*The Metamorphosis	Kafka, Franz
*The Piano Lesson	Wilson, August
*The Stranger	Camus, Albert
*The Sun Also Rises	Hemmingway, Ernest
*The Trial	Kafka, Franz
Urfaust	Goethe, Johann Wolfgang
Vanity Fair	Thackeray, William

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NOTE: This list has been compiled by Parkland High School English teachers and Librarians, using the Parkland curriculum and the American Library Association's recommended lists.

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12th Grade LEISURE READING Titles

<u>Title</u>	<u>Author</u>
An Abundance of Katherines	Green, John
A Single Shard	Park, Linda Sue
All That Remains	Brooks, Bruce
Amandine	Griffin, Adele
Amber Spyglass	Pullman, Phillip
Being Dead	Vande Velde, Vivian
Black Mirror	Werlin, Nancy
Blizzard: The Storm That Changed America	Murphy, Jim
Born Blue	Nolan, Han
Boston Jane: An Adventure	Holm, Jennifer
Bound for the North Star: True Stories of Fugitive Slaves	Brindell Fradin, Dennis
Breaking Through	Jimenez, Francisco
Breathing Underwater	Flinn, Alex
Brimstone Journals	Koertge, Ron
Color of Absence: Twelve Stories about Loss and Hope	Howe, James
Counting Coup: The True Story of Basketball and Honor on the Little Big Horn	Colton, Larry

Damage	Jenkins, A. M.
Edge on the Sword	Tingle, Rebecca
Eight Seconds	Ferris, Jean
Empress of the World	Ryan, Sara
Every Time a Rainbow Dies	Williams-Garcia, Rita
Failure is Impossible: The History of American Women's Rights	Kendall, Martha
Fair Weather	Peck, Richard
Feeling Sorry for Celia	Moriarty, Jaclyn
Fighting for Honor: Japanese Americans and World War II	Cooper, Michael
Fighting Reuben Wolfe	Zusak, Markus
Fire Bringer	Clements-Davies, David
Freewill	Lynch, Chris
George Washington and the Founding of a Nation	Marrin, Albert
Greatest: Muhammad Ali	Myers, Walter Dean
Heart to Heart: New Poems Inspired by Twentieth-Century American Art	Greenberg, Jan
Hidden Evidence: Forty True Crimes and How Forensic Science Helped Solve Them	Owen, David
Into the New Country: Eight Remarkable Women of the West	Ketchum, Liza
Land	Taylor, Mildred
Leslie's Journal	Stratton, Allan
Lord of the Deep	Salisbury, Graham
Love and Sex: Ten Stories of Truth	Cart, Michael
Motherland	Vijayaraghaven, Vineeta
On the Fringe	Gallo, Don
Other Side of Truth	Naidoo, Beverly
Rainbow Boys	Sanchez, Alex
Razzle	Wittlinger, Ellen
Rooster	Weaver, Beth
Secret Sacrament	Jordan, Sherryl
Seek	Fleischman, Paul
Shades of Simon Gray	McDonald, Joyce
Shadow of the Hegemon	Card, Orson Scott
Shout, Sister, Shout! Ten Girl Singers Who Shaped a Century	Orgill, Roxane
Sights	Vance, Susanna
Spellbound	McDonald, Janet
Squire	Pierce, Tamora
Step from Heaven	Na, An
Stones of Mourning Creek	Les Becquets, Diane
Surrender	Hartnett, Sonya
The Astonishing Life of Octavian Nothing, Traitor...	Anderson, M.T.
The Grave	Heneghan, James

The Sisterhood of the Traveling Pants
Things I Have to Tell You: Poems and Writing
by Teenage Girls
Treasure at the Heart of the Tanglewood
Troy
True Believer
Voices: Poetry and Art From Around the World
We Were There, Too! Young People in U.S. History
Whale Talk
What My Mother Doesn't Know
Words with Wings: A Treasury of African-American
Poetry and Art
Yell-OH Girls!: Emerging Voices Explore Culture,
Identity and Growing-Up Asian American
You Don't Know Me

Brashares, Ann
Franco, Betsy

Pierce, Meredith Ann
Geras, Adele
Wolff, Virginia Euwer
Brenner, Barbara
Hoose, Phillip
Crutcher, Chris
Sones, Sonya
Rochelle, Belinda

Nam, Vickie

Klass, David

OUTSTANDING BOOKS FOR THE COLLEGE BOUND

If you plan to continue your education beyond high school, these books can:

- Strengthen your knowledge of literature past and present in a variety of subjects.
- Round out your reading before college entrance examinations and college courses.
- Provide a reading list for independent learning.

Selections have been made on the basis of each book's proven or potential appeal and value to young adults. The works span a variety of subjects as well as a broad range of reading and maturity levels. Parental discretion is advised as some works contain controversial issues and/or mature subject matter or language.

FICTION

Title

Adventures of Huckleberry Finn
All Quiet on the Western Front
Animal Dreams
Animal Farm
Autobiography of Miss Jane Pittman
Awakening
Bastard Out of Carolina
Beauty
Beekeeper's Apprentice, or, on the Segregation
of the Queen
Beloved
Bless Me, Ultima
Bluest Eye
Brave New World
Briar Rose
Bride Price
Catch-22
Catcher in the Rye
China Boy
Chocolate War
Chosen
Chosen
Cold Mountain
Crime and Punishment
Cry, the Beloved Country
Death in the Family
Ellen Foster
Ender's Game
Everything That Rises Must Converge
Fahrenheit 451
Farewell to Arms
Fixer
Gathering of Old Men
Grapes of Wrath
Grass Dancer
Great Expectations
Great Gatsby
Grendel
House on Mango Street
How the Garcia Girls Lost Their Accents
In Country
In the Time of Butterflies
Invisible Man

Author

Twain, Mark
Remarque, Erich Maria
Kingsolver, Barbara
Orwell, George
Gaines, Ernest J.
Chopin, Kate
Allison, Dorothy
McKinley, Robin
King, Laurie R.

Morrison, Toni
Anaya, Rudolfo
Morrison, Toni
Huxley, Aldous
Yolen, Jane
Emecheta, Buchi
Heller, Joseph
Salinger, J. D.
Lee, Gus
Cormier, Robert
Potok, Chaim
Potok, Chaim
Frazier, Charles
Dostoyevsky, Ralph
Paton, Alan
Agee, James
Gibbons, Kaye
Card, Orson Scott
O'Connor, Flannery
Bradbury, Ray
Hemingway, Ernest
Malamud, Bernard
Gaines, Ernest J.
Steinbeck, John
Power, Susan
Dickens, Charles
Fitzgerald, F. Scott
Gardner, John
Cisneros, Sandra
Alvarez, Julia
Mason, Bobbi Ann
Alvarez, Julia
Ellison, Ralph

Jane Eyre
Joy of Luck Club
Killer Angels
Left Hand of Darkness
Lesson Before Dying
Like Water for Chocolate
Lord of the Flies
Lord of the Rings
Member of the Wedding
Montana
Native Son
Nectar in a Sieve
Nothing But the Truth
Of Mice and Men
Old Man and the Sea
One Day in the Life of Ivan Denisovich
Ordinary Love and Good Will
Painted Bird
Parable of the Sower
Picture Bride
Portable Faulkner
Schindler's List
Selected Tales of Edgar Allan Poe
Shizuko's Daughter
Siddhartha
Slaughterhouse-Five, or the Children's Crusade
Stranger
The Bear
The Handmaid's Tale
Things Fall Apart
Things They Carried: A Work of Fiction
To Kill A Mockingbird
Way Past Cool
Yellow Raft in Blue Water

BIOGRAPHY

An American Girl: Scenes From a Small-Town
Childhood
Anne Frank Remembered: The Story of the Woman
Who Helped to Hide the Frank Family
Autobiography of Malcolm X
Black Boy: A Record of Childhood and Youth
Born on the Fourth of July
Bronx Primitive: Portraits in a Childhood
Capote: A Biography
Coming of Age in Mississippi

Bronte, Charlotte
Tan, Amy
Shaara, Michael
LeGuin, Ursula
Gaines, Ernest
Esquivel, Laura
Golding, William
Tolkien, J. R. R.
McCullers, Carson
Watson, Larry
Wright, Richard
Markandaya, Kamala
Avi
Steinbeck, John
Hemingway, Ernest
Solzhenitsyn, Aleksandr
Smiley, Jane
Kosinski, Jerzy
Butler, Octavia
Uchida, Yoshiko
Faulkner, William
Keneally, Thomas
Poe, Edgar Allan
Mori, Kyoko
Hesse, Herman
Vonnegut, Kurt
Camus, Albert
Faulkner, William
Atwood, Margaret
Achebe, Chinua
O'Brien, Tim
Lee, Harper
Mowry, Jess
Dorris, Michael

Cantwell, Mary

Gies, Miep

Haley, Alex
Wright, Richard
Kovic, Ron
Simon, Kate
Clarke, Gerald
Moody, Anne

Dance to the Piper	DeMille, Agnes
Days of Grace: A Memoir	Ashe, Arthur
E. B. White: Some Writer!	Gherman, Beverly
Eleanor Roosevelt: Vol. 1: 1884-1933	Wilson Cooke, Blanche
Growing Up	Baker, Russell
Having Our Say: The Delany Sisters First Two Years	
Honor Bound: A Gay American Fights for the Right to Serve His Country	Steffan, Joseph
I Know Why the Caged Bird Sings	Angelou, Maya
I, Rigoberta Menchu: An Indian Woman in Guatemala	Menchu, Rigoberta
Kaffir Boy: The True Story of a Black Youth's Coming of Age in Apartheid South Africa	Mathabane, Mark
Lakota Woman	
	Crow Dog, Mary and Erdoes, Richard
Loss of Eden: A Biography of Charles and Anne Morrow Lindbergh	Milton, Joyce
Louis Armstrong: An American Success Story	
Madame Curie	Collier, James Lincoln
Me Me Me Me Me: Not a Novel	Curie, Eve
Nicholas and Alexandra	Kerr, M. E.
Road From Corrain	Massie, Robert
Soul to Soul: A Black Russian American Family, 1865-1992	Conway, Jill Ker
Sound of Wings: The Life of Amelia Earhart	Khanga, Yelena and Jacoby, Susan
Sound-Shadows of the New World	Lovell, Mary S.
This Boy's Life: A Memoir	Mehta, Ved
This Little Light of Mine: The Life of Fannie Lou Hanner	Wolff, Tobias
To Destroy You is No Loss: The Odyssey of a Cambodian Family	Mills, Kay
Truman	Criddle, Joan D. and Butt Mam, Teeda
Woman in the Mists: The Story of Dian Fossey and the Mountain Gorillas of Africa	McCullough, David G.
	Mowat, Farley

NONFICTION

All the President's Men	Bernstein, Carl and Woodward, Bob
	Rodriguez, Luis
Always Running: La Vida Loca, Gang Days in LA	Faludi, Susan
Backlash: The Undeclared War Against American Women	
Barbarians at the Gate: The Fall of RJR Nabisco	Burrough, Bryan
Battle Cry of Freedom: The Civil War Era	McPherson, James
Best and the Brightest	Halberstam, David
Brief History of Time: From the Big Band to Black Holes	Hawking, Stephen
Bright Shining Lie: John Paul Vann and America in Vietnam	Sheehan, Neil
Broken Cord	Dorris, Michael

Bully for Brontosaurus: Reflections in Natural History	Gould, Stephen Jay
Bury My Heart at Wounded Knee: An Indian History of the American West	Brown, Dee
Chaos: Making a New Science	Gleick, James
Conduct Unbecoming: Gays and Lesbians in the U.S. Military	Shilts, Randy
Control of Nature	McPhee, John
Desert Smells Like Rain: A Naturalist in Papago Indian Country	Nabhan, Gary
Devil in the Shape of a Woman: Witchcraft in Colonial New England	Karlsen, Carol
Distant Mirror: The Calamitous Fourteenth Century	Tuchman, Barbara
Domestic Revolutions: A Social History of Domestic Family Life	Mintz, Steven
Dream is Alive: A Flight of Discovery Aboard the Space Shuttle	Embury, Barbara
Eight Men Out: The Black Sox and the 1919 World Series	Asmoff, Eliot
Essential Writings of Mahatma Gandhi	Gandhi, Mahatma
Eyes on the Prize: America's Civil Rights Years, 1954-1965	Williams, Juan
Fire Next Time	Baldwin, James
Friendly Shakespeare: A Thoroughly Painless Guide to the Best of the Bard	Epstein, Norrie
Gideon's Trumpet	Lewis, Anthony
Girl, Interrupted	Kaysen, Susanna
Growing Up Asian American: An Anthology	Hong, Maria
Guinness Book of Records 1492: The World 500 Years Ago	
Hiroshima	Hersey, John
Hometown Heroes: Successful Deaf Youth in America	Robinette, Diane
How the World Was One: Beyond the Global Village	Clarke, Arthur
Invisible Men: Life in Baseball's Negro Leagues	Rogosin, Donn
Johnstown Flood	McCullough, David
Last Chance to See	Adams, Douglas
Legends, Lies, & Cherished Myths of World History	Shenkman, Richard
Living By the Word: Selected Writings 1973-1987	Walker, Alice
Living Planet: A Portrait of the Earth	Attenborough, David
Lonely Days Were Sundays	Evans, Eli
Man and His Symbols	Jung, Carl
Maus: A Survivor's Tale and Maus II: A Survivor's Tale: And Here My Troubles Began	Spiegelman, Art
Measure of Our Success: A Letter to My Children and Yours	Wright Edelman, Marion
Men of Mathematics	Beil, E. T.
Miracle of Language	Lederer, Richard

Mothers of Invention: From the Bra to the Bomb: Forgotten Women & Their Unforgettable Ideas	Vare, Ethlie and Ptacek, Greg
New Our Bodies, Ourselves: A Book by and for Women	
One Boy at War: My Life in the AIDS Underground	Sergios, Paul
Our House Divided: Seven Japanese-American Families in World War II	Knaefler, Tomi
Power of Myth	Campbell, Joseph
Race: How Blacks and White Think and Feel about the American Obsession	Terkel, Studs
Rescue: The Story of How Gentiles Saved Jews in the Holocaust	Meltzer, Milton
Sad County Almanac: And Sketches Here and There	Leopold, Aldo
Savage Inequalities: Children in America's Schools	Kozol, Jonathan
Season Ticket: A Baseball Companion	Angell, Roger
Should Drugs Be Legalized?	Terkel, Susan
Silent Spring	Carson, Rachel
Small Victories: The Real World of a Teacher, Her Students, and Their High School	Freedman, Samuel
Soul on Ice	Cleaver, Eldridge
South of Black Folk: Essays and Sketches	DuBois, W. E. B.
There Are No Children Here: The Story of Two Boys Growing Up in Urban America	Kotlowitz, Alex
Thinking Out Loud	Quindlen, Anna
Twelve Years a Slave	Northrup, Solomon
Two Old Women	Wallis, Velma
Vietnam: A History	Karnow, Stanley
Who's To Know? Information, the Media & Public Awareness	Weiss, Ann
World Must Know: The History of the Holocaust as Told in the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum	Berenbaum, Michael
Youngest Science: Notes of a Medicine Watcher	Thomas, Lewis

THEATRE

Plays

Ah, Wilderness!	O'Neill, Eugene
Angels in America: Millennium Approaches; Perestroika	Kushner, Tony
Betrayal	Pinter, Harold
Blithe Spirit	Coward, Noel
Boys Next Door	Griffin, Tom
Buried Child	Shepard, Sam
Children of a Lesser God: A Play in Two Acts	Medoff, Mark
Children's Hour	Hellman, Lillian
Crimes of the Heart	Henley, Beth
Doll's House	Ibsen, Henrik
Dream on Monkey Mountain	Walcott, Derek
Fences: A Play	Wilson, August

For Colored Girls Who Have Considered Suicide/
When the Rainbow is Enuf

Foreigner

Foxfire

Front Page

Glass Menagerie

Heidi Chronicles: A Play

Hello Dolly

I'm Not Rappaport

Importance of Being Earnest: A Trivial Comedy for
Serious People

Inherit the Wind

Lost in Yonkers

Lysistrata

M. Butterfly

"Master Harold" - and the Boys

Matchmaker

Miser

Moon on a Rainbow Shawl: A Play in Three Acts

Mother Courage and Her Children: A Chronicle of
the Thirty Years' War

Mousetrap

My Fair Lady

Peralie Victorious

Piano Lesson

Playing for Time: A Screenplay

Pygmalion

Quilters

Rhinoceros

Romeo and Juliet

Rosencrantz and Guildenstern are Dead

Soldier's Play

Torch Song Trilogy: Three Plays

West Side Story

MUSICALS

Cats

Fantasticks

Into the Woods

Les Miserables

Shange, Ntozake

Shue, Larry

Cooper, Susan and Cronyn,
Hume

Williams, Tennessee

Wasserstein, Wendy

Herman, Jerry and Steward,
Michael

Gardner, Herb

Wilde, Oscar

Lawrence, Jerome and Lee,
Robert E.

Simon, Neil

Aristophanes

Hwang, David Henry

Fugard, Anthol

Wilder, Thorton

Moliere

John, Errol

Brecht, Bertolt

Christie, Agatha

Lerner, Alan Jay and

Loewe, Frederick

Davis, Ossie

Wilson, August

Miller, Arthur

Shaw, George Bernard

Newman, Molly and

Damashek, Barbara

Ionesco, Eugene

Shakespeare, William

Stoppard, Tom

Fuller, Charles

Fierstein, Harvey

Bernstein, Leonard

Webber, Andrew Lloyd

Jones, Tom and Schmidt,

Harvey

Sondheim, Stephen

Hugo, Victor

Oklahoma

Pirates of Penzance

BOOKS ON THEATER

Broadway Day and Night

Burns Mantle Best Plays Series

Complete Phantom of the Opera

History of the Theatre

Sondheim

Stage Makeup

Theatre Backstage from A to Z

Theatre in America: 200 Years of Plays, Players,
and Productions

Voices and Silences

ARCHITECTURE

Castle

Modern Classicism

ART AND SCULPTURE

Art Deco

Annotated Mona Lisa: A Crash Course in Art History
from Prehistoric to Post-Modern

Art: A History of Painting, Sculpture, Architecture

Arts of the North American Indian: Native Traditions
in Evolution

History of African-American Artists: From 1972 to
the Present

History of Art: A Survey of the Major Visual Arts
from the Dawn of History to the Present Day

History of Modern Art: Painting, Sculpture, Architecture

How to Look at Sculpture

Women Artists: An Illustrated History

DANCE

101 Stories of the Great Ballets

Ballet and Modern Dance: A Concise History, 2d. ed.

Barefoot to Balanchine: How to Watch Dance

Black Dance in America: A History Through It's People

Dancing: The Pleasure, Power, and Art of Movement

Rodgers, Richard and
Hammerstein, Oscar
Gilbert, William S. and
Sullivan, Arthur S.

Marsolais, Kenneth,
McFarlane, Rodger and
Viola, Tom

Perry, George
Brockett, Oscar G.
Gottfried, Martin
Corson, Richard
Lounsbury, Warren
Henderson, Mary

Jones, James Earl

Macaulay, David
Stern, Robert A. M.

Arwas, Victor
Strickland, Carol

Hartt, Frederick

Bearden, Romare

Janson, H. W.

Arnason, H. Harvard
Finn, David
Heller, Nancy G.

Balanchine, George and
Mason, Francis
Anderson, Jack
Kerner, Mary
Haskins, James
Jonas, Gerald

People Who Dance: 22 Dancers Tell Their Own Stories	Gruen, John
Push Comes to Shove: An Autobiography	Tharp, Twyla
Prodigal Son: Dancing for Balanchine in a World of Pain and Magic	Villella, Edward and Kaplan, Larry
Where She Danced: The Birth of American Art Dance	Kendall, Elizabeth

FILM

Chuck Amuck: The Life and Times of an Animated Cartoonist	Jones, Chuck
Hollywood History of the World: From One Million Years B.C. to Apocalypse Now	Fraser, George
Hollywood: The Pioneers	Brownlow, Kevin
They Sang! They Danced! They Romanced!:	Springer, John
A Pictorial History of the Movie Musical	
Toms, Coons, Mulattoes, Mammies and Bucks	Bogle, Donald

MUSIC

Country Music USA	Malone, Bill
Joy of Music	Bernstein, Leonard
Music and Technology	Newquist, H. P.
Musicians in Tune: Seventy-Five Fine Contemporary Musicians Discuss the Creative Process	Boyd, Jenny
Nothing But the Best: The Struggle for Perfection at the Julliard School	Kogan, Judith
Rock Star Interviews: Conversations with Leading Performers and Songwriters	Zeitz, Petra
Singing in the Spirit: African-American Sacred Quartets in New York City	Allen, Ray
Talking Jazz: An Illustrated Oral History	Sidran, Ben
Virgin Directory of World Music	Sweeny, Philip

PHOTOGRAPHY

Complete Photography Careers Handbook: Expanded to Include Electronic Imaging	Gilbert, George
Exploring Black and White Photography	Gassan, Arnold
Photographer's Handbook	Hedgecoe, John
Power of Photography: How Photographs Changed Our Lives	Goldberg, Vicki
Shoot! Everything You Ever Wanted to Know About 35mm Photography	Harvey, Liz

RELATED ARTS

Blackstone Book of Magic and Illusion	Blackstone, Harry
Completely Mad: A History of the Comic Books and Magazine	Reidelbach, Maria
Making Art Safely: Alternative Methods and Materials	Spandorfer, Merle

in Drawings, Paintings, Printmaking, Graphic Design
and Photography
Television

Winship, Michael

POETRY

Belle of Amherst

Fire in My Hands

Poems for a Small Planet: Contemporary American

Nature Poetry

Rattle Bag

Sleeping on the Wing: An Anthology of Modern Poetry,
with Essays on Reading and Writing

Vintage Book of Contemporary American Poetry

Luce, William

Soto, Gary

Pack, Robert and Parini, Jay

Heaney, Seamus and

Hughes, Ted

Koch, Kenneth and Farrell,

Kate

McClatchy, J. D.