

High School Classroom Use Literature List 2017-2018

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TITLE	AUTHOR	PAGES	CURRICULUM CONNECTION	LEXILE LEVEL
1984	Orwell, George	264	English/History	1090
Adventures of Huckleberry Finn	Twain, Mark	320	Language Arts	990
Alchemist, The	Coelho, Paul	167	Social Studies	910
All The Crooked Saints	Stiefvater, Maggie	314	Fabulism	1100
All the King's Men	Warren, Robert	456	Language Arts	1130
Animal Farm	Orwell, George	116	English/History	1170
Anthem	Rand, Ayn	90	Social Studies	880
Antigone	Sophocles	52	Language Arts	1090
Arsenic and Old Lace	Epstein, Phillip		Language Arts	
Asimov's Mysteries	Asimov, Isaac	228	Language Arts	850
Autobiography/Miss Jane Pittman	Gaines, Ernest	259	Historical	710
Awakening, The	Chopin, Kate	220	Language Arts	960
Bean Trees, The	Kingsolver, Barbara	232	English/History	900
Becket	Anouilh, Jean	144	History	
Beneath a Scarlet Sky	Sullivan, Mark	515	Historical WWII	
Beowulf	Anonymous	212	Language Arts	1160
Billy Budd	Melville, Herman	92	Language Arts	1450
Black Like Me	Griffin, John	188	Social Studies	990
Black Boy	Wright, Richard	382	Social Studies	950
Bless Me Ultima	Rudolfo, A	262	Social Studies	840
Bless the Beasts and the Children	Swarthout, G	189	Social Studies	970
Book Thief, The	Zusak, Markus	552	History	730
Boy 21	Quick, Matthew	272	Lang. Art/ Soc. Stud.	830
Brave New World	Huxley, Aldous	270	Social Studies	870
Break With Charity, A	Rinaldi, Ann	298	History	730
California Blue	Klass, David	208	Social Studies	820
Camelot	Lerner, Alan J	115	Language Arts	
Candide	Voltaire, F	120	Language Arts	1110
Canterbury Tales, The	Chaucer, Geoffrey	528	Language Arts	
Catch 22	Heller, Joseph	464	Language Arts	1140
Catcher in the Rye	Salinger, J. D.	224	Language Arts	790

Changes in Latitude	Hobbs, Will	162	Social Studies	750
Cherry Orchard, The	Chekhov, Anton	64	Drama	
Chocolate War, The	Cormier, Robert	191	Language Arts	820
Chosen, The	Potok, Chaim	271	Social Studies	970
Coffin Quilt, The	Rinaldi, Ann	218	History	590
Cold, Sassy Tree	Burns, Olive A.	391	Social Studies	930
Count of Monte Cristo, The	Dumas, Alexander	441	History	930
Crime and Punishment	Dostoyevsky	516	Social Studies	990
Crucible, The	Miller, Arthur	145	History	1320
Cry, the Beloved Country	Paton, Alan	280	Social Studies	860
Cyrano de Bergerac	Rostand, E.	240	Language Arts	
Dandelion Wine	Bradbury, Ray	239	Language Arts	880
Death of a Salesman	Miller, Arthur	139	Drama	1320
Destiny of the Republic	Millard, Candice	301	Non-fiction	
Diaries of Adam and Eve	Twain, Mark	63	Language Arts	
Divergent	Roth, Veronica	496	Dystopian	700
Doll's House, A	Ibsen, Henrik	72	Drama	
Don Quixote	Cervantes	1050	Language Arts	1500
Doubt: A Parable	Shanley, John P.	58	Drama	
Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde	Stevenson, R. L.	104	Language Arts	1040
Dracula	Stoker, Bram	400	Language Arts	1070
East of Eden	Steinbeck, John	602	Social Studies	700
Education of Little Tree, The	Carter, Forrest	216	Biography	890
Endurance: A Year in Space, A lifetime of Discovery	Kelly, Scott	365	Memoir/Non-Fic	1140
Ethan Frome	Wharton, Edith	130	Language Arts	1160
Fever 1793	Anderson, Laurie	243	History	580
Fountainhead, The	Rand, Ayn	752	Language Arts	780
Frankenstein	Shelley, Mary	271	Language Arts	1170
Glass Menagerie, The	Williams, Tennessee	137	Language Arts	
Glory Field, The	Myers, Walter D.	420	History	800
Good Earth, The	Buck, Pearl	260	History	1530
Grapes of Wrath, The	Steinbeck, John	580	History	680
Great Expectations	Dickens, Charles	536	Language Arts	1200

Great Gatsby, The	Fitzgerald, F. S.	205	Social Studies	1070
Grendel	Gardner, John	174	Language Arts	920
Hamlet	Shakespeare	256	Language Arts	1390
Heart of Darkness	Conrad, Joseph	146	Social Studies	1050
Hedda Gabler	Ibsen, Henrik	72	Language Arts	
History and Geography	Sael, George	208	Historical Bio.	
History of the Britons	Nennius	41	Non-fiction	
History of the World in Six Glasses, A	Standage, Tom	336	Non-fiction - History	
House on Mango Street	Cicneros, Sandra	110	Social Studies	870
How to Read Literature. .Professor	Foster, Thomas	296	Language Arts	820
Hunchback of Notre Dame, The	Hugo, Victor	304	Language Arts	1340
Hunger Games, The	Collins, Suzanne	374	Dystopian	810
I Am The Cheese	Cormier, Robert	220	Language Arts	810
Idylls of the King	Tennyson, Alfred	384	Language Arts	1260
Illustrated Man	Bradbury, Ray	186	Science Fiction	680
Importance of Being Earnest, The	Wilde, Oscar	76	Drama	
Inferno, The	Alighieri, Dante	672	Language Arts	1270
Inherit the Wind	Lawrence, J.	115	Social Studies	850
In the Shadow of Liberty- The Hidden History of Slavery, Four Presidents, and Five Black Lives	Davis, Kenneth C.	278	Social Studies, Economic, History	1110
Into the Magic Shop	Doty M.D, James R.	274	Psychology, Mindfulness	
Izzy Willy Nilly	Voight, Cynthia	280	Social Studies	790
Joy Luck Club, The	Tan, Amy	328	Multicultural	930
Jude the Obscure	Hardy, Thomas	528	Language Arts	1110
Julius Caesar	Shakespeare	288	Language Arts	
Jungle, The	Sinclair, Upton	410	Social Studies	1170
King Lear	Shakespeare	384	Language Arts	
Kokoro	Sōseki, Natume	256	Language Arts	800
Land, The	Taylor, Mildred	392	Historical	760
Last of the Mohicans, The	Cooper, James F.	375	Language Arts	930
Last Lecture, The	Pausch, Randy	206	Biography	
Les Miserables	Hugo, Victor	400	Social Studies	990

Lesson Before Dying, A	Gaines, Ernest	256	Social Studies	750
Librarian of Auschwitz, The	Iturbe, Antonio	423	Historical Fiction based on a true story	940
Lie Tree, The	Hardinge, Francis	380	Historical Fantasy	1100L
Life of Pi, The	Martel, Yan	319	Language Arts	830
Lion in Winter, The	Goldman, James	103	Social Studies	
Lord of the Flies	Golding, William	196	Social Studies	770
Love That Dog	Creech, Sharon	86	Poetry	1010
Madiba A to Z : Nelson Mandela	Schechter, Danny	272	Biography	
Macbeth	Shakespeare	135	Language Arts	1350
Man Called Ove, A	Backman, Fredrick	340	Language Arts	870
Man For All Seasons, A	Bolt, Robert	163	History/Drama	
Man's Search for Meaning	Frankl, Victor	134	Psychology	1300
Martian Chronicles, The	Bradbury, Ray	182	Science Fiction	740
Mayor of Casterbridge, The	Hardy, Thomas	367	Social Studies	1090
Maze Runner, The	Dashner, James	384	Language Arts	770
Metamorphosis	Kafka, Franz	194	Social Studies	1320
Merchant of Venice	Shakespeare	233	Language Arts	1380
Moon is Down, The	Steinbeck, John	126	Language Arts	
Much Ado About Nothing	Shakespeare	304	Language Arts	
My Antonia	Cather, Willa	249	Social Studies	1010
Namesake, The	Lahiri, Jhumpa	291	Multicultural	1210
Nectar in a Sieve	Markandaya	186	Multicultural	900
Never Cry Wolf	Mowat, Farley	176	Language Arts	1330
Night Thoreau Spent in Jail	Lawrence, J	128	Language Arts	
No Country for Old Men	McCarthy, Cormac	309	Lang. Arts/Soc. Studies	610
O Pioneers!	Cather, Willa	180	Social Studies	930
Ocean At the End of the Lane	Gaiman, Neil	178	Language Arts	580
Oedipus	Sophocles	64	Drama	1070
Of Mice and Men	Steinbeck, John	118	Sociology	630
Old Man and the Sea	Hemingway, E	128	Language Arts	940
Once and Future King	White, T. H.	639	Language Arts	1080
One Day in the Life of Ivan . . .	Solzhenitsyn	158	Social Studies	900
Othello	Shakespeare	368	Drama	

Our Town	Wilder, Thornton	103	Drama	
Parrot in the Oven	Martinez, Victor	216	Memoir	1000
Phantom of the Opera	Leroux, Gaston	270	Language Arts	910
Passion of Dolssa, The	Berry, Julie	446	Language Arts/History	650
Picture Bride	Uchida, Yoshiko	222	History	970
Picture of Dorian Gray, The	Wilde, Oscar	242	Social Studies	920
Pride and Prejudice	Austen, Jane	405	Language Arts	1190
Princess Bride, The	Goldman, W	283	Language Arts	879
Prisoner B-3087	Gratz, Allan	272	History	760
Pudd'n'head Wilson	Twain, Mark	320	Language Arts	1150
Purple Hibiscus	Adichie, C	320	Language Arts	920
Pygmalion	Shaw, George B.	148	Drama	
Radium Girls, The	Moore, Kate	780	Historical Non-Fiction	980
Raisin In the Sun	Hansberry, L.	151	Social Studies	
Rebecca	DuMaurier, D	380	Language Arts	880
Red Badge of Courage	Crane, Stephen	180	History	900
Red Scarf Girl	Jiang, Ji-Li	272	Social Studies	780
Rent Collector, The	Wright, Cameron	271	RC - Historical	
Return of the Native	Hardy, Thomas	374	Language Arts	1040
Revolution	Donnelly, Jennifer	496	Language Arts	HL560
Road, The	McCarthy, Cormack	304	Language Arts	670
Rosencrantz and Guildenstern . .	Stoppard, Tom	126	Language Arts	
Saint Joan	Shaw, George B.	159	Drama	1990
Scarlet Letter	Hawthorne, N	278	Language Arts	1340
Silas Marner	Eliot, George	253	Language Arts	1330
Snows of Kilimanjaro	Hemingway, E	160	Language Arts	820
Solo	Alexander, Kwame	457	Language Arts	640
Sound and the Fury, The	Faulkner, William	427	Language Arts	870
Speak Easy, Speak Love	George, McKelle	432	Language Arts	
Stranger, The	Camus, Albert	122	Social Studies	880
Streetcar Named Desire	Williams, Tennessee	142	Drama	1420
Sun Also Rises	Hemingway, E	150	Language Arts	1420
Swallowing Stones	McDonald, J	256	Language Arts	820
Taming of the Shrew	Shakespeare	96	Language Arts	1340

Tempest, The	Shakespeare	116	Language Arts	1290
Tess of the d'Urbervilles	Hardy, Thomas	404	Social Studies	1160
Their Eyes Were Watching God	Hurston, Zora	194	Social Studies	1080
Things Fall Apart	Achebe, Chinua	180	Multicultural	890
Three Musketeers	Dumas, Alexander	656	Historical	960
To Kill a Mockingbird	Lee, Harper	281	Social Studies	870
To Sir, with Love	Braithwaite, E. R.	192	Memoir, non-fiction	1010
Touch the Top Of the World	Weihenmayer, E	342	Autobiography	
Travels With Charley	Steinbeck, John	288	Social Studies	1010
Tuesdays With Morrie	Albom, Mitch	192	Sociology	830
Turn of the Screw, The	James, Henry	271	Language Arts	1140
Twelfth Night	Shakespeare	72	Drama	1040
Twelve Angry Men	Rose, Reginald	96	Drama	
Ultimate Gift, The	Stovall, Jim	156	Fiction	
Unique	Allen-Gray, A	244	Language Arts	700
Variant	Wells, Robison	373	Science Fiction	640
Very Persistent Gappers of Frip	Saunders, George	96	Folktale	1010
Walden	Thoreau	298	Language Arts	1420
Warriors Don't Cry	Beals, Melba	312	History	1000
Washington Square	James, Henry	166	Language Arts	1030
When the Emperor Was Divine	Otsuka, Julie	144	Language Arts	980
Wish You Well	Baldacci, David	399	Social Studies	840
Wright Brothers	McCullough, David	336	History	800+
Wuthering Heights	Bronte, Emily	406	Language Arts	1380
Zoo Story, The	Albee, Edward	32	Drama	

Lexile Code

AD (Adult Directed)

GN (Graphic Novel)

Abbreviations

RL (Reading list)

LC (Literature circle)

HL (High-Low)

IG (Illustrated Guide)

NC (Non-Conforming)

NP (Non-Prose)

LB (Library Self-select)

TR (Teacher reference)

UEL (Upper Elementary)

NF (Non-Fiction)