High School Summer Reading Frequently Asked Questions:

Q: Does my son have to do summer reading?
A: YES! This is required for all BL students, in all grades.

Q: How many books does my son have to read?
A. Each student must read 1 book. Students in Honors classes must read 2 books. 11th and 12th grade students selected for AP Language will have a different list of books from their teacher.

Q: How does my son choose his book(s)?
A: During May distance learning classes, all English teachers will spend time in class reviewing the choices and directions for Summer Reading. Your son will be asked to share his selection so that we know what to expect he has read in September. If your son is an incoming freshman, he will have an opportunity to choose his book during Freshman Academy.

Q: How does my son obtain his book?
A: Families are responsible for procuring the summer reading books. All are available online through Amazon or can be borrowed from the local library. We recommend the app Libby to borrow e-books from the Free Library.

Q: My son prefers to read books on a Kindle or e-reader. Is that ok?
A: Yes, that is fine.

Q: Is there an assignment he must complete in addition to reading the book?
A: Yes. It will be shared with students electronically on Google Classroom. The assignment is due on the first day of full classes.

Q: Our internet is spotty. How can my son complete his work on Google Classroom?
A: Paper copies of the assignment will be available and can be picked up at the main office throughout the summer.

More questions? Email us at englishdept@boyslatin.org