



As we move into the final weeks of the 2019-2020 school year, the English Department wants you to get ready for summer reading. Each year, students are invited to read a novel of their choice and earn extra credit to start the next school year. This week you will build a summer TBR list (“to be read”).

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Learning Objectives:

Students will be able to: Read closely to determine what the text says explicitly and to make logical inferences from it; cite specific textual evidence when writing or speaking to support conclusions drawn from the text. Write arguments to support claims in an analysis of substantive topics or texts, using valid reasoning and relevant and sufficient evidence. [MA DESE Prerequisite Content Standards](#)

Literacy Objectives:

Students will be able to:

1. Read to research a topic
2. Writing to generate a response to what one has read, viewed, or heard

(<https://www.bpsma.org/schools/brockton-high-school/about-us/mission-literacy-charts>)

This week’s learning plan: Grades 9-11

Find 3 potential summer reads, record the title, author, and write a brief explanation of why you are interested in the book. Please check out the links below to help you find some potential young adult titles. You do not have to select from that list.

Do you have a library card? Sign up for an electronic card and explore Hoopladigital.com to borrow ebooks and audiobooks. Your teacher will be sharing something from their summer TBR list this week.

GoodReads Young Adult: <https://www.goodreads.com/genres/young-adult>

Young Adult Library Association Top Ten: <http://www.ala.org/yalsa/teenstopten>

We Are KidLit Collective: <https://wtpsite.wordpress.com/>

Ongoing learning opportunities

- KhanAcademy.com is available through your Clever login for SAT Practice.
- Vocabulary.com is great for quick daily practice to build your vocabulary.
- Sign up for an E-card for the library to borrow books from Hoopla.com and Overdrive.com: It will open a login screen. Select “[Need a library card. Register online here](#)”. Complete the information. Your library card number and pin confirmation will appear on the next screen. Take a picture and/or record the library card number.

Note to students: Your English teacher is available to help you complete the activities. You may also have additional learning opportunities provided by your teacher. Please contact them with specific via email or during office hours: [English Department Remote Office Hours](#)