

## English Department Summer Reading for Rising Seventh and Eighth Graders, 2021

No written summer work is required. However, we encourage students who read the texts in June to revisit them in August before school starts.

**Students will be expected to have a paper copy of their texts with them in class each day.** Electronic copies are not permitted.

Please purchase the following editions for the summer-reading texts:

### **7<sup>th</sup> Grade:**

**Margarita Engle, *Enchanted Air: Two Cultures, Two Wings: A Memoir***

ISBN: 978-1481435239

[https://www.amazon.com/Enchanted-Air-Cultures-Wings-Memoir/dp/148143523X/ref=sr\\_1\\_1?dchild=1&keywords=enchanted+air&qid=1622556480&sr=8-1](https://www.amazon.com/Enchanted-Air-Cultures-Wings-Memoir/dp/148143523X/ref=sr_1_1?dchild=1&keywords=enchanted+air&qid=1622556480&sr=8-1)

**\*\*\*In addition to *Enchanted Air*, seventh-grade students must select a choice book. It can be fiction or nonfiction, but please choose a book appropriate for age and ability.\*\*\***

### **8<sup>th</sup> Grade:**

**Ray Bradbury, *Fahrenheit 451***

ISBN: 978-1451673319

[https://www.amazon.com/Fahrenheit-451-Ray-Bradbury/dp/1451673310/ref=sr\\_1\\_1?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1495629294&sr=1-1&keywords=ray+bradbury+fahrenheit+451](https://www.amazon.com/Fahrenheit-451-Ray-Bradbury/dp/1451673310/ref=sr_1_1?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1495629294&sr=1-1&keywords=ray+bradbury+fahrenheit+451)

**\*\*\*In addition to *Fahrenheit 451*, eighth-grade students must select a choice book. It can be fiction or nonfiction, but please choose a book appropriate for age and ability.\*\*\***