"The more that you read, the more things you will know. The more that you learn, the more places you'll go." - Dr. Seuss

Ansonia High School Grades 9-12 Summer Reading 2021



Splash into Summer Reading and start the year off by earning extra credit in your English class!!

Choose <u>one</u> book of your choice to read over the summer. You may choose any title as long as it is a book appropriate for your reading level and grade. You may not choose a book that you have previously read in middle school or high school. Be sure to keep a list of any books you have read to share with your English teacher on the first day of school. Be prepared to discuss your book(s) on the first day of school to earn extra credit.

Please refer to the following links for a list of suggestions of current popular books:

- <u>CONNECTICUT READS</u>, the 2021 Governor's Summer Reading Challenge
- Barnes and Noble: 100 Books of Summer for Teens and Young Adults

AHS Free eBooks:

- <u>Destiny eBooks</u> (login using your Google credentials)
- JLG eBooks Junior Library Guild
- Don't forget about **The Little Library** located outside the main entrance of Ansonia High School take a book or share a book.

You Will Need Your Library Card To Access These Free Books:

- Ansonia Public Library Free Ebooks and Audio Books: <u>https://bibliomation.overdrive.com/library/teens</u>
- The Libby Reading App: <u>https://www.overdrive.com/apps/libby/</u>

Practice Your Skills

To help you continue to hone your reading skills this summer and prepare you for the courses you will take next school year, please login to these sites to practice various skill sets:

- <u>NewsELA Articles and Practice Multiple Choice Quizzes</u>
- Khan Academy: SAT Reading and Writing Preparation

In addition to reading one book of your choice, please review the following Quizlet of literary terms and/or SAT vocabulary terms that you will study and use throughout your high school career at Ansonia High School.

You can sign up for Quizlet for free using your school email or personal email.

9th and 10th Grade Literary Terms Quizlet Set: https://quizlet.com/_8g6fxt?x=1jqt&i=wc17z

11th and 12th Grade SAT Quizlet Set: https://quizlet.com/512885269/sat-words-flash-cards/

The following site will be available until July 31, 2021:

- Lexia PowerUp <u>https://www.lexiapowerup.com/</u> (Login using CLEVER. Enter your 6-digit lunch code as your username and the password is ansonia).
 - <u>PowerUp Home Use Letter</u>
 - Lexia PowerUp Literacy supports differentiated literacy instruction.
 The activities in PowerUp support and build on your school's English Language Arts classroom curriculum, focusing on developing skills in three important areas: Word Study, Grammar, and Comprehension.