

AP LITERATURE AND COMPOSITION
2023–2024

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During your AP Literature and Composition course, discussions and writing assignments will be based on the literary works listed under **Required Books**. You must have your own copy of each required book for annotating. In order to facilitate class discussions, please buy the editions listed below.

During the summer months, you will need to read *The Vanishing Half* by Brit Bennett. Additionally, you will need to read **three Choice Books** from the lists below.

REQUIRED BOOKS

BOOK TITLE and AUTHOR	ISBN
<i>The Vanishing Half</i> by Brit Bennett	ISBN-13: 9780525536291
<i>Homegoing</i> by Yaa Gaasi	ISBN-13: 9781101971062
<i>Invisible Man</i> by Ralph Ellison	ISBN-13: 9780679732761
<i>Hamlet</i> by William Shakespeare (Folger Shakespeare Library edition)	ISBN-13: 9780743477123
<i>A Pocket Style Manual, 8th edition</i> edited by Diana Hacker	ISBN-13: 9788925598406

CHOICE BOOKS
(Choose from List A and List B)

LIST (A)	LIST (B)
<i>The Handmaid's Tale</i> by Margaret Atwood	<i>Wuthering Heights</i> , Emily Bronte
<i>A Thousand Splendid Suns</i> by Khaled Hosseini	<i>The Awakening</i> , Kate Chopin
<i>God of Small Things</i> by Arundhati Roy	<i>Frankenstein</i> by Mary Shelley
<i>Ceremony</i> by Leslie Marmon Silko	<i>To the Lighthouse</i> by Virginia Woolf
<i>Song of Solomon</i> , Toni Morrison	<i>Long Day's Journey into Night</i> by Eugene O'Neill