

**Summer Reading For Freshmen English Courses 2024**  
**Lawrence Central High School**

Course	Expectations	Assignment
<b>English 9</b> <i>Optional &amp; Extra Credit Awarded if Completed</i>	1-2 books of the student's choosing -grade level appropriate.	Complete a "One pager" assignment for each book. See One pager sheet format below.
<b>English 9 Honors</b> <i>Optional &amp; Extra Credit Awarded if Completed</i>	1-2 books of the student's choosing -grade level appropriate.	Complete a "One pager" assignment for each book. See One pager sheet format below.
<b>English 9 Lyceum</b>	Read <b><i>Just Mercy</i></b> by Brian Stevenson (the young adult version) <i>ISBN-13 : 978-0525580034</i>	*Yes, see the assignment below.

(Books are available through the Marion County Library, Amazon and local vendors like Barnes and Noble.)

**English 9/9Honors One-Pager Assignment**

**One-Pager Assignment Format:**

*\*This may be handwritten or typed.*

Book Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Author: \_\_\_\_\_

Date started/completed: \_\_\_\_\_

Pages read: \_\_\_\_\_

Your Rating of book on A Scale of 1-10) \_\_\_\_\_

Choose five (5) of the following sentence starters and write a brief reflection for each. Attach your reflections to this sheet:

I noticed...

I wonder...

I was reminded of...

I think...

I'm surprised that...

I'd like to know...

I realized...

If I were...

The central issue(s) is(are)...

One consequence of \_\_\_\_\_ could be...

If \_\_\_\_\_ then...

I'm not sure ....

Although it seems...

What is the author's purpose?

Who was the intended audience(s)?

**Academic honesty**

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# English 9 Lyceum Summer Reading Assignment

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- **Activity:** Read the adapted young adult version of the book entitled: *Just Mercy* by Brian Stevenson
- **Fill out Double Entry Journal**

**Purpose:** To provide a structure for reading response, to make decisions about significant aspects of the text, and to reflect on personal connections to the text.

**Part 1: Read the adapted young adult version of *Just Mercy* by Bryan Stevenson.** Consider craft and style when reading. Take notes or annotate as needed and prepare to discuss the book upon return to school. **Choose three passages/quotes in the non-fiction that you find personally significant,** in each case commenting on why you chose it. Please identify the page reference for each passage.

**Part 2: Use the double-sided journal below to record your 3 responses.**

**Connections: Pick one.**

**Text – self connections occur when we make connections between personal experiences and the text.**

**Text–text connections occur when we make connections between other texts in relation to the text we are reading.**

**Text–world connections occur when we relate the text with what we already know about the world.**

Passage/Quote/Page number	Connection (Text-self, Text-text, Text-world) Be sure to write a 10-word get the gist reflection that explains the connection. See the example below. If needed, use sentence starters.
"We are all implicated when we allow others to be mistreated. An absence of compassion can corrupt the decency of a community, a state, or a nation". Page 18	This reminds me of... I read another book about... In the real world, this reminds me of...
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