

SUMMER READING 2024

Kinkaid Upper School students must read at least **THREE books** this summer.

REQUIRED CLASS READING:

English I: *The Odyssey (A Graphic Novel)* by Gareth Hinds

- [Prep for Graphic Novel of The Odyssey](#)
- [Slide Presentation to Kinkaid 8th Graders](#)

English II: *Crying in H Mart* by Michelle Zauner

English III: *Educated: A Memoir* by Tara Westover

On-Level 12th Grade English: *Foster* by Claire Keegan

AP 12th Grade English: *The Round House* by Louise Erdrich

AP Computer Science: *Computational Fairy Tales* by Jeremy Kubica

Algorithms and Structures: *Algorithms to Live By* by Brian Christian & Tom Griffiths

AP European History: *The Prince* by Machiavelli

Entrepreneurship INCubator: *The Lean Startup* by Eric Ries (Parts I and II, pages 1-178)

FREE CHOICE (one or two books depending on number of required reads) **You must read books that you have NOT read before.** We encourage you to choose from the lists below.

KINKAID'S READING LIST OF DIVERSE VOICES:

Originally developed for Summer 2020, the "Reading List of Diverse Voices" will be reviewed by **June 1, 2024.**

HOUSTON AREA INDEPENDENT SCHOOLS LIBRARY NETWORK: [HAISLN list](#)

HISTORY/SOCIAL SCIENCES AND SCIENCE SUGGESTIONS:

AP Biology: *Incognito* by David Eagleman *

AP Government: *America's Constitution, A Biography* by Akhil Reed Amar**

CLEF SUGGESTIONS (FOR CREDIT):

Fundamentals in Business & Finance: *Outliers* by Malcolm Gladwell***

Macroeconomics: *The Tipping Point* by Malcolm Gladwell***

* Required reading throughout the school year, so encouraged to read during the summer.

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