

*6th Grade*

Title	Author
“Acquainted with the Night”	Frost, Robert
“Eulogy of the Dog”	Vest, George G.
“Farewell Speech”	Gehrig, Lou
“Speech to National Council of Negro Women” (2001)	Rice, Condoleezza
“The House on the Hill”	Robinson, Edwin Arlington
“Two Viewpoints”	Burr, Amelia Josephine
“Yet Do I Marvel”	Cullen, Countee
<i>A Long Walk to Water</i>	Park, Linda Sue
<i>Black Ships before Troy</i>	Sutcliff, Rosemary
<i>Bronze Bow</i>	Speare, Elizabeth George
<i>Down, Down, Down: A Journey to the Bottom of the Sea</i>	Jenkins, Steve
<i>Harriet Tubman: Conductor on the Underground Railroad</i>	Petry, Ann
<i>Hatchet</i>	Paulsen, Gary
<i>Incidents in the Life of a Slave Girl</i>	Jacobs, Harriet
<i>Lincoln: A Photobiography</i>	Freedman, Russell
<i>Little Britches</i>	Moody, Ralph
<i>Little Women</i>	Alcott, Louisa May
<i>Miracle on Maple Hill</i>	Sorensen, Virginia
<i>The Adventures of Pinocchio</i>	Collodi, Carlo
<i>The Book of Virtues for Young People: A Treasury of Great Moral Stories</i>	Bennett, William
<i>The Devil's Arithmetic</i>	Yolen, Jane
<i>The Hiding Place</i>	ten Boom, Corrie
<i>The Phantom Tollbooth</i>	Juster, Norton
<i>Tales of the Greek Heroes</i>	Green, Roger Lancelyn
<i>Treasure Island</i>	Stevenson, Robert Louis



7th Grade

Title	Author
“Address Before a Joint Session of the Congress, November 27, 1963”	Johnson, Lyndon Baines
“An Occurrence at Owl Creek Bridge”	Bierce, Ambrose
"Citizenship and Leadership" from <i>The Moral Compass: Stories for a Life's Journey</i>	Bennett, William
“Do Not Go Gentle into That Good Night”	Thomas, Dylan
“Farewell Address”	Eisenhower, Dwight
“Give Me Liberty or Give Me Death” Speech	Henry, Patrick
“On First Looking Into Chapman's Homer”	Keats, John
“On Women's Right to Vote”	Anthony, Susan B.
“Sonnet 18”	Shakespeare, William
“The Destructive Male”	Stanton, Elizabeth
“The Eyes Have It”	Dick, Philip K.
“The New Colossus”	Lazarus, Emma
“The Rights of the Colonists: The Report of the Committee of Correspondence to the Boston Town Meeting”	Adams, Samuel
“the sonnet-ballad”	Brooks, Gwendolyn
“The Tell-Tale Heart”	Poe, Edgar Allan
<i>Book of Esther</i>	The Bible
<i>Freedom Walkers</i>	Freedman, Russell
<i>George vs. George: The American Revolution as Seen from Both Sides</i>	Schanzer, Rosalyn
<i>Old Yeller</i>	Gibson, Fred
<i>The Adventures of Tom Sawyer</i>	Twain, Mark
<i>The Count of Monte Cristo</i>	Dumas, Alexandre
<i>The Kon-Tiki Expedition: By Raft Across the South Seas</i>	Heyerdahl, Thor
<i>The Long Road to Gettysburg</i>	Murphy, Jim
<i>Narrative of the Life of Frederick Douglass</i>	Douglass, Frederick
<i>The Prince and the Pauper</i>	Twain, Mark
<i>The Red Umbrella</i>	Gonzalez, Christina Diaz
<i>The Twenty-One Balloons</i>	Pène du Bois, William
<i>The Yearling</i>	Rawlings, Marjorie Kinnan



8th Grade

Title	Author
“9/11 Address to the Nation”	Bush, George W.
“A Day that Will Live in Infamy”	Roosevelt, Franklin
“Ain't I a Woman?”	Truth, Sojourner
“Blessings of Liberty and Education”	Douglass, Frederick
“Introduction to Poetry”	Collins, Billy
“Parsley”	Dove, Rita
“The Bells”	Poe, Edgar Allan
“The Cremation of Sam McGee”	Service, Robert
“The Gift of the Magi”	Henry, O.
“The Raven”	Poe, Edgar Allen
“The Yellow Wallpaper”	Gilman, Charlotte Perkins
“We Real Cool”	Brooks, Gwendolyn
“What Does American Democracy Mean to Me?”	Bethune, Mary McLeod
<i>Anne Frank: Diary of a Young Girl</i>	Frank, Anne
<i>Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde</i>	Stevenson, Robert Louis
<i>I Will Always Write Back</i>	Alifirenka, Caitlin, Welch, Liz, Ganda, Martin
<i>Long Walk to Freedom</i>	Mandela, Nelson
<i>Rip Van Winkle</i>	Irving, Washington
<i>Shane</i>	Schaefer, Jack
<i>Sir Gawain and the Green Knight</i>	Gawain Poet (unknown)
<i>Swiss Family Robinson</i>	Wyss, Johann David
<i>Team Moon: How 400,000 People Landed Apollo 11 on the Moon</i>	Thimmesh, Catherine
<i>The Call of the Wild</i>	London, Jack
<i>The Chosen</i>	Potok, Chaim
<i>The Hobbit</i>	Tolkien, J.R.R.
<i>The Princess and the Goblin</i>	MacDonald, George
<i>The Wright Brothers: How They Invented the Airplane</i>	Freedman, Russell
<i>Things Fall Apart</i>	Achebe, Chinua
<i>To Kill a Mockingbird</i>	Lee, Harper
<i>Trapped: How the World Rescued 33 Miners from 2,000 Feet Below the Chilean Desert</i>	Aronson, Marc



9th Grade

Title	Author
"A Modest Proposal"	Swift, Jonathan
"A Very Old Man with Enormous Wings"	Marquez, Gabriel Garcia
"A White Heron"	Jewett, Sarah Orne
"Bringing My Son to the Police Station to be Fingerprinted"	Sky, Shoshauna
"Choice: A Tribute to Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr."	Walker, Alice
"Danger of a Single Story"	Adichie, Chimamanda Ngozi
"I Have a Dream"	King, Jr., Martin Luther
"Industrial Education for the Negro"	Washington, Booker T.
"Letter from Birmingham Jail"	King, Jr., Martin Luther
"Letter to the Grand Duchess in 1615"	Galilei, Galileo
"Nobel Prize Acceptance Speech 1950"	Faulkner, William
"St Crispin's Day Speech," <i>Henry V</i> , Act IV Scene iii 18–67	Shakespeare, William
"Speech to the Troops" 1588	Elizabeth I
"The Love Song of J. Alfred Prufrock"	Eliot, T.S.
"The Talented Tenth"	DuBois, W.E.B
<i>1984</i>	Orwell, George
<i>Animal Farm</i>	Orwell, George
<i>Antigone</i>	Anouilh, Jean
<i>Antigone</i>	Sophocles
<i>Beowulf</i>	Unknown
<i>Democracy in America</i>	de Tocqueville, Alexis
<i>Electra</i>	Sophocles
<i>Finding Mañana: A Memoir of a Cuban Exodus</i>	Ojito, Mirta
<i>Medea</i>	Euripides
<i>Old Greek Stories</i>	Baldwin, James
<i>Romeo and Juliet</i>	Shakespeare, William
<i>The Aeneid</i>	Virgil
<i>The Death of Ivan Ilyich</i>	Tolstoy, Leo
<i>The Epic of Gilgamesh</i>	Unknown
<i>The Hero with a Thousand Faces</i>	Campbell, Joseph
<i>The Iliad</i>	Homer
<i>The Lincoln-Douglas Debates 1st Debate</i>	Douglas, Stephen and Lincoln, Abraham
<i>The Odyssey</i>	Homer
<i>The Prince</i>	Machiavelli, Niccolai
<i>Unbroken</i>	Hillenbrand, Laura



10th Grade

Title	Author
"Address to William Henry Harrison"	Chief Tecumseh
"Checkers" Speech	Nixon, Richard
"Constantly Risking Absurdity"	Ferlinghetti, Lawrence
"Cross of Gold" Speech	Bryan, William Jennings
"Farewell Address"	Washington, George
"Farewell Speech"	MacArthur, Gen. Douglas
"For the Equal Rights Amendment"	Chisholm, Shirley
"House Divided" Speech	Lincoln, Abraham
"I Am a Democrat and not a Revolutionist"	Hill, Sen. David Bennett
"Not Waving But Drowning"	Smith, Stevie
"Ozymandias"	Shelley, Percy Bysshe
"Sinners in the Hands of an Angry God"	Edwards, Jonathan
"Thanatopsis"	Bryant, William Cullen
"The Second Coming"	Yeats, William Butler
"The Story of Pygmalion" from <i>Metamorphoses</i>	Ovid
"What to the Slave Is the Fourth of July?"	Douglass, Frederick
"What's Wrong with 'Equal Rights' for Women?"	Schlafly, Phyllis
<i>2 Samuel</i>	The Bible
<i>A Raisin in the Sun</i>	Hansberry, Lorraine
<i>A Tale of Two Cities</i>	Dickens, Charles
<i>Common Sense</i>	Paine, Thomas
<i>Cry, The Beloved Country</i>	Paton, Alan
<i>Fahrenheit 451</i>	Bradbury, Ray
<i>Frankenstein</i>	Shelley, Mary
<i>Galatea</i>	Miller, Madeline
<i>Land of Hope: An Invitation to the Great American Story</i>	McClay, Wilfred M.
<i>Lord of the Flies</i>	Golding, William
<i>Macbeth</i>	Shakespeare, William
<i>Midsummer Night's Dream</i>	Shakespeare, William
<i>Of Mice and Men</i>	Steinbeck, John
<i>Prometheus Unbound</i>	Shelley, Percy Bysshe
<i>Pygmalion</i>	Shaw, George Bernard
<i>The Autobiography of an Ex-Colored Man</i>	Johnson, James Weldon
<i>The Crucible</i>	Miller, Arthur
<i>The Piano Lesson</i>	Wilson, August
<i>The Red Badge of Courage</i>	Crane, Stephen
<i>The Scarlet Letter</i>	Hawthorne, Nathaniel
<i>The Souls of Black Folk</i>	DuBois, W.E.B.
<i>Uncle Tom's Cabin</i>	Stowe, Harriet Beecher
<i>Up from Slavery</i>	Washington, Booker T.



11th Grade

Title	Author
"Book IV" of <i>History of the Peloponnesian War</i>	Thucydides
"Book VII" of <i>Histories</i>	Herodotus
"Depart!" from "Book VII" of <i>The Anabasis of Alexander</i>	Arrian
"Doctrine of Right" from <i>The Metaphysics of Morals</i>	Kant, Immanuel
"Nature"	Emerson, Ralph Waldo
"O Captain, My Captain"	Whitman, Walt
"Pericles Funeral Oration" from "Book II" of <i>History of the Peloponnesian War</i>	Thucydides
"Socrates' Apology"	Plato
"The Chimney Sweepers" poems from <i>Songs of Innocence</i> and <i>Songs of Experience</i>	Blake, William
"Third Philippic"	Demosthenes
"To the Public"	Garrison, William Lloyd
"We Wear the Mask"	Dunbar, Paul
<i>Are Women People?</i>	Miller, Alice
<i>Billy Budd</i>	Melville, Herman
<i>Book of Psalms</i>	The Bible
<i>Canterbury Tales (Prologue and selected tales)</i>	Chaucer, Geoffrey
<i>Confessions of St. Augustine</i>	Augustine of Hippo
<i>Dante's Inferno</i>	Alighieri, Dante
<i>Discourse on Method</i>	Descartes, René
<i>Jane Eyre</i>	Brontë, Charlotte
<i>Julius Caesar</i>	Shakespeare, William
<i>Night</i>	Wiesel, Elie
<i>On Duties</i>	Cicero
<i>On the Social Contract</i>	Rousseau, Jean-Jacques
<i>One Day in the Life of Ivan Denisovich</i>	Solzhenitsyn, Aleksandr
<i>The Dreamer</i>	Ryan, Pam Muñoz
<i>The Federalist Papers</i>	Hamilton, Alexander; Madison, James; and Jay, John
<i>The First Philippics of Cicero against Marcus Antonius</i>	Cicero
<i>The Spirit of Laws</i>	Montesquieu
<i>The Surrender Tree</i>	Engle, Margarita
<i>Two Treatises of Government</i>	Locke, John
<i>Walden</i>	Thoreau, Henry David

*12th Grade*

Title	Author
<i>Crime and Punishment</i>	Dostoevsky, Fyodor
<i>Don Quixote</i>	Cervantes, Miguel de
<i>Flatland: A Romance of Many Dimensions</i>	Abbott, Edwin A.
<i>Hamlet</i>	Shakespeare, William
<i>Heart of Darkness</i>	Conrad, Joseph
<i>King Lear</i>	Shakespeare, William
<i>Life of Julius Caesar</i>	Plutarch
<i>Longitude: The True Story of a Lone Genius Who Solved the Greatest Scientific Problem of His Time</i>	Sobel, Dava
<i>Pride and Prejudice</i>	Austen, Jane
<i>Rosencrantz and Guildenstern Are Dead</i>	Stoppard, Tom
<i>The Republic</i>	Plato
<i>The Twelve Caesars</i>	Suetonius
<i>Utopia</i>	More, Thomas
The poetry of Robert Burns	Burns, Robert
The poetry of Countee Cullen	Cullen, Countee
The poetry of Emily Dickinson	Dickinson, Emily
The poetry of John Donne	Donne, John
The poetry of Robert Frost	Frost, Robert
The poetry of Langston Hughes	Hughes, Langston
The poetry of Percy Bysshe Shelley	Shelley, Percy Bysshe
The poetry of Edna St. Vincent Millay	Millay, Edna St. Vincent
The poetry of Phillis Wheatley	Wheatley, Phillis