

Summer Reading 2024

English 9

Read the first 61 pages of *The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-time* by Mark Haddon (through the end of chapter 97)

(books are available in 327 and will be handed out in 8th grade English classes at end of the year)

Here is a copy of the PDF: [The Curious Incident Of The Dog In The Night-time, Mark Haddon.pdf](#)

Here is the audio guide: [The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time audiobook - YouTube](#)

English 10

Coming into 10th grade, the expectation is that you are capable not only of reading but of identifying important/interesting elements in a piece of literature. We are asking you to complete **two tasks** over the summer (listed below) and in September, we will analyze the chapters from *The Catcher in the Rye* and you will have the opportunity to individually reflect on the other text you selected.

[Please CLICK HERE for the 10th grade Summer Reading Assignment.](#)

English 11 Regents

1. Read "[The Things They Carried](#)," the first short story of Tim O'Brien's collection of short stories.
2. Listen to [Dolly Parton's America, Episode 3: "Tennessee Mountain Trance"](#)
3. Read the New York Times Magazine article, "[Adrift Between My Parents' Two Americas](#)," by David Treuer.
4. **Please open this link for ESSENTIAL DETAILS AND INSTRUCTIONS:**

[2024 English 11 Summer Reading 2004](#)

Optional: Pick up a hard copy of the reading packet in the English office, room 330 before you leave for the summer! It's a great opportunity for us to meet as well!

English 11 Honors

Please read **one novel, one essay, and one excerpt**. Click the link below for instructions:[Dear Future 11th grade honors students....](#)

English 12

Read **Atomic Habits**

<https://jamesclear.com/atomic-habits>

Books also available in 326

AP Literature

One Novel and One Article

-Read Homegoing, by Yaa Gyasi,

-Use this link to help you think about and take notes on the novel. We will use both on the first day of class.

<https://www.people.iup.edu/sherwood/Courses/ENGL121S06/Documents/culture-note.htm>

SUPA English

One Novel; One Excerpt

Middlesex - Jeffrey Eugenides

Botany of Desire - Michael Pollan (Introduction & Chapter 1)

“Introduction: The Human Bumblebee”:

[Botany of Desire - Introduction.pdf](#)

“Chapter One - Desire: Sweetness / Plant: The Apple”:

[Pollan - Botany of Desire \(Chapter 1\).PDF](#)