

OPTIONAL Summer Reading - Book Recommendations - TRHS

Title/Author	Grade(s) Recommended	Genre/Subject
<i>The Night Circus</i> by Erin Morgenstern	10th-12th	Fantasy/Mystery/Romance
<i>The Witch's Heart</i> by Genevieve Gornichec	11th-12th	Mythology/Fantasy
<i>All Systems Red</i> by Martha Wells	9th	Science Fiction
<i>The Devil in the White City</i> by Erik Larson	11th-12th	Nonfiction/History/True Crime
<i>A Long Walk to Water</i> by Linda Sue Park	10th	Realistic Fiction
<i>Series: The Red Queen Series</i> by Victoria Aveyard	9th	Fantasy/Historical Fiction
<i>We Were Liars</i> by E. Lockhart	9th	Psychological Thriller
<i>The Beginning of Everything</i> by Robyn Schneider	9th	Realistic Fiction
<i>Series: To All the Boys I Loved Before</i> by Jenny Han	11th-12th	Realistic Fiction/Romance
<i>A Man Called Ove</i> by Fredrik Backman	11th-12th	Realistic Fiction
<i>Home Home</i> by Lisa Allen–Agostini	9th-10th	Realistic Fiction
<i>Turtles All the Way Down</i> by John Green	9th-11th	Realistic Fiction
<i>Stardust</i> by Neil Gaiman	9th-10th	Fantasy Adventure
<i>The Light Between the Oceans</i> by M.L. Stedman	10th	Historical Fiction
<i>Between Shades of Gray</i> by Ruta Sepetys	10th	Historical Fiction

<i>Purple Hibiscus</i> by Chimamanda Adichì	10th	Realistic Fiction
<i>Frankenstein</i> by Mary Shelley	10th-12th	Classic/Science Fiction/Horror
<i>Wuthering Heights</i> by Emily Brontë	12th	Classic/Gothic Fiction/Romance
<i>The Ocean at the End of the Lane</i> by Neil Gaiman	11th-12th	Dark Fantasy
<i>Murder In Mesopotamia</i> by Agatha Christie	9th-10th	Mystery/Crime Fiction
<i>The Hobbit</i> by JRR Tolkien	9th-10th	Epic/High Fantasy

OPTIONAL Summer Reading - Reading Menu

Read on the beach.	Visit where the novel takes place.	Rewrite the ending of the book.	Create a word cloud with the words that best represent the theme/message of the novel.	Create a fictional yearbook entry of the main character. Add a picture, a list of clubs/sports, assign him/her superlatives and awards.
Draw a map of the town or adventure of the main character(s).	Make a playlist/soundtrack to accompany the novel.	Tweet the author.	Read on a coffee date with a friend.	Create a list of objects the book's characters might put into a time capsule to remember the important events of the book.
Based on the characters' personalities and physical traits, cast a filmed version of the book.	Read outside in a tent in your backyard or while camping.	Record (audio/visual) or write a screenplay for a trailer of a filmed version of the book.	Explain why you would give the book a 1-5 stars rating.	Read in a park.
Write a postcard to Principal Vaccarezza about the book(s) you are reading. Mail it to TRHS.	Create a piece of artwork (collage, painting, etc.) representing the main theme of the book.	Start a book club with a friend/relative.	Read animatedly out loud to your pet.	Make a board game to go along with the book.
Make a tik tok or instagram post about a book you're reading	Watch the film version of the book you're reading	Design a new cover for the book you are reading	Read a book in a genre you haven't read	Challenge a friend to a "read in a row" competition. How many days in a row can you read for at least 15 minutes?