

TRINITY CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL - SUMMER READING LIST 2009

Philosophy: *The English Department's philosophy for summer reading is to expose students to novels that complement the curriculum and are recommended by colleges to prepare students for rigorous study.*

Guidelines: *Students must read the required book/s listed by grade. There will be a test covering the book/s on the last day of the first week of school. The test will be based on plot, characters, themes, symbols, and narrative devices. The test grade will count towards the student's first quarter grade. These books may be signed out of a library or purchased from a bookstore.*

GRADE 9

College Prep:

Of Mice and Men John Steinbeck

Honors:

Of Mice and Men John Steinbeck

Flowers for Algernon Daniel Keyes

GRADE 10

College Prep:

A Separate Peace John Knowles

The House on Mango Street Sandra Cisneros

Honors:

A Separate Piece John Knowles

Cry, the Beloved Country Alan Paton

GRADE 11

American Literature:

The Crucible Arthur Miller

A Streetcar Named Desire Tennessee Williams

Advanced Placement English Language and Composition:

The Great Gatsby F. Scott Fitzgerald

The Count of Monte Cristo Alexander Dumas

The Adventures of Huckleberry Mark Twain

GRADE 12

British Literature:

Brave New World Aldous Huxley

Passage to India E.M. Forster

Advanced Placement English Literature and Composition:

Animal Farm George Orwell

Brave New World Aldous Huxley

Macbeth William Shakespeare