

## Summer Reading—English Department

- Students should read the following books by the beginning of the school year and be ready to take tests over the books during the first two weeks of school. You read books for the grade you will enter.
- You are required to get your own books (you may borrow them from the library if you choose); be sure to read the unabridged edition. Be especially careful if you choose to listen to the books to listen to the unabridged edition.
- With the exception of Freshmen (who only read one book), students are required to read a selected book, and choose from the list for the remaining.

### English I

Choose **one** from the following list:

*The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe* by C.S. Lewis

*All Creatures Great and Small* by James Herriot

*The Swiss Family Robinson* by Johann David Wyss

*The Prince and the Pauper* by Mark Twain

*The Call of the Wild* by Jack London

### English II

**Required:** *A Tale of Two Cities* by Charles Dickens

Choose **one** from the following list:

*The Diary of a Young Girl* by Anne Frank

*Oliver Twist* by Charles Dickens

*Jane Eyre* by Charlotte Bronte

*The Hiding Place* by Corrie ten Boom

*Farewell to Manzanar* by Jeanne Wakatsuki Houston and James D. Houston

### English III

**Required:** *The Good Earth* by Pearl Buck

Choose **one** from the following list:

*White Fang* by Jack London

*The Last of the Mohicans* by James Fennimore Cooper

*A Connecticut Yankee in King Arthur's Court* by Mark Twain

### Advanced English III

**Required:** *Death, Be Not Proud* by John Gunther

*Travels with Charley* by John Steinbeck

Choose **one** from the following list:

*The Joy Luck Club* by Amy Tan

*Walden* by Henry David Thoreau

*Ethan Frome* by Edith Wharton

### English IV

**Required:** *Great Expectations* by Charles Dickens

Choose **one** from the following list:

*Ivanhoe* by Sir Walter Scott

*The Mayor of Casterbridge* by Thomas Hardy

### Advanced Placement English IV

**Required:** *Ivanhoe* by Sir Walter Scott

*The Mayor of Casterbridge* by Thomas Hardy

*Great Expectations* by Charles Dickens