



Berean Christian School High School Summer Reading 2021

This year, completing a summer reading assignment will be OPTIONAL. Those students that wish to complete summer reading and a corresponding assignment will receive a dress down day for each book read/submitted assignment. There is no limit to the number of assignments completed.

Choose a book to read from the pre-approved list for the grade you will be entering. Using TEXAS paragraph format (topic sentence, examples from the text, analysis of why those examples were chosen, and a summary sentence), you must answer the following three prompts (one paragraph per prompt):

1. What was one theme of the novel?
2. What part of the novel did you most enjoy reading and why?
3. What is a life lesson you can take away after reading this?

Rising 9th Grade

The Giver - Lois Lowry

Great Expectations - Charles Dickens

The Hobbit - J.R.R. Tolkien

The Diary of a Young Girl - Anne Frank

Most Dangerous: Daniel Ellsberg and the Secret History of the Vietnam War - Steve Sheinkin

Animal Farm - George Orwell

Rising 10th Grade

The Hiding Place - Corrie Ten Boom

Scythe - Neil Schusterman

I Am Malala - Malala Yousafzai

A Tale of Two Cities - Charles Dickens

Red Queen: Book 1 - Victoria Aveyard

Monster - Walter Dean Myers

Rising 11th Grade

Seabiscuit: An American Legend - Laura Hillenbrand



They Called Us Enemy - George Takei
Cinder: Book One of the Lunar Chronicles - Marissa Meyer
Ender's Game - Orson Scott Card
Of Mice and Men - John Steinbeck
The Scarlet Letter - Nathaniel Hawthorne

Rising 12th Grade

Macbeth - William Shakespeare
Screwtape Letters - C.S. Lewis
Salt to the Sea - Ruta Sepetys
A Long Way Gone - Ishmael Beah
The Book Thief - Markus Zusak
Sword of Shannara - Terry Brooks