

High School Summer Reading 2020:

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Ancestral Wisdom



One Person, No Vote: How Not All Voters are Treated Equally by Carol Anderson

Feathered Serpent, Dark Heart of Sky: Myths of Mexico by David Bowles

Will My Cat Eat My Eyeballs? Big Questions from Tiny Mortals about Death by Caitlin Doughty

An Indigenous Peoples' History of the United States for Young People by Roxanne Dunbar-Ortiz,

Good Omens: The Nice and Accurate

Prophecies of Agnes Nutter, Witch by Neil Gaiman

Good Talk: A Memoir in Conversations by Mira Jacob

Absolutely Everything: A History of Earth, Dinosaurs, Rulers, Robots and Other Things too Numerous to Mention by Christopher Lloyd

A Girl Called Echo: Pemmican Wars by Katherena Vermette

This Place: 150 Years Retold

Fighting the Good Fight

Spies: The Secret Showdown Between America and Russia by Marc Favreau

A Fire Story by Brian Fies

Black Wings Beating by Alex London

Slay by Brittney Morris

Wilder Girls by Rory Power

The Education of Margot Sanchez by Lilliam Rivera



Once Upon a Time

The Darkest Part of the Forest by Holly Black

Three Dark Crowns series by Kendare Blake

The Wood by Chelsea Bobulski

Lady Midnight series by Cassandra Clare

A River of Royal Blood by Amanda Joy

Shatter The Sky by Rebecca Wells

How To Fracture a Fairy Tale by Jane Yolen

Black Eyed Susan titles

With The Fire On High by Elizabeth Acevedo

What If It's Us by Becky Albertalli

Ordinary Hazards by Nikki Grimes

Aurora Rising by Amie and Jay Kaufman



A Very Large Expanse of the Sea by Tahereh Mafi

Two Can Keep a Secret by Karen McManus

The Last to Let Go by Amber Smith

They Called Us Enemy by George Takei

Laura Dean Keeps Breaking Up With Me by Mariko Tamaki

Frankly in Love by David Yoon

The titles selected for this recommended summer reading list were chosen specifically for those students leaving grades 9, 10, 11 and 12. Titles included are just a sampling of the books you may enjoy reading during this summer. Many of the authors on this list have written more than one book. Check out some of these titles, too!

Stand Strong

Shout by Laurie Halse Anderson

Accused! The Trials of the Scottsboro Boys: Lies, Prejudice, and the Fourteenth Amendment by Larry Brimmer

What the Eyes Don't See: A Story of Crisis, Resistance, and Hope in an American City by Mona Hanna-Attisha

Brave Face: A Memoir by Shaun Hutchinson

The Three Escapes of Hannah Arendt: A Tyranny of Truth by Ken Krimstein

We Are Here to Stay: Voices of Undocumented Young Adults by Susan Kuklin

Voces Sin Fronteras/Our Stories, Our Truth by Latin American Youth Center

A Light in the Darkness: Janusz Korczak, His Orphans, and the Holocaust by Albert Marrin

The Dozier School for Boys: Forensics, Survivors, and a Painful Past by Elizabeth Murray

Make Trouble: Standing Up, Speaking Out, and Finding the Courage to Lead by Cecile Richards

Surviving the City by Tasha Spillett

Deep Dark Blue: A Memoir of Survival by Polo Tate

The Master Plan: My Journey from Life in Prison to a Life of Purpose by Chris Wilson

We Are Displaced My Journey & Stories From Refugee

Girls Around the World by Malala Yousafzai

How I Resist: Activism and Hope for a New Generation

Superheroes with a twist

Speak: The Graphic Novel by Laurie Halse Anderson

Suggested Reading by Dave Connis

Pet by Akwaeke Emezi

My Hero Academia: Vigilantes series by Hideyuki Furuhashi

Hawking by Jim and Leland Ottaviani

A Thousand Sisters the Heroic Airwomen of the Soviet Union in World War II by Elizabeth Wein



Be who you are, say what you feel

Love, Hate and Other Filters by Samira Ahmed

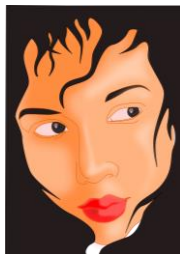
Giant Days: Volume 1 by John Allison

Dear Evan Hansen by Val Emmich

Give Me Some Truth by Eric Gansworth

Drawing is Magic: Discovering Yourself in a Sketchbook by John Hendrix

Obviously: Stories From My Timeline by Akilah Hughes



Rebel with a cause

We Should All Be Feminists by Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie

The Grand Escape: The Greatest Prison Breakout of the 20th Century by Neal Bascomb

Bad Boys of Fashion: Style Rebels and Renegades Through the Ages by Jennifer Croll

The Great Nijinsky: God of Dance by Lynn Curlee

Soaring Earth by Margarita Engle

Loving vs. Virginia: A Documentary Novel of the Landmark Civil Rights Case by Patricia Powell

Long Way Down by Jason Reynolds

Juliet Takes a Breath by Gabby Rivera

An Ember in the Ashes by Sabaa Tahir

The Electric War: Edison, Tesla, Westinghouse and the Race to Light the World by Mike Winchell

Oh my heart

Yellow Rose of Texas: The Myth of Emily Morgan by Douglas Brode

The Princess Bride by William Goldman

From Twinkle, with Love by Sandhya Menon

Dear Haiti, Love Alaine by Maika Moulite

The Astonishing Color of After by Emily Pan

Pumpkinheads by Rainbow Rowell

Sleepless, vol. 1 by Sarah Vaughn,



Unbroken: 13 Stories Starring Disabled Teens by Marieke Nijkamp

Bloom by Kevin Panetta

The Disturbed Girl's Dictionary by NoNiega Ramos

Brave the Page: A Young Writer's Guide to Telling Epic Stories by Rebecca Stern

Contact High: A Visual History of Hip-Hop by Vikki Tobak

Check, please! Book 1, #Hockey! By Ngozi Ukazu