

Lafayette Christian Academy

Summer Reading Lists

6th Grade Summer Reading Program

To complete the summer reading program, sixth graders will choose 2 books from the following list to read during the summer. Cliff notes or abbreviated versions of the book are not acceptable and will not provide the information that is needed.

Grading Criteria:

A comprehensive test will be taken during the first 2 weeks of school for both books.

6th Grade Reading List

A Little Princess by Frances Hodgson Burnett
ISBN 0064401871

The Million Dollar Kick by Dan Gutman
ISBN 0786815841

The Boy Who Saved Baseball by John H. Ritter
ISBN 0142402869

Cassie: The Girl with the Hero's Heart by Myrtle Long Haldeman
ISBN 082801096X

Dead End Vol. 15 by Jerry B. Jenkins, Chris Fabry
ISBN 1414301545

7th Grade Summer Reading Program

To complete the summer reading program, seventh graders will choose 2 books from the following list to read during the summer. Cliff notes or abbreviated versions of the book are not acceptable and will not provide the information that is needed.

Grading Criteria:

A comprehensive test will be taken during the first 2 weeks of school for both books.

7th Grade Reading List

The Summer of the Swans by Betsy Byars
ISBN 0140314202

Anne of Green Gables by L.M. Montgomery
ISBN 0694012513

The Hiding Place by Corrie Ten Boom
ISBN 0553256696

Flames of the Tiger by John Wilson
ISBN 1553376196

Heidi by Johanna Spyri
ISBN 0140366792

The Silent Boy by Lois Lowry
ISBN 0440419808

Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm by Kate Douglas Wiggin
ISBN 0694015288

Ivan and the Daring Escape by Myrna Grant
ISBN 1845501322

8th Grade Summer Reading Program

To complete the summer reading program, eighth graders will choose 2 books from the following list to read during the summer. Cliff notes or abbreviated versions of the book are not acceptable and will not provide the information that is needed.

Grading Criteria:

A comprehensive test will be taken during the first 2 weeks of school for both books.

8th Grade Reading List

Cracker! The Best Dog in Vietnam by Cynthia Kadohata
ISBN 141690638X

The Last Place I Want to Be by Paul Buchanan
ISBN 0825424089

Kidnapped by Robert Louis Stevenson
ISBN 0553212605

Born to Fly: The Heroic Story of Downed U.S. Navy Pilot Lt. Shane Osborn

by Shane Osborn with Malcolm McConnell
ISBN 0440237963

The Wind in the Willows by Kenneth Grahame
ISBN 1402725051

The Adventures of Tom Sawyer by Mark Twain
ISBN 0439099404

Taking Liberty by Ann Rinaldi
ISBN 068985188X

HIGH SCHOOL Summer Reading Program

To complete the summer reading program, all high school students will read 2 books. One of the books is a mandatory classic and one is a book of choice from the appropriate grade level book list. Cliff notes or abbreviated versions of the book are not acceptable and will not provide the information that is needed. The books may be checked out of the Lafayette Public Library or purchased from a bookstore. LCA is not responsible for providing the reading material.

Grading Criteria: The student will take a comprehensive test on both books during the first week of school.

9th GRADE: Mandatory Classic

The Hound of Baskerville by Sir Arthur Conan Doyle ISBN 0451528018

10th GRADE: Mandatory Classic

Animal Farm by George Orwell ISBN 0451526341

11th GRADE: Mandatory Classic

The Red Badge of Courage by Stephan Crane ISBN 978-1508482765

12th GRADE: Mandatory Classic

King Lear ISBN 978-0-7434-8276-9

9th GRADE BOOK OF CHOICE:

Edge of Apocalypse by Tim Lahaye/Craig Parshall ISBN 0310326281

The Heart Mender by Andy Andrews ISBN 0785231035

The Last Thing I Remember by Andrew Klavan ISBN 1595546073

10th GRADE BOOK OF CHOICE:

Thunder of Heaven by Tim Lahaye/Craig Parshall ISBN 0310326370

Eyes Wide Open by Ted Dekker ISBN 1617952737

Unlocked by Karen Kingsbury ISBN 9780310266952

11th GRADE BOOK OF CHOICE:

Brink of Chaos by Tim Lahaye/Craig Parsall ISBN 9780310326465

Coming Home by Karen Kingsbury ISBN 9780310266242

Rooms by James L. Rubart ISBN 0805448888

12th GRADE BOOK OF CHOICE:

Mark of Evil by Tim Lahaye/Craig Parsall ISBN 9780310334545

Fifteen Minutes by Karen Kingsbury ISBN 9781451647051

The Noticer by Andy Andrews ISBN 078523232X