

TCA High School Summer Reading List

Sophomores

If you are taking Honors Classics II:

Required for all:

- *Beowulf* translated by Seamus Heaney (required—books are available from Mrs. White in room 2260 until May 25)

Plus one from this list—

**Indicates mature themes, subjects, or language:

- *Persuasion* by Jane Austen
- *As You Like It* by William Shakespeare
- *The Count of Monte Cristo* by Alexander Dumas
- ***The Hunchback of Notre Dame* by Victor Hugo
- ***The Aeneid* by Vergil
- *A Tale of Two Cities* by Charles Dickens
- *Sense and Sensibility* by Jane Austen
- *Sir Gawain and the Green Knight*
- *The Only Road North* by Erik Mirandette

If you are taking Regular Classics II (NOT Honors):

Choose one from this list--**Indicates mature themes, subjects, or language:

- *Persuasion* by Jane Austen
- *As You Like It* by William Shakespeare
- *The Count of Monte Cristo* by Alexander Dumas
- ***The Hunchback of Notre Dame* by Victor Hugo
- ***The Aeneid* by Vergil
- *A Tale of Two Cities* by Charles Dickens
- *Sense and Sensibility* by Jane Austen
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Choose one other book that you and your parents decide on. The second book may be another choice from the above list or one that you and your parents agree is at an appropriate level for high school students.

Please read only unabridged editions. Accountability requirements will include a parent sign-off sheet distributed during the first week of school and some possible writing and discussion.