

Masconomet High School Summer Reading Lists

Grade 9

Students are responsible for looking up their respective assignments. Check the Masconomet Summer Reading webpage for that information.

9th Grade English Perspectives:

Please read one (grade level appropriate) book of your choice. Library staff is happy to make recommendations if needed.

9th Grade English CP:

Please choose ONE of the following titles.

Concrete Rose by Angie Thomas

Scythe by Neal Shusterman

I Have Lost My Way by Gayle Forman

9th Grade English Honors:

Please choose ONE of the following titles.

I Know Why The Caged Bird Sings by Maya Angelou

Fahrenheit 451 by Ray Bradbury

Narrative of the Life of Frederick Douglass by Frederick Douglass

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Grade 10

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10th Grade Honors & CP:

Read *Escape from Slavery* by Francis Bok and one book of your choice. Library staff is happy to make recommendations if needed.

10th Grade Perspectives:

Read ANY ONE book of your choice. Library staff is happy to make recommendations if needed.

Masconomet High School Summer Reading Grade 11

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11th Grade AP:

1. Read *Thank You for Arguing: What Aristotle, Lincoln, And Homer Simpson Can Teach Us About the Art of Persuasion* by Jay Heinrichs

2. Newspaper Assignment listed on Masconomet's webpage

11th Grade English Honors & American Studies Honors:

1. Read one book from the list below.

Ishmael by Daniel Quinn

Everything That Rises Must Converge by Flannery O'Connor

A Farewell to Arms by Ernest Hemingway

100 Selected Poems by e.e. Cummings

The Age of Innocence by Edith Wharton

Ceremony by Leslie Marmon Silko

As I Lay Dying by William Faulkner

The People's History of Sports in the United States by Dave Zirin

The Penguin Anthology of Twentieth Century American Poetry, Edited by Rita Dove [READ ONE POEM BY EACH POET.]

2. Watch the PBS documentary *American Creed*

11th Grade CP English & CP American Studies:

1. Choose one of these recommended texts.

Little Fires Everywhere by Celeste Ng

The Lone Ranger and Tonto Fistfight in Heaven by Sherman Alexie

Feed by M.T. Anderson

Sailing Alone Around the Room by Billy Collins

Goodbye, Columbus by Philip Roth

Ishmael by Daniel Quinn

The Other Wes Moore by Wes Moore

Revolutionary Road by Richard Yates

The People's History of Sports in the United States by Dave Zirin

2. Watch the PBS documentary *American Creed*.

11th Grade Perspectives:

Read at least one book of your choice. Library staff is happy to assist you if needed.

Masconomet High School Summer Reading Grade 12

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12th Grade Foundations in Literature:

Read at least one book of your choice. Library staff is happy to assist you if needed.

12th Grade Global Literature Honors & CP:

Read any age appropriate book by a non-American author that you have not been assigned to read before. Library staff is happy to assist you if needed.

12th Grade Gothic Tradition of Literature and Film

CP: Read one of the titles from the list below.

Honors: Read *The Picture of Dorian Gray* by Oscar Wilde and one of the titles below.

The Picture of Dorian Gray by Oscar Wilde (Honors)

The Haunting of Hill House by Shirley Jackson

The Castle of Otranto by Horace Walpole

The Time Machine by H.G. Wells

The Turn of the Screw by Henry James

Rebecca by Daphne du Maurier

Wuthering Heights by Emily Bronte

The Shining by Stephen King

12th Grade The Graphic Novel:

1. Read *Graphic Storytelling and Visual Narrative* by Will Eisner.

2. Read one book from this list:

- *Watchmen* by Alan Moore and Dave Gibbons

- *How I Made It To Eighteen* by Tracy White

- *Pride of Baghdad* by Brian Vaughan

- *Jar of Fools* by Jason Lutes

- *Honor Girl* by Maggie Thrash

- *Locke & Key: Welcome to Lovecraft* by Joe Hill and Gabriel Rodriguez

12th Grade AP English:

1. REQUIRED: *The Making of a Poem* by Eavan Boland and Mark Strand
2. REQUIRED: Read one book from this list below.

- *Emma* by Jane Austen
- *No Country for Old Men* by Cormac McCarthy
- *Corelli's Mandolin* by Louis De Bernieres
- *The Bell Jar* by Sylvia Plath
- *Crime and Punishment* by Fyodor Dostoyrsky
- *One Hundred Years of Solitude* by Gabriel Garcia Marquez
- *Passing* by Nella Larsen

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12th Grade Poetry:

1. REQUIRED: Read and sticky note your favorite and least favorite poems in Poetry 180: A Turning Back to Poetry by Billy Collins.

Be prepared to write an essay during the first week of school.

2. REQUIRED: Create an annotated anthology of your five favorite poems from the websites listed below. Click here for instructions on creating this anthology.

www.poetryfoundation.org/

www.poets.org/

www.poetryoutloud.org/

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC5DH3eN81b0RGJ7Xj3fsjVg> (This is the Button Poetry channel on YouTube.)