

HCS High School Novel List 2021-2022

Below is the list of the novels that will be read this school year in each grade level. Students will need to purchase their own novels to bring to class. Having an individual copy will allow students to highlight relevant passages or vocabulary words, annotate in the pages, and read/study their novels at home. It is not required for all novels to be bought at the beginning of the year. As the nine weeks progress, the teacher will let the students know when it will be time to purchase the book to prepare to bring it to class. If you have any questions, please contact your child's Reading/English teacher for clarification.

7th Grade

2nd Nine Weeks: ***A Long Walk to Water*** by Linda Sue Park (ISBN: 978-0-547-57731-9)

3rd Nine Weeks: ***Soul Surfer*** by Bethany Hamilton
Rick Bundschuh & Sheryl Berk (ISBN: 978-1-416-50346-0)

8th Grade

2nd Nine Weeks: ***Under the Overpass- Updated and expanded edition***
by Mike Yankoski (ISBN: 978-1-59052-402-2)

4th Nine Weeks: ***The Hiding Place- Young Reader's Edition***
by Corrie Ten Boom (ISBN: 978-0-8007-9627-3)

9th Grade

1st Nine Weeks: ***The Giver*** by Lois Lowry (ISBN: 978-0-544-33626-1)

2nd Nine Weeks: ***Romeo and Juliet- Barron's Modern English Version***
by William Shakespeare and modernized by Alan Durband
(ISBN: 978-0-8120-3572-8)

3rd Nine Weeks: ***The Bronze Bow*** by Elizabeth George Speare (ISBN: 978-0-395-13719-2)

4th Nine Weeks: ***The Odyssey*** by Homer translated by W.H.D. Rouse (ISBN: 987-0-451-47433-9)

10th grade

1st Nine Weeks: ***Night*** by Elie Weisel (ISBN: 9780374500016)

Later in Year: ***A Separate Peace*** by John Knowles (ISBN: 9780743253970)
Macbeth by William Shakespeare
*In Literature Book

11th grade

1st Nine Weeks: ***The Scarlet Letter*** by Nathaniel Hawthorne (ISBN: 9780486475697)

Later in Year: ***The Pearl*** by John Steinbeck (ISBN: 9780140177374)
Little Women by Louisa May Alcott (ISBN to be announced later)

12th grade

1st Nine Weeks: ***Hamlet*** by William Shakespeare (ISBN: 9781420952148)

Later in Year: ***Frankenstein*** by Mary Shelley (ISBN: 9780486475820)
Wuthering Heights by Emily Bronte (AP only) (ISBN: 9780141439556)
Animal Farm by George Orwell (ISBN: 9780451526342)