

Depew High School Summer 2009 Reading Lists

Students entering Grade 9 Regents in September of 2009 will be required to read **ONE** book. This year, students will be able to choose from the following titles:

- *A Stir of Bones* by Nina Kiriki Hoffman
- *Code Talkers* by Joseph Bruchac
- *Elsewhere* by Gabrielle Zevin
- *Slam* by Walter Dean Myers
- *Stargirl* by Jerry Spinelli
- *Heat* by Mike Lupica

Students entering Grade 9 HONORS in September 2009 will be required to read **TWO** books. This year, students choose one book from each group to read.

GROUP ONE – *choose one of the following books*

- *The Secret Life of Bees* by Sue Monk Kid
- *You Don't Know Me* by David Klass
- *The Bean Trees* by Barbara Kingsolver
- *Sport* by Mick Cochrane

GROUP TWO – *choose one of the following books*

- *A Stir of Bones* by Nina Kiriki Hoffman
- *Code Talkers* by Joseph Bruchac
- *Elsewhere* by Gabrielle Zevin
- *Slam* by Walter Dean Myers
- *Stargirl* by Jerry Spinelli
- *Heat* by Mike Lupica

Students entering grade 10 Regents in the fall of 2009 are required to **read one book** from the following list.

- *Touching Spirit Bear* by Ben Mikaelson
- *Keeping the Moon* by Sarah Dessen
- *Tuesdays with Morrie* by Mitch Albom
- *And Then There Were None* by Agatha Christie
- *Haroun and the Sea of Stories* by Salman Rushdie
- *Before We Were Free* by Julia Alvarez

Students entering English 10 Honors in Depew High School in the fall of 2009 are required to read *The Hobbit* and choose a book from the Part 2 list.

Part 1: *The Hobbit* by J.R.R. Tolkien

Part 2:

- *Tuesdays with Morrie* by Mitch Albom
- *Keeping the Moon* by Sarah Dessen
- *And Then There Were None* by Agatha Christie

Please choose one of the following novels to complete as your summer reading for English 11 Regents classes.

- *Misery* by Stephen King
- *The Five People You Meet in Heaven* by Mitch Albom
- *Angels and Demons* by Dan Brown
- *Lovely Bones* by Alice Sebold
- *The Pact* by Jodi Picoult
- *My Sister's Keeper* by Jodi Picoult
- *The Rescue* by Nicholas Sparks
- *This Boy's Life* by Tobias Wolff
- *Monster* by Walter Dean Meyers

English 11 Honors are to read both of the following books

- *Fahrenheit 451* by Ray Bradbury
- *To Kill a Mockingbird* by Harper Lee

English 12 students must choose one of the following books to read.

- *Kane & Abel* by Jeffrey Archer
- *The Undomestic Goddess* by Sophia Kinsella
- *Wish You Well* by David Baldacci
- *The Book Thief* by Markus Zusak
- *The Graveyard Book* by Neil Gaiman
- *New Moon* by Stephanie Meyer

Students entering English 12 AP in September 2009 must read the following two novels.

- *Adventures of Huckleberry Finn* by Mark Twain
- *Their Eyes Were Watching God* by Zora Neale Hurston