

Summer Reading Book Assignment

Sixth through Eleventh Grade

Hello!

One thing we do at Tallahassee Classical is read many wonderful books! We also want you to love reading and find beautiful books you enjoy that help you learn the truth and see the good. Please select one book from the list on the back and write an essay or create a visual presentation, covering all topics listed in the book report requirements. A visual presentation could be a posterboard, a diorama, a dramatic enactment, or a model. This should aide in your presentation of the book to your classmates. This will be due on August 16th.

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Directions: Please make sure to put your name and date in the top, right hand corner of your paper. Please add a title to your essay. Essays can be typed or written but **must be double-spaced**.

Your essay should include the following:

- The title and author
- The protagonist with a brief description
- The antagonist with a brief description
- The setting
- The plot, including the rising action, climax and resolution
- At least two themes
- Virtues that were displayed by any of the characters

Sixth through Eleventh Grade Summer Reading List

The books listed below vary in difficulty. Please take time to find a book that is at your comfortable reading level. Please check off the books you read this summer!

The Chronicles of Narnia (any book in this series) by C. S. Lewis

Around the World in 80 Days by Jules Verne

The Outsiders by S.E. Hinton

Anne Frank: Diary of a Young Girl

A Raisin in the Sun by Lorraine Hansberry

Greek & Roman Mythology: Age of Fable by Thomas Bulfinch

The Cay by Theodore Taylor

Archimedes and the Door of Science by Jeanne Bendick

Roll of Thunder, Hear My Cry by Mildred D. Taylor

King Arthur and His Knights of the Round Table by Roger Lancelyn Green

Redwall by Brian Jacques

Little Women by Louisa May Alcott

The Jungle Book by Rudyard Kipling

The Story of Thomas Alva Edison by Margaret Cousins

The Giver by Lois Lowry

SeaWolf by Jack London

Animal Farm by George Orwell

Frankeinstein by Mary Shelley

The Sun Also Rises by Ernest Hemingway

Swiss Family Robinson by Johann Davis Wyss

The Hobbit by J.R.R. Tolkien

I Never Saw Another Butterfly by Hanna Volavkova

1984 by George Orwell

The Great Gatsby by F. Scott Fitzgerald

The Grapes of Wrath by John Steinbeck

Jane Eyre by Charlotte Bronte

The Pilgrim's Progress (Original) by John Bunyon

Lord of the Rings Trilogy by J.R.R. Tolkien

Sophie's World by Jostein Gaarder

Catcher in the Rye by J.D. Salinger

Brave New World by Aldous Huxley

Their Eyes Were Watching God by Zora Neale Hurston

Metamorphosis by Ovid

The Joy Luck Club by Amy Tan

Confessions by Augustine of Hippo (Translated by Peter Constantine, W.W Norton & Co, 2020)

Theogony & Works & Days by Hesiod

Beloved by Toni Morrison

For Whom the Bell Tolls by Ernest Hemingway

Sense & Sensibility by Jane Austen

Wuthering Heights by Emily Bronte

Things Fall Apart by Chinua Achebe

Gulag Archipelago by Aleksandr Solzhenitsyn

Gorgias and Phaedrus by Pluto

Great Expectations by Charles Dickens