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JOHN CARROLL HIGH SCHOOL SUMMER READING 2017

Listed below are the Summer Reading books for students entering grades nine through twelve for the 2017-2018 school year. All students attending John Carroll will be required to take a test on the assigned novel the week of August 21st. This test grade will count toward the first nine weeks grade in English.

Please note that the book is to be read over the summer; therefore, it will not be reviewed prior to the test. Once the test has been taken, there will be discussions and activities based on the novel. Please be sure to purchase the unabridged edition. If you have any questions, please contact Allison Siringo, English Department Chairperson, at asiringo@johncarrollhigh.com.

Incoming Grade	Book	Author
9 th	<i>The Five People You Meet In Heaven</i>	Mitch Albom
10 th	<i>Of Mice and Men</i>	John Steinbeck
11 th	<i>A Separate Peace</i>	John Knowles
12 th	<i>Lord of the Flies</i>	William Golding

If you are an 11th or 12th grade student in an Advanced Placement Literature or Language class, please contact Ms. Kimmelman at akimmelman@johncarrollhigh.com for detailed assignments.

11 th AP Language (both novels)	<i>Unbroken</i>	Laura Hillenbrand
	<i>Life of Pi</i>	Yann Martel
12 th AP Literature	1984 (required)	George Orwell

Choose one of the following:

<i>The Power of One</i>	Bryce Courtenay
<i>All the King's Men</i>	Robert Penn Warren
<i>Atonement</i>	Ian McEwan
<i>Extremely Loud and Incredibly Close</i>	Jonathan Safran Foer
<i>Love in the Time of Cholera</i>	Gabriel Garcia Marquez
<i>The Brief Wondrous Life of Oscar Wao</i>	Junot Diaz
<i>The Road</i>	Cormac McCarthy
<i>A Thousand Splendid Suns</i>	Khaled Hosseini
<i>Midnight's Children</i>	Salman Rushdie
<i>Never Let Me Go</i>	Kazuo Ishiguro
<i>The Amazing Adventures of Kavalier and Clay</i>	Michael Chabon
<i>The Handmaid's Tale</i>	Margaret Atwood
<i>Catch 22</i>	Joseph Heller