

Bishop Montgomery High School
English Department 2018 Summer Reading List

English I-9

The Secret Life of Bees – Sue Monk Kidd

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English I Honors

Life of Pi – Yann Martel

A Separate Peace – John Knowles

English II

Of Mice and Men – John Steinbeck

Night – Elie Wiesel

English II Honors

Jane Eyre – Charlotte Bronte

Maltese Falcon – Dashiell Hammett

American Literature

Our Town – Thornton Wilder

Glass Menagerie – Tennessee Williams

American Literature Honors

Extremely Loud and Incredibly Close –

Jonathan Safran Foer

The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn –

Mark Twain

AP Language & Comp

Required reading for the Summer Reading exam on first day of classes:

The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn –

Mark Twain

Also, choose 1 of the following to read. This book will not be on the summer reading exam but will have an assignment given on the first day of classes.

Never Let Me Go - Kazuo Ishiguro

On Beauty - Zadie Smith

Invisible Man - Ralph Ellison

The Bell Jar - Sylvia Plath

The Color Purple - Alice Walker

British Literature/Short Story

**In place of a Summer Reading novel, all seniors are required to complete the Senior Guidance Packet found on Family Connection. Parent Section available on BMHS website.

British Literature Honors

Great Expectations – Charles Dickens

Pride and Prejudice – Jane Austen

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AP Literature & Comp

The Awakening – Kate Chopin

Great Expectations – Charles Dickens

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***There will be an assignment and test given covering the summer reading on the first full day of classes in the fall semester. Students enrolled in Honors English must attain a 60% or better on the exam in order to remain in the course. Students enrolled in AP English must attain a 70% or better on the exam in order to remain in the course. This is a major assignment/test grade and it is important for students to do well, especially to begin the new school year.**