

High School Summer Reading 2007 (Arranged by Title)*

- Green, John. AN ABUNDANCE OF KATHERINES. Penguin Young Readers, 2006. (Realistic Fiction, 11-12)
- Stone, Tanya Lee. A BAD BOY CAN BE GOOD FOR A GIRL. Wendy Lamb, 2006. (Realistic Fiction, 11-12)
- Kelton, Elmer. BADGER BOY. Forge, 2001. (Historical Fiction, 10-12)
- Flake, Sharon. BANG! Hyperion, 2005. (Realistic Fiction, 9-12)
- Hart, Elva Trevino. BAREFOOT HEART: STORIES OF A MIGRANT CHILD. Bilingual, 1999. (Nonfiction/Biography/Poetry/Short Stories, 10-12)
- Hyde, Katherine Ryan. BECOMING CHLOE. Random House, 2006. (Realistic Fiction, 11-12)
- Werlin, Nancy. BLACK MIRROR. Dial, 2001. (Mystery/Suspense/Adventure, 9-12)
- De La Cruz, Melissa. BLUE BLOODS. Hyperion, 2006. (Fantasy/Science Fiction/Horror, 9-12)
- Zusak, Marcus. THE BOOK THIEF. Knopf, 2006. (Historical Fiction, 9-12)
- Coleman, Evelyn. BORN IN SIN. Atheneum, 2001. (Sports, 9-12)
- Korman, Gordon. BORN TO ROCK. Hyperion, 2006. (Humor, 9-12)
- Mazer, Harry. A BOY AT WAR: A NOVEL OF PEARL HARBOR. Simon & Schuster, 2001. (Historical Fiction, 9-12)
- Flinn, Alex. BREATHING UNDERWATER. HarperCollins, 2001. (Realistic Fiction, 9-12)
- Crew, Linda. BRIDES OF EDEN: A TRUE STORY IMAGINED. HarperCollins, 2001. (Historical Fiction, 9-12)
- Reinhardt, Dana. A BRIEF CHAPTER IN MY IMPOSSIBLE LIFE. Wendy Lamb Books, 2006. (Realistic Fiction, 9-12)
- Hopkins, Ellen. BURNED. Margaret McElderry Books, 2006. (Realistic Fiction, 10-12)
- Ferguson, Alane. THE CHRISTOPHER KILLER. Sleuth Viking, 2006. (Mystery/Suspense/Adventure, 9-12)
- Connelly, Michael. THE CLOSERS: A NOVEL. Little, Brown, 2005. (Mystery/Suspense/Adventure, 11-12)
- Sorrells, Walter. CLUB DREAD. Dutton, 2006. (Mystery/Suspense/Adventure, 9-12)

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THE COLOR OF ABSENCE: 12 STORIES ABOUT LOSS AND HOPE; edited by James Howe. Atheneum, 2001. (Nonfiction/Biography/Poetry/Short Stories, 9-12)

Draper, Sharon. COPPER SUN. Atheneum Books for Young Readers, 2006. (Historical Fiction, 9-12)

Coy, John. CRACKBACK. Scholastic, 2005. (Sports, 9-12)

Fredericks, Mariah. CRUNCH TIME. Simon & Schuster, 2006. (Realistic Fiction, 9-12)

Murdock, Catherine Gilbert. DAIRY QUEEN. Houghton Mifflin, 2006. (Humor, 9-12)

Draper, Sharon. DARKNESS BEFORE DAWN. Atheneum, 2001. (Realistic Fiction, 9-12)

Marillier, Juliet. DAUGHTER OF THE FOREST. Tor, 2000. (Fantasy/Science Fiction/Horror, 9-12)

Price, Charlie. DEAD CONNECTION. Roaring Brook Press, 2006. (Mystery/Suspense/Adventure, 9-12)

Beard, Philip. DEAR ZOE: A NOVEL. Viking, 2005. (Realistic Fiction, 11-12)

Broach, Elise. DESERT CROSSING. Henry Holt, 2006. (Mystery/Suspense/Adventure, 9-12)

Bunting, Eve. DOLL BABY. Clarion, 2000. (Realistic Fiction, 9-12)

Marino, Peter. DOUGH BOY. Holiday House, 2005. (Realistic Fiction, 9-12)

Dessen, Sarah. DREAMLAND. Viking, 2000. (Realistic Fiction, 9-12)

Codell, Esmé. EDUCATING ESME: DIARY OF A TEACHER'S FIRST YEAR. Algonquin, 1999. (Nonfiction/Biography/Poetry/Short Stories, 10-12)

Anaya, Rudolfo. ELEGY ON THE DEATH OF CESAR CHAVEZ; illustrated by Gaspar Enríquez. Cinco Puntos, 2000. (Nonfiction/Biography/Poetry/Short Stories, 9-12)

Parker, Steve and Jane. THE ENCYCLOPEDIA OF SHARKS. Firefly, 1999. (Nonfiction/Biography/Poetry/Short Stories, 9-12)

Nazario, Sonia. ENRIQUE'S JOURNEY. Random House, Inc. (Nonfiction/Biography/Poetry/Short Stories, 10-12)

Williams-García, Rita. EVERY TIME A RAINBOW DIES. HarperCollins, 2001. (Realistic Fiction, 10-12)

Schlosser, Eric. FAST FOOD NATION: THE DARK SIDE OF THE ALL-AMERICAN DREAM. Houghton Mifflin, 2001. (Nonfiction/Biography/Poetry/Short Stories, 9-12)

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- Dotz, Warren, Jack Mingo, and George Moyer. FIRECRACKERS: THE ART AND HISTORY. Ten Speed, 2000. (Nonfiction/Biography/Poetry/Short Stories, 9-12)
- Bradley, James. FLAGS OF OUR FATHERS: HEROES OF IWO JIMA. Adapted by Michael French. Delacorte, 2001. (Nonfiction/Biography/Poetry/Short Stories, 9-12)
- Weaver, Will. FULL SERVICE. Farrar, Straus, & Giroux, 2005. (Historical Fiction, 9-12)
- Greenberg, Jan and Jordan. FRANK O. GEHRY: OUSTIDE IN. DK, 2000. (Nonfiction/Biography/Poetry/Short Stories, 9-12)
- Lawrence, Iain. GHOST BOY. Delacorte, 2000. (Historical Fiction, 9-12)
- Chevalier, Tracy. GIRL WITH A PEARL EARRING. Dutton, 1999. (Historical Fiction, 10-12)
- Giblin, James Cross. GOOD BROTHER, BAD BROTHER: THE STORY OF EDWIN BOOTH & JOHN WILKES. Booth. Clarion, 2005. (Nonfiction/Biography/Poetry/Short Stories, 9-12)
- Myers, Walter Dean. The GREATEST: MUHAMMED ALI. Scholastic, 2001. (Nonfiction/Biography/Poetry/Short Stories, 9-12)
- Sweeney, Joyce. HEADLOCK. Henry Holt & Company, 2006. (Sports, 9-12)
- HEART TO HEART: NEW POEMS INSPIRED BY TWENTIETH CENTURY AMERICAN ART; edited by Jan and Jordan Greenberg. Abrams, 2001. (Nonfiction/Biography/Poetry/Short Stories, 9-12)
- Owen, David. HIDDEN EVIDENCE: 40 TRUE CRIMES AND HOW FORENSIC SCIENCE HELPED SOLVE THEM. Firefly, 2000. (Nonfiction/Biography/Poetry/Short Stories, 9-12)
- Hautman, Pete. HOLE IN THE SKY. Simon & Schuster, 2001. (Fantasy/Science Fiction/Horror, 9-12)
- Kantor, Melissa. IF I HAVE A WICKED STEPMOTHER, WHERE'S MY PRINCE? Hyperion, 2005. (Humor, 9-12)
- Opdyke, Irene Gut. IN MY HANDS: MEMORIES OF A HOLOCAUST RESCUER. Knopf, 1999. (Nonfiction/Biography/Poetry/Short Stories, 9-12)
- Lynch, Chris. INEXCUSABLE. Simon & Shuster, 2005. (Realistic Fiction, 11-12)
- Soto, Gary. JESSIE DE LA CRUZ: A PROFILE OF A UNITED FARM WORKER. Persea, 2000. (Nonfiction/Biography/Poetry/Short Stories, 9-12)
- Dessen, Sarah. JUST LISTEN. Viking, 2006. (Realistic Fiction, 9-12)

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- Bondoux, Anne-Laure. THE KILLER'S TEARS. Delacorte Press, 2006. (Fantasy/Science Fiction/Horror, 9-12)
- Waltman, Kevin. LEARNING THE GAME. Scholastic, 2005. (Sports, 9-12)
- Turner, Ann. LEARNING TO SWIM: A MEMOIR. Scholastic, 2000. (Nonfiction/Biography/Poetry/Short Stories, 9-12)
- Stratton, Allan. LESLIE'S JOURNAL: A NOVEL. Firefly, 2000. (Realistic Fiction, 10-12)
- Pfeffer, Susan Beth. LIFE AS WE KNEW IT. Harcourt, 2006. (Mystery/Suspense/Adventure, 9-12)
- Caprara, Giovanni. LIVING IN SPACE: FROM SCIENCE FICTION TO THE INTERNATIONAL SPACE STATION. Firefly, 2000. (Nonfiction/Biography/Poetry/Short Stories, 9-12)
- Alten, Steve. THE LOCH. Tsunami Books, 2005. (Fantasy/Science Fiction/Horror, 11-12)
- Les Becquets, Diane. LOVE, CAJUN STYLE. Bloomsbury, 2005. (Realistic Fiction, 9-12)
- LOVE & SEX: TEN STORIES OF TRUTH; edited by Michael Cart. Simon & Schuster, 2001. (Nonfiction/Biography/Poetry/Short Stories, 10-12)
- Sherwood, Ben. THE MAN WHO ATE THE 747. Bantam, 2000. (Realistic Fiction, 10-12)
- Coman, Carolyn. MANY STONES. Front Street, 2000. (Realistic Fiction, 9-12)
- Grogan, John. MARLEY & ME: LIFE AND LOVE WITH THE WORLD'S WORST DOG. Morrow, 2005. (Nonfiction/Biography/Poetry/Short Stories, 9-12)
- Weaver, Will. MEMORY BOY. Harper Collins, 2001. (Fantasy/Science Fiction/Horror, 9-12)
- Kidd, Ronald. MONKEY TOWN: THE SUMMER OF THE SCOPES TRIAL. Simon & Schuster, 2006. (Historical Fiction, 9-12)
- Chester, Jonathan. THE NATURE OF PENGUINS. Celestial Arts, 2001. (Nonfiction/Biography/Poetry/Short Stories, 9-12)
- Ferris, Jean. OF SOUND MIND. Farrar, Straus & Giroux, 2002. (Realistic Fiction, 9-12)
- Miller, Mary Beth. ON THE HEAD OF A PIN. Dutton, 2006. (Realistic Fiction, 10-12)
- Westerfeld, Scott. PEEPS. Razorbill, 2005. (Fantasy/Science Fiction/Horror, 9-12)
- Bennett, James W. PLUNKING REGGIE JACKSON. Simon & Schuster, 2001. (Sports, 9-12)
- Wooding, Chris. POISON. Orchard Books, 2005. (Fantasy/Science Fiction/Horror, 9-12)

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- Allende, Isabel. PORTRAIT IN SEPIA. HarperCollins, 2001. (Historical Fiction, 10-12)
- Cormier, Robert. THE RAG AND BONE SHOP. Delacorte, 2001.
(Mystery/Suspense/Adventure, 9-12)
- Hautman, Pete. RASH. Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers, 2006. (Fantasy/Science Fiction/Horror, 9-12)
- Tullson, Diane. RED SEA. Orca, 2005. (Mystery/Suspense/Adventure, 9-12)
- Allende, Isabel. RETRATO EN SEPIA: UNA NOVELA. Rayo, 2001. (Spanish, Historical Fiction, 10-12)
- Brooks, Kevin. THE ROAD OF THE DEAD. The Chicken House, 2006.
(Mystery/Suspense/Adventure, 9-12)
- Volponi, Paul. ROOFTOP. Viking, 2006. (Realistic Fiction, 10-12)
- Werlin, Nancy. THE RULES OF SURVIVAL. Dial, 2006. (Realistic Fiction, 9-12)
- Lynn, Tracy. RX. Simon Pulse, 2006. (Realistic Fiction, 9-12)
- Bradshaw, Gillian. THE SAND-RECKONER. Forge, 2000. (Historical Fiction, 10-12)
- Pearson, Mary. SCRIBBLER OF DREAMS. Harcourt, 2001. (Realistic Fiction, 9-12)
- Jordan, Sherryl. SECRET SACRAMENT. HarperCollins, 2000. (Fantasy/Science Fiction/Horror, 9-12)
- Nicholson, William. SEEKER. Harcourt, 2006. (Fantasy/Science Fiction/Horror, 9-12)
- McDonald, Joyce. SHADES OF SIMON GRAY. Delacorte, 2001.
(Mystery/Suspense/Adventure, 9-12)
- McDonald, Joyce. SHADOW PEOPLE. Delacorte, 2000. (Mystery/Suspense/Adventure, 9-12)
- Atwater-Rhodes, Amelia. SHATTERED MIRROR. Delacorte, 2001. (Fantasy/Science Fiction/Horror, 9-12)
- Henry, April. SHOCK POINT. G.P. Putnam's Sons, 2006. (Mystery/Suspense/Adventure, 9-12)
- Halam, Ann. SIBERIA. Wendy Lamb, 2005. (Fantasy/Science Fiction/Horror, 9-12)
- Brashares, Ann. THE SISTERHOOD OF THE TRAVELING PANTS. Delacorte, 2001.
(Realistic Fiction, 9-12)
- McCormick, Patricia. SOLD. Hyperion, 2006. (Realistic Fiction, 9-12)

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- Wulffson, Don. SOLDIER X. Viking, 2001. (Historical Fiction, 9-12)
- McDonald, Janet. SPELLBOUND. Farrar, Straus, Giroux, 2001. (Realistic Fiction, 9-12)
- Freymann-Weyr, Garret. STAY WITH ME. Houghton Mifflin, 2006. (Realistic Fiction, 11-12)
- Rottman, S.L. STETSON. Viking, 2002. (Realistic Fiction, 9-12)
- Lehman, Carolyn. STRONG AT THE HEART: HOW IT FEELS TO HEAL FROM SEXUAL ABUSE. Farrar, Straus, & Giroux, 2005. (Nonfiction/Biography/Poetry/Short Stories, 9-12)
- Fletcher, Christine. TALLULAH FALLS. Bloomsbury, 2006. (Realistic Fiction, 9-12)
- Isaacs, Anne. TORN THREAD. Scholastic, 2000. (Historical Fiction, 9-12)
- Vaught, Susan. TRIGGER. Bloomsbury, 2006. (Realistic Fiction, 10-12)
- Geras, Adele. TROY. Harcourt, 2001. (Historical Fiction, 10-12)
- Shinn, Sharon. THE TRUTH-TELLER'S TALE. Viking, 2005. (Fantasy/Science Fiction/Horror, 9-12)
- Meserole, Mike. 20th CENTURY SPORTS: IMAGES OF GREATNESS. (Nonfiction/Biography/Poetry/Short Stories, 9-12)
- Staples, Suzanne Fisher. UNDER THE PERSIMMON TREE. Farrar, Straus, & Giroux, 2005. (Historical Fiction, 9-12)
- Gálvez, José. VATOS; poem by Luis Alberto Urrea; introduction by Benjamín Alire Sáenz. Cinco Puntos, 2000. (Nonfiction/Biography/Poetry/Short Stories, 9-12)
- Crutcher, Chris. WHALE TALK. Greenwillow, 2001. (Sports, 9-12)
- Gallo, Don, ed. WHAT ARE YOU AFRAID OF? STORIES ABOUT PHOBIAS. Candlewick, 2006. (Nonfiction/Biography/Poetry/Short Stories, 9-12)
- GAME FACE: WHAT DOES A FEMALE ATHLETE LOOK LIKE?; edited by Jane Gottesman. Random House, 2001. (Nonfiction/Biography/Poetry/Short Stories, 9-12)
- Giles, Gail. WHAT HAPPENED TO CASS MCBRIDE? Little, Brown & Co., 2006. (Mystery/Suspense/Adventure, 10-12)
- Lester, Julius. WHEN DAD KILLED MOM. Harcourt, 2001. (Realistic Fiction, 11-12)
- YOU HEAR ME?: POEMS AND WRITINGS BY TEENAGE BOYS; edited by Betsy Franco. Candlewick, 2000. (Nonfiction/Biography/Poetry/Short Stories, 9-12)

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