



THE KING'S ACADEMY

English Literature and Textbook List 2022-2023

Class

Text

6th Grade

The Wanderings of Odysseus by Rosemary Sutcliff
New Kid by Jerry Craft
Soul Surfer by Bethany Hamilton
No Fear Shakespeare: Julius Caesar by William Shakespeare
Assorted Short Stories, Poems, and Nonfiction Selections from the Houghton Mifflin Harcourt Literature Anthology: *Into Literature Level 6*

7th Grade

Nine, Ten - A September 11th Story by Nora Raleigh Baskin
A Christmas Carol play adaptation by Charles Dickens
Inside Out and Back Again by Thanhha Lai
The Pearl by John Steinbeck
Assorted Short Stories, Poems, and Nonfiction Selections from the Houghton Mifflin Harcourt Literature Anthology: *Into Literature Level 7*

8th Grade

Farewell to Manzanar by Jeanne Wakatsuki Houston
To Kill a Mockingbird by Harper Lee
The Diary of Anne Frank play adaptation by Frances Goodrich & Albert Hackett
The Wonderful Wizard of Oz by L Frank Baum
Assorted Short Stories, Poems, and Nonfiction Selections from the Houghton Mifflin Harcourt Literature Anthology: *Into Literature Level 8*

English 9

Animal Farm by George Orwell
Romeo and Juliet by William Shakespeare
Everything Sad is Untrue by Daniel Nayeri
Snow Falling in Spring: Coming of Age in China During the Cultural Revolution by Moying Li
Assorted Short Stories, Poems, and Nonfiction Selections from the Houghton Mifflin Harcourt Literature Anthology: *Into Literature Level 9*

English 9H

Snow Falling in Spring: Coming of Age in China During the Cultural Revolution by Moying Li
Brown Girl Dreaming by Jaqueline Woodson
Animal Farm by George Orwell
Romeo and Juliet by William Shakespeare
A Tale of Two Cities by Charles Dickens
Assorted Short Stories, Poems, and Nonfiction Selections

English 10

Beowulf
Dr. Faustus by Christopher Marlow
Oedipus Rex by Sophocles
Night by Elie Wiesel
Fahrenheit 451 by Ray Bradbury

All Quiet on the Western Front by Erich Maria Remarque
Assorted Short Stories, Poems, and Nonfiction Selections

English 10H

Memoir project, free choice
Lord of the Flies by William Golding
Oedipus Rex by Sophocles
Dr. Faustus by Christopher Marlow
All Quiet on the Western Front by Erich Maria Remarque
Night by Elie Wiesel
Assorted Short Stories, Poems, and Nonfiction Selections

English 11

The Crucible by Arthur Miller
The Grapes of Wrath by John Steinbeck
The Great Gatsby by F Scott Fitzgerald
Hiroshima by John Hersey

**English 11 AP
Language**

Excerpts from the following:
The Great Gatsby by F. Scott Fitzgerald
Death of a Salesman by Arthur Miller
Plato's Republic
Nicomachean Ethics by Aristotle
Crazy Horse: A Life by Larry McMurtry
Everything's An Argument, eds. Lunsford & Ruskiewicz
Narrative of the Life of Frederick Douglass
Assorted Short Stories, Essays, Poems, and Nonfiction Selections

English 12

Hamlet by William Shakespeare
Frankenstein by Mary Shelley
Klara and the Sun by Kazuo Ishiguro
David and Goliath by Malcolm Gladwell
Assorted Short Stories, Poems, and Nonfiction Selections

**English 12 AP
Literature and
Composition**

Selections vary based on AP College Board recommendations and teacher insights;
titles for this course have included but are not limited to:
Purple Hibiscus by Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie
Shakespeare's Tragedies
Antigone by Sophocles
Their Eyes Were Watching God by Zora Neale Hurston
Heart of Darkness by Joseph Conrad
The Awakening by Kate Chopin
Into the Wild by John Krakauer
The Road by Cormac McCarthy
Various poetry and selections from larger works

JH Debate

Assorted short stories, dramas, and poems (International Debate Association)

**JH Speaking With
Confidence**

The Complete Book of Speech Communication (Meriwether Publishing)

HS Creative Writing

Selected Fiction and Nonfiction

**HS Public Speaking
& Debate**

Various sources including: *Everything's an Argument* by Lunsford handbooks, *Speech* by Glencoe, and the League Policy Debate Handbook