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## Second Grade

Winnie-the Pooh
The Courage of Sarah Noble
Mr. Popper's Penguins
Baby Island
Little House on the Prairie
Encyclopedia Brown, Boy Detective
The Egyptians
The Egyptian Cinderella
A Child's Garden of Verses
Random House Book of Fairy Tales
Tirzah

### Required Summer

The Velveteen Rabbit

### Optional Summer

In Grandma's Attic
The Boxcar Children
Old Mother West Wind

## Third Grade

The Trojan Horse
Black Ships Before Troy
Charlotte's Web
The BFG
D'Aulaire's Greek Myths
Alice's Adventures in Wonderland
Detectives in Togas
Peril and Peace
Homer Price
Encyclopedia Brown and the Secret Pitch

### Required Summer

Misty of Chincoteague

### Optional Summer

Stuart Little
The Silver Branch
The Dragon of Lonely Island
Just-So Stories

## Fourth Grade

Wind in the Willows
Augustine Came to Kent
Adam of the Road
Monks and Mystics
Little Pilgrim's Progress
Courage and Conviction
Mary Poppins
Robin Hood

### Required Summer

Twenty-One Balloons

### Optional Summer

The Captive Princess
The Door in the Wall
The Indian in the Cupboard

## Fifth Grade

The Hobbit
The Prince and the Pauper
Blackthorn Winter
Hearts and Hands
The Cricket in Times Square
Johnny Tremain
Witch of Blackbird Pond
Seaman, Dog

### Required Summer

From the Mixed-Up Files of Mrs. Basil E. Frankweiler

### Optional Summer

Anne of Green Gables
Treasure Island
Heidi
Old Yeller

## Sixth Grade

Around the World in 80 Days
The Call of the Wild
White Fang
Lamb's Tales of Shakespeare
Rescue and Redeem
Across Five Aprils
The Adventures of Tom Sawyer
The Lion, The Witch and The Wardrobe

### Required Summer

Leepike Ridge

### Optional Summer

Little Women
Kidnapped
A Wrinkle in Time

## Seventh Grade

Genesis
Exodus
1, 2 Samuel
1, 2 Kings
Luke
Acts
Isaiah
Jeremiah
Galatians
Romans
James
Minor Prophets
Epic of Gilgamesh
The Code of Hammurabi
The Odyssey – Homer
The Histories – Herodotus
Plato
- Euthyphro
- The Apology
- Crito

The Early History of Rome
Julius Caesar – Shakespeare
The Aeneid – Virgil
Chosen by God
The Holiness of God
The Screwtape Letters
Till We Have Faces

### Required Summer

Complete Chronicles of Narnia Series

## Eighth Grade

John
Ephesians
The Church History – Eusebius
The Confessions – Augustine
On the Incarnation – Athanasius
The Creeds
The Ecclesiastical History – Bede
The Rule of St. Benedict
Beowulf
The Song of Roland
The History of the Kings of Britain
Macbeth
Sir Gawain and the Green Knight
The Divine Comedy: Inferno – Dante
The Canterbury Tales
The Bondage of the Will
A Midsummer Night's Dream
The Dragon and the Raven
Henry V
Romeo and Juliet
The Fellowship of the Ring
The Return of the King

### Required Summer

The Hobbit
The Two Towers
The Merry Adventures of Robin Hood

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## Ninth Grade

Philemon
1, 2, 3 John
Daniel
1, 2 Peter
Jude
Robinson Crusoe
The Communist Manifesto
Mein Kampf
The Pilgrim's Progress
Reflections on the Revolution in France
The Social Contract
A Tale of Two Cities
Hard Times
The Westminster Confession of Faith
Christianity and Liberalism
How Should We Then Live?
Postmodern Times
Wealth of Nations
Crime and Punishment
Hamlet
All Quiet on the Western Front
Animal Farm
The Portable Enlightenment Reader
The Old Man and the Sea

### Required Summer

Foxe's Book of Martyrs
Pride and Prejudice
Frankenstein

## Tenth Grade

Job
Proverbs
Psalms
Joshua, Judges, Ruth
1 and 2 Chronicles
Ezra, Nehemiah, Esther
Gospel of Mark
Philippians and Colossians
The Iliad
Peloponnesian War – Thucydides
The Bacchae – Euripides
The Clouds – Aristophanes
Hippocratic Oath
The Republic – Plato
Nichomachean Ethics – Aristotle
Poetics – Aristotle
Art and the Bible
Apocrypha: Judith, Tobit, 1 & 2 Maccabees
The War with Hannibal – Livy
Eclogues and Georgics – Virgil
Knowing God – J I Packer
On the Nature of Things – Lucretius
Cicero
Antony and Cleopatra – Shakespeare
Annals of Imperial Rome – Tacitus
Metamorphoses – Ovid
Phantastes – George MacDonald
Mythology – Edith Hamilton
The Jewish Wars – Josephus
Plutarch's Lives
Meditations – Marcus Aurelius
Desiring God – John Piper
Apostolic Fathers

### Required Summer

Aesop's Fables
Death on the Nile
20,000 Leagues Under the Sea – Jules Verne

## Eleventh Grade

Numbers
1, 2 Thessalonians
Hebrews
1, 2 Corinthians
The City of God – Augustine
Chronicle of the Kings of England
The Divine Comedy – Dante
Lives of Thomas Becket
The Canterbury Tales
The Faerie Queen
Heidelberg Catechism
Here I Stand
Calvin's Institutes
Le Morte D'Arthur – Malory
Idylls of the King – Tennyson
St. Thomas Aquinas and St. Frances of Assisi – G.K. Chesterton
The Great Divorce – C.S. Lewis
The Decameron – Boccaccio
A Distant Mirror – Barbara Tuchman
Othello – Shakespeare
Complete Poems of George Herbert
The Koran
The Praise of Folly – Erasmus
Martin Luther: Selections
The Prince – Macheavelli
Richard III – Shakespeare
Tartuffe – Moliere
Summa Theologica – Aquinas
Two Lives of Charlemagne

### Required Summer

The Saga of the Volsungs
The Consolation of Philosophy – Boethius
Leviticus

## Twelfth Grade

Lincoln's Speeches and Writings
The Anti-Federalist Papers
The Federalist Papers
The Great Gatsby
Uncle Tom's Cabin
The Killer Angels
Scarlet Letter
Fahrenheit 451
Of Plymouth Plantation
Paradise Lost – John Milton
Moby Dick – Melville
Democracy in America – Tocqueville
Huckleberry Finn
Battle Cry of Freedom
Citizen Soldiers – Stephen Ambrose
Letter from Birmingham Jail
Common Sense – Paine
The End for Which God Created the Universe – Jonathan Edwards
The Legend of Sleepy Hollow
John Adams – David McCullough
Self-Reliance – Emerson
Civil Disobedience – Thoreau
Leaves of Grass – Walt Whitman
The Jungle – Upton Sinclair
50 Great Short Stories
Poetry of T.S. Eliot
Poetry of Robert Frost
Poetry of Emily Dickinson

### Required Summer

Out of the Silent Planet – C. S. Lewis
Perelandra – C. S. Lewis
That Hideous Strength – C. S. Lewis