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SUMMER READING – ENGLISH

SOPHOMORES

DIRECTIONS: Read one literary work of fiction from the list below and one nonfiction book from the list that appears on the reverse side of this paper, for a total of two books. Be sure that you read titles listed for your grade level as of September; ask the librarian if you are unsure.

Assessment: When you return to school in the fall, you will be tested on your summer reading assignment. This exam will be administered during the first marking period and will count as a test grade. In order to prepare for the exam you should take thorough, hand-written notes while you are reading. For each book that you read, your notes should include the title, author, names of the main characters, setting, theme and a brief description of the plot. In addition, you should maintain an ongoing list of new vocabulary words and their definitions.

Summer Reading for 10th Graders

Fiction

Hailey Abbot: *Summer Boys*
David Chotjewitz: *Daniel Half Human: And the Good Nazi*
James Dashner: *The Maze Runner*
Cory Doctorow: *Little Brother*
John Green: *The Fault in Our Stars*
John Green: *Looking for Alaska*
Sara Gruen: *Water for Elephants*
Ellen Hopkins: *Crank*
Angela Johnson: *Heaven*
William Landay: *Defending Jacob*
Sarah Maas: *Throne of Glass*
Garth Nix: *Sabriel*
Veronica Roth: *Divergent*
Elizabeth Wein: *Code Name Verity*
Marcus Zusak: *I Am the Messenger*

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