**AP Literature Summer Reading (HHS)**

**Summer 2017**

Three required novels for all students:

1. *The Catcher in the Rye* (J.D. Salinger)
2. *1984* (George Orwell)
3. Any work from the list below. This list draws from the last five years (2013-2017) AP Literature Question 3 text suggestions:

*The Poisonwood Bible Adventures of Huckleberry Finn Absalom! Absalom!*

*Antigone All the Pretty Horses The Age of Innocence*

*The Portrait of a Lady Atonement Another Country*

*The Awakening Black Boy Brideshead Revisited*

*A Prayer for Owen Meany Breath, Eyes, Memory Ceremony*

*Beloved Brown Girl, Brownstones Death of a Salesman*

*A Raisin in the Sun Cat’s Eyes The Glass Menagerie*

*The Crucible The Chosen M. Butterfly*

*The Scarlet Letter The Cider House Rules A Midsummer Night’s D*

*A Streetcar Named Desire David Copperfield My Antonia*

*Ethan Frome The God of Small Things A Doll House*

*A Tale of Two Cities The Color Purple No Exit*

*The Burgess Boys The Grapes of Wrath A Passage to India*

*Tess of the D’Urbervilles The House on Mango Street The Piano Lesson*

*Linden Hills Jasmine The Plague*

*Their Eyes Were Watching God The Joy Luck Club Pride and Prejudice*

*Sun Flower and Secret Fan The Namesake Snow Falling on Cedars*

*Much Ado About Nothing The Joys of Motherhood Sula*

*A Thousand Acres Purple Hibiscus The Sun Also Rises*

*Noah’s Compass The Secret Life of Bees Wuthering Heights*

*Women of Brewster Place A Separate Peace Siddhartha*

*Oryx and Crake Maggie: A Girl of the Streets The Sound and the Fury*

*100 Years of Solitude One Flew Over the Cuckoo’s Nest Picture of Dorian Gray*

*A Tree Grows in Brooklyn A Thousand Splendid Suns The Woman Warrior*

*Song of Solomon The Sorrows of Edgar Sawtelle Reservation Blues*

*When the Emperor Was Divine Brave New World Dracula*

*The English Patient In the Lake of the Woods Grendel*

*The Iliad Jane Eyre Light in August*

*The Mayor of Casterbridge The Metamorphosis Middlemarch*

*No Country for Old Men Orlando Othello*

*Playboy of the Western World Yellow Raft Blue Water Anna Karenina*

*As You Like It The Blind Assassin Bonesetter’s Daughter*

*Who’s Afraid of Virginia Woolf Extremely Loud and Incredibly Close Frankenstein*

*Jude the Obscure The Kite Runner Never Let Me Go*

*Madame Bovary The Memory Keeper’s Daughter Middlesex*

Spending time in the summer reading an additional title or two (along with some excellent poetry) will make you better prepared for AP Literature, college, and life as a fully realized human being.