Westlake High School Required Summer Reading 2023

English Classes: Students in all levels and grades at WHS are encouraged to read books of their choosing over the summer months. The teachers of the WHS English Department believe that reading something that you enjoy is the best way to detox from technology, widen your vocabulary, and begin, little by little, to understand the human condition and our place within it.

Honors & AP Courses have Additional Requirements as follows:

English 9 Honors

The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time: by Haddon

English 10 Honors

The Hate U Give: by Thomas

English 11 Honors

To Kill a Mockingbird: by Lee

AP Literature

Choose one of the following novels to read over the summer. Just read it and think about it. Annotate it if that's an activity you find valuable.

The first week or so of class we'll be discussing/sharing our experiences with these texts, and I'll ask you to do some writing about what you chose to read at that point. We will also use your summer choice text as a basis for learning how to approach the FRQ3 on the AP Literature exam.

25 Modern Novels of Literary Merit endorsed by the College Board for use on the AP Literature FRQ3

Novel	<u>Author</u>
Purple Hibiscus	Adichie
In the Time of the Butterflies	Alvarez
The Handmaid's Tale	Atwood
Kindred	Butler
All the Light We Cannot See	Doerr
Washington Black	Edugyan
The Round House	Erdrich
Snow Falling on Cedars	Guterson
A Thousand Splendid Suns	Hosseini
A Prayer for Owen Meany	Irving
Never Let Me Go	Ishiguro
The Poisonwood Bible	Kingsolver
The Namesake	Lahiri
The Road	McCarthy
Atonement	McEwan
The Bluest Eye	Morrison
Little Fires Everywhere	Ng
There, There	Orange
Cry, the Beloved Country	Paton
A Tree Grows in Brooklyn	Smith
The Goldfinch	Tartt
The Color Purple	Walker
Sing, Unburied, Sing	Ward
The Nickel Boys	Whitehead

AP Language & Composition

Born a Crime: by Noah (ISBN: 0399588191 - NOT the young adult version) Join the Google Classroom for more assignment information. Code: wmdn3rn

AP Latin

The Aeneid: by Virgil- Read and complete packet from Mrs. Patton @wlake.org>.

Technical Drawing/Design Level 2:

Read a magazine article from either *Dwell* or *Popular Mechanics* and complete a summary. (15 pts)

Technical Drawing/Design Level 3 Honors:

Read one of the following books and complete a summary (15 pts):

The World is Flat: by Friedman

Hot, Flat, & Crowded: by Friedman

Or a biography of an inventor, industrialist, designer, or entrepreneur (ex. Edison, Dyson, Tesla,

Feynman, Ford, Wozniak, Musk)

Technical Drawing/Design Level 4 Honors:

Read one of the following books and complete a summary (15 pts)

And Suddenly the Inventor Appeared: TRIZ, the Theory of Inventive Problem Solving: by Altshuller

40 Principles: TRIZ Keys to Technical Innovation: by Altshuller

SUMMER ASSIGNMENT INFORMATION FOR OTHER CLASSES

AP Art History

See Mrs. Noren in room D101 or email her at Noren@mywlake.org

AP Biology: See Mr. Cuomo in room C-118 for AP Biology syllabus and stop in to high school library to check out a textbook before June 7.

AP Chemistry: See Mr. Horwatt in room C-115 for assignment sheet and stop in to the high school library to check out a textbook before June 7. Assignment sheet may also be accessed here: https://drive.google.com/file/d/1sb5XcfaE55gXLXuVaD4rcYfoctCp_ZB7/view?usp=sharing

AP Physics C: Mechanics

Mr. Planisek will send out AP Physics C: Mechanics Google Classroom invitations to students. Summer work will be posted in Google Classroom on August 1. If you did not receive an invitation, check with your counselor to get added to the roster.

No textbook will be issued for the summer.

Email Mr. Planisek with your questions at planisek@mywlake.org

AP Calculus AB: Information will be posted on the AP Calculus Google Classroom page. Email Mrs. Sidloski with questions, <u>Sidloski@wlake.org</u>.

- (1) Join AP Calculus AB Google Classroom. Class code for google classroom: https://classroom.google.com/c/NTE5MzgwMzcwODg2?cjc=rr6k5pv
- (2) Register at Delta Math using your school google account: https://www.deltamath.com/students?code=HA2Y-85NU
- (3) Summer work assignments will be posted on google classroom in July

AP Research

Please join the following AP Research Google Classroom for updates this summer before the course begins: Google Classroom Code: wkadtsf

Spanish 4 Honors: Contact Mrs. Heller (HellerA@wlake.org) for Google Classroom Code. Additional work can be found here.

AP Spanish: See Señora Blaha in room D-201 to pick up the summer review packet.