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*When school ends, summer reading begins!*

Required for all **Jackson High** students **entering** grades **9, 10, 11, & 12**

**Name**

\_\_\_\_\_

First

Last

Student ID #: \_\_\_\_\_

Next Year's Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Dear Parent / Guardian:

Few things are better than relaxing on a summer day with a good book. Research overwhelmingly shows that reading over the summer break is essential to maintaining and improving a student's literacy levels.

With that in mind, we'd like to remind you of Everett Public Schools Summer Reading Program requirements and the opportunities available to your student.

Included in this brochure you will find your student's course level reading list and other information about our Summer Reading Program. Your student needs to read at least one book from their list. Then they may read as many age appropriate books of their choice.

Each time your student finishes a book, they should take an Accelerated Reader (AR) test for that book. They can link to AR tests on any connected device by visiting their school's district website. Students will be eligible for rewards after reading and passing AR tests for two books, three books, and more than three books.

The district has partnered with our local public libraries to ensure that copies of our listed books will be readily available both in print and in digital format.

We hope that your summer is full of joy and great reads!

Jackson High School Librarian

*Emily Moore*

**Summer Reading Guidelines**

1. All JHS students are required to read **TWO** books.
2. See notes for the English course you will be taking for details regarding the requirements and titles.
3. No English class at JHS? Read two age appropriate books of your choice.
4. Students must take an AR quiz for each book they read. If a quiz is not available, or you are not happy with your score, complete the Summer Reading Book Quiz located on the JHS library website.

**Directions to Access AR**

Between July 1, 2018 and August 31, 2018 go to <https://rdrweb.everett.k12.wa.us/> to take an **Accelerated Reader (AR)** test. Log in with your **six digit** student ID number and the same password you use at school. AR tests can be taken anywhere you have internet access.

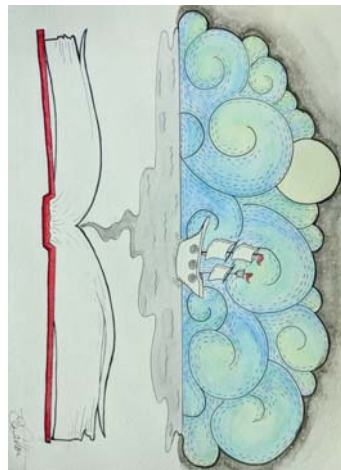
**Reading Incentives**

Students will receive rewards for reading two books, three books, and more than three books. An AR test or Summer Reading Book Quiz must be completed for each book read.

**Two books**—Name entered into a drawing for a variety of \$25 gift cards and recognition at a school assembly.

**Three books**—Name entered into a drawing for a variety of \$25 gift cards, recognition at a school assembly, name published in *The Daily Herald*, and name entered into a drawing for a free "Y" student membership.

**More than three books**—All of the above plus your name entered into a drawing for a Kindle Tablet.



**2018**  
*Jackson High School*  
*Summer Reading*

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### Jackson High School Library

Need a book recommendation? Visit the JHS Library website for our 2018-2019 BOTB lists, student picks, and teacher favorites.

### English I

You are **required** to read **one** book from this list. Additional books are free choice and do not have to be from this list.

**Absolutely True Diary of a Part Time Indian** by Sherman Alexie (2007)

\*\*Free audiobook and ebook: [http://esl-bits.net/ESL\\_English\\_Learning\\_Audiobooks/Absolutely\\_True\\_Diary/preview.html](http://esl-bits.net/ESL_English_Learning_Audiobooks/Absolutely_True_Diary/preview.html)

**Great Expectations** by Charles Dickens (1861)

**Between Shades of Gray** by Ruta Sepetys (2011)

**Eleanor and Park** by Rainbow Rowell (2013)

**The Reluctant Journal of Henry K. Larsen** by Susin Nielsen Fernlund (2012)

**Ready Player One** by Ernest Cline (2011)

### English I Honors

**Required: Fahrenheit 451** by Ray Bradbury (1953)

**Required: The Murderer (short story)** by Ray Bradbury (1954)

**Required:** Pick one book from the English I list. Anything over the three required is free choice.

### English II

You are **required** to read **one** book from this list. Additional books are free choice and do not have to be from this list.

**Persepolis** by Marjane Satrapi (2003)

**The Alchemist** by Paulo Coelho (1994)

**A Thousand Splendid Suns** by Khaled Hosseini (2007)

**In the Time of Butterflies** by Julia Alvarez (1994)

**The Boys from Little Mexico** by Steve Wilson (2010)

**The Other Wes Moore** by Wes Moore (2010)

**Angela's Ashes: A Memoir** by Frank McCourt (1998)

### English II Honors

**Required: A Thousand Splendid Suns** by Khaled Hosseini (2007)

**Required:** Pick one book from the English II list. Anything over the two required books is free choice.

### English III

You are **required** to read **one** book from this list. Additional books are free choice and do not have to be from this list.

**Tuesdays with Morrie: An Old Man, a Young Man, and a Life's Lesson** by Mitch Albom (1999)

**Adventures of Huckleberry Finn** by Mark Twain (1884)

### English III continued

**Boys in the Boat: Nine Americans and Their Epic Quest for Gold at the 1936 Olympics** by Daniel Brown (2013)

**Fast Food Nation** by Eric Schlosser (2001)

**Glass Castle** by Jeannette Walls (2005)

**Joy Luck Club** by Amy Tan (1989)

**Nickel and Dimed** by Barbara Ehrenreich (2001)

**The Color of Water: A Black Man's Tribute to His White Mother** by James McBride (2006)

### English III Honors

**Required: Boys in the Boat: Nine Americans and Their Epic Quest for Gold at the 1936 Olympics** by Daniel Brown (2013)

### English IV

You are **required** to read **one** book from this list. Additional books are free choice and do not have to be from this list.

**A Midsummer Night's Dream** by William Shakespeare

**All the Light We Cannot See** by Anthony Doerr (2014)

**Animal Dreams** by Barbara Kingsolver (1990)

**Born a Crime** by Trevor Noah (2016)

**Dracula** by Bram Stoker (1897)

### English IV continued

**Into Thin Air: A Personal Account of the Mt. Everest Disaster** by Jon Krakauer (1998)

**Songs of Willow Frost** by Jamie Ford (2013)

**Song of Solomon** by Toni Morrison (1977)

**The Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks** by Rebecca Skloot (2010)

### UW English General

You are **required** to read **one** book from the **English IV** list. Additional books are free choice.

### UW English Humanities

You are **required** to read **one** book from the **English IV** list. Additional books are free choice.

### AP Language

You are **required** to read **one** book from the **English IV** list. Additional books are free choice.

### AP Seminar

You are **required** to read **one** book from the **English II or English III** list, depending on your grade level.

### AP Lit

See your AP teacher or visit her website for the selection.

### Online Resources

**Everett Public Schools Summer Reading**

[www.everettsd.org/summerreading](http://www.everettsd.org/summerreading)

**Project Gutenberg**

[archive.org/details/gutenberg](http://archive.org/details/gutenberg)

**Bookbub**— [www.bookbub.com/home](http://www.bookbub.com/home)

**SYNC**—[www.audiobooksync.com](http://www.audiobooksync.com)  
(Free summer audiobook program for 13+ years old)

**Everett Public Library**

[www.epls.org/how/download-ebooks](http://www.epls.org/how/download-ebooks)

**Sno-Isle Libraries**—[www.sno-isle.org](http://www.sno-isle.org)

**Wattpad**—[www.wattpad.com](http://www.wattpad.com)

(book recommendation list)

**Reading Resolutions**

[www.blog.sno-isle.org/bibliofiles/](http://www.blog.sno-isle.org/bibliofiles/)

### Everett Public Schools Library Schedules

School	Days/Hours
Cascade HS	<b>Weekdays Only</b> 6/20—6/29, 8/13—8/31 9 a.m.—12 p.m.
	<b>Weekdays Only</b> 6/20—6/23, 8/21—8/23, 8/28—8/30 7 a.m.—3 p.m.
Everett HS	<b>Weekdays Only</b> 6/20—6/28, 8/20—8/31 8 a.m.—2 p.m. 7/25 & 8/15; 9 a.m.—12 p.m.
Jackson HS	

Schools with a 75% participation rate will be presented with a banner at a school board meeting in October.

### Library Hours

**Everett Public Library  
Main Library (North Everett)**

2702 Hoyt Avenue  
Everett, WA 98201  
(425) 257-8000

Monday – Wednesday	10 a.m. – 8 p.m.
Thursday – Friday	10 a.m. – 6 p.m.
Saturday	10 a.m. – 5 p.m.
Sunday	1 p.m. – 5 p.m.

**Evergreen Branch (South Everett)**

9512 Evergreen Way  
Everett, WA 98204  
(425) 257-8250

Monday	10 a.m. – 6 p.m.
Tuesday & Wednesday	10 a.m. – 8 p.m.
Thursday & Friday	10 a.m. – 6 p.m.
Saturday	10 a.m. – 5 p.m.
Sunday	1 p.m. – 5 p.m.

**Sno-Isle Libraries**

Mill Creek Library  
15429 Bothell Everett Hwy  
Mill Creek, WA 98012  
(425) 337-4822

Monday – Thursday	9 a.m. – 8 p.m.
Friday – Saturday	10 a.m. – 6 p.m.
Sunday	1 p.m. – 5 p.m.