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When school ends, summer reading begins!

Required for all **Cascade 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!

Cascade High School Librarian

Amalia Pimenta

Summer Reading Guidelines

1. All CHS students are required to read TWO books.
2. The first book is assigned according to the English course for which you are enrolled.
3. The second book is free choice but must be age appropriate.
4. No English class at CHS? Read two age appropriate books of your choice.
5. Students must take an AR quiz for each book they read. If a quiz is not available, complete the **Summer Reading Book Quiz** located on the **CHS Library** page under *Quicklinks*.
6. See notes for AP reading assignment.

Directions to Access AR

Between July 1, 2018 and August 31, 2018 go to <https://rdiweb.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.

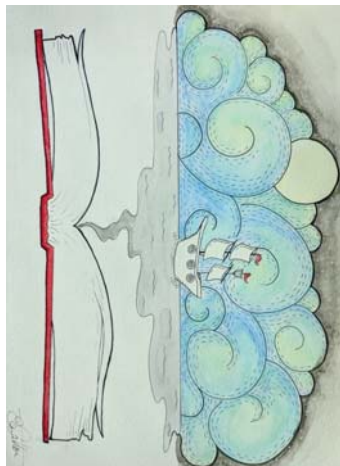
Reading Incentives

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
Cascade High School
Summer Reading

Address

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English I & English I Honors

Required book

The 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

Below is a list of recommended books or you can read any other age appropriate books of your choice.

Great Expectations by Charles Dickens (1861)
Between Shades of Gray by Ruta Sepetys (2011)

Eleanor and Park by Rainbow Rowell (2013)
House on Mango Street by Sandra Cisneros (1991)

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

Ready Player One by Ernest Cline (2011)

English II & English II Honors

Required book

A Thousand Splendid Suns by Khaled Hosseini (2007)

Below is a list of recommended books or you can read any other age appropriate books of your choice

Persepolis by Marjane Satrapi (2003)

The Alchemist by Paulo Coelho (1994)

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 III & English III Honors

Required book

The Glass Castle by Jeannette Walls (2003)

Below is a list of recommended books or you can read any other age appropriate books of your choice.

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)

Joy Luck Club by Amy Tan (1989)

Nickel and Dime by Barbara Ehrenreich (2001)

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

English IV

Required book

Maus by Art Spiegelman (1980)

English EVCC

Required book

Songs of Willow Frost by Jamie Ford (2013)

*See EVCC summer assignment at <https://www.everettsd.org/Page/22034>

AP Literature

Required book

1984 by George Orwell (1949)

*See AP summer assignment at <https://www.everettsd.org/Page/22034>

AP Language

Required book

Slaughterhouse Five by Kurt Vonnegut (1969)

*See AP summer assignment at <https://www.everettsd.org/Page/22034>

AP Seminar

Required book

Read one required title from a curated list. Access the list by going to <https://tinyurl.com/yb89lbu9>

Cascade High School Library

Summer Reading information for CHS, along with the Summer Reading Book Quiz in Google Forms will be located here:

<https://www.everettsd.org/site/Default.aspx?PageID=19154>

On line Resources

Everett Public Schools Summer Reading www.everettsd.org/summerreading

Project Gutenberg archive.org/details/gutenberg

Bookbub— www.bookbub.com/home

SYNC—www.audiobooksync.com
(Free summer audiobook program for 13+ years old)

Everett Public Library www.epls.org/how/download-ebooks

Sno-Isle Libraries—www.sno-isle.org

Wattpad—www.wattpad.com
(book recommendation list)

Reading Resolutions www.blog.sno-isle.org/bibliofiles/

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

2018-19 Battle of the Books

The 57 Bus

by Dashka Slater

Americanized: Rebel Without a Green Card
by Sara Saedi

The Best We Could Do
by Thi Bui

Blackhearts
by Nicole Castroman

Booked
by Kwame Alexander

The Boomerang Effect
by Gordon Jack

Children of Blood and Bone
by Tomi Adeyemi

Exit, Pursued by a Bear
by E.K. Johnston

Far From the Tree
by Robin Benway

I Am Not Your Perfect Mexican Daughter
by Erika L. Sanchez

I Believe in a Thing Called Love
by Maurene Goo

Letters to the Lost
by Brigid Kemmerer

One of Us is Lying
by Karen M. McManus

Renegades
by Marissa Meyer

Simon vs. the Homo Sapiens Agenda
by Becky Albertalli

Strange the Dreamer
by Laini Taylor

They Both Die at the End
by Adam Silvera

This is Our Story
by Ashley Elston

Turtles All the Way Down
by John Green

The Unbeatable Squirrel Girl, Vol. 1: Squirrel Power
by Ryan North and Erica Henderson

Warcross
by Marie Lu

When Dimple Met Rishi
by Sandhya Menon

Recommended Titles

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

Animal Dreams
by Barbara Kingsolver (1990)

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

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

Dracula
by Bram Stoker (1897)

Everett Public Schools Library Schedules

| School | Days/Hours |
|------------|---|
| Cascade HS | Weekdays Only 6/20—6/29, 8/13—8/31 9 a.m.—12 p.m. |
| | Weekdays Only 6/20—6/23, 8/21—8/23, 8/28—8/30 7 a.m.—3 p.m. |
| Everett HS | Weekdays Only 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 | Weekdays Only 6/20—6/28, 8/20—8/31 8 a.m.—2 p.m. |

Library Hours

Everett Public Library Main Library (North Everett)

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

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| 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

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| 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

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