

Below is the reading list for all Providence Academy students entering grades 6-8 next autumn (2022-2023).

- **Students entering grades 6-8** are required to pick up--and read--ONE copy of the summer reading book (as designated by the single sun☀️) options corresponding to their grade next autumn.

Please purchase the edition listed on the attached reading list to ensure you have the correct version of each summer reading book for class.

Keep in mind these books have been carefully selected for each course. As the first experience in its respective course, each book is a conscious representative of the course into which it will initiate the students. In other words, each selection will introduce key themes, motifs, rhetorical styles, etc., which will then be referenced explicitly and implicitly throughout the course. This inevitably means the better one understands the book, the better prepared the student will be for the course to follow. In addition to introducing key themes, students will be asked to engage in a variety of evaluations (discussions, quests, quizzes, etc.) as a way to introduce the course and test comprehension of the Summer Reading Book.

Beyond the summer reading books, **students entering grades 6-8 WILL BE WITH THEIR OWN HARD COPIES of the books on the list. Families will be billed later for this service.**

Please direct any and all questions to the Chair of the English Department, Mr. Adam C. Schmalzbauer, via email (adam.schmalzbauer@providenceacademy.org) as it will soon be summer.

ENJOY!

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6 th GRADE English Literature		
ISBN	Title & Author	Publisher
☀️ 0763645028	<i>Almost Astronauts: 13 Women Who Dared to Dream</i> by Tanya Lee Stone	Candlewick
☀️ 0395137195	<i>The Bronze Bow</i> by Elizabeth George Speare	Clarion Books
☀️ 0547614322	<i>Johnny Tremain</i> by Esther Hoskins Forbes	Clarion Books
☀️ 9780141321011	<i>The Knights of the Round Table</i> by Roger Lancelyn Green	Puffin Classics
☀️ 9781423113454	<i>The Red Pyramid</i> by Rick Riordan	Hyperion
0440406943	<i>D'Aulaire's Greek Myths</i>	Delacorte Books
159017125X	<i>D'Aulaire's Book of Norse Myths</i>	Delacorte Books
0679436413	<i>Russian Fairy Tales</i> by Avery and Bilibin	Everyman's Library
9781591940081	<i>The Jungle Books</i> by Rudyard Kipling	Townsend Press
9780829436365	<i>Exercises in English Level F</i> (disposable workbook)	Loyola Press
	www.wordvoyage.com	Word Voyage
No Fee	<i>Realms of Gold I</i>	CK Foundation
No Fee	Voyages in English (hard cover)	
7 th GRADE English Literature		
ISBN	Title & Author	Publisher
☀️ 0375822747	<i>The City of Ember</i> by Jeanne DuPrau	Yearling
☀️ 0425183238	<i>Mrs. Mike</i> by Benedict and Nancy Freedman	Berkley
☀️ 0451531566	<i>The Story of My Life</i> by Helen Keller	Signet
☀️ 0545477115	<i>The True Confessions of Charlotte Doyle</i> by Avi	Scholastic
☀️ 014240120X	<i>The Westing Game</i> by Ellen Raskin	Penguin Young Readers
0141321008	<i>Treasure Island</i> by Robert Louis Stevenson	Puffin
0486264726	<i>The Call of the Wild</i> by Jack London	Dover Publications
0451531981	<i>Cyrano de Bergerac</i> by Edmond Rostand	Signet Classics
0064471101	<i>The Magician's Nephew</i> by C.S. Lewis	Collins
	<i>Exercises in English Level G</i> (disposable workbook)	Loyola Press
	www.wordvoyage.com	Word Voyage
No Fee	<i>Realms of Gold II</i>	CK Foundation
No Fee	Voyages in English (hard cover)	
8 th GRADE English Literature		
ISBN	Title & Author	Publisher
☀️ 0544336267	<i>The Giver</i> by Lois Lowry	Clarion Books
☀️ 9781451648973	<i>An Invisible Thread</i> by Laura Schroff and Alex Tresniowski	Howard Books
☀️ 014240733X	<i>The Outsiders</i> by S.E. Hinton	Viking Books for Young Readers
☀️ 0152062688	<i>Peak</i> by Roland Smith	Harcourt
☀️ 0312367546	<i>A Wrinkle in Time</i> by Madeleine L'Engel	Square Fish
0486268659	<i>A Christmas Carol</i> by Charles Dickens	Dover Thrift
9780312369811	<i>Tuck Everlasting</i> by Natalie Babbitt	Square Fish
0451526341	<i>Animal Farm</i> by George Orwell	Signet Classics
014017737X	<i>The Pearl</i> by John Steinbeck	Penguin
1580495176	<i>Romeo and Juliet</i> by William Shakespeare	Prestwick House Inc.
9780829436421	<i>Exercises in English Level H</i> (disposable workbook)	Loyola Press
	www.wordvoyage.com	Word Voyage
No Fee	<i>Writer's Inc.</i> , by Patrick Sebanek	Write Source
No Fee	<i>Realms of Gold III</i>	CKC Foundation

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