

Tenth Grade Summer Reading Assignment

Directions

The English department at FHS highly encourages you to read, read, read over the summer. Your summer reading task is to choose an age appropriate book that represents people of different cultures clashing with each other. If you are struggling to find books, we have provided a list of suggestions for you located [HERE](#).

1. Once you have read your book, choose ONE of the following questions to be addressed in either a 2-3 paragraph written response **OR** a 1-2 minute vlog.
 - a. Choose 2-3 *significant* decisions or choices your character made in the story. Explain the protagonist's options and potential consequences for each decision/choice. Then, explain what his/her choice reveals about his/her identity. Be sure to use evidence from the text to support your response!
 - b. Choose a character you either truly identify with or one that you don't understand or empathize with at all and explore this. Explain how you identify with the character or what about the character you cannot understand or empathize with. Be sure to use evidence from the text to support your response!
 - c. What is the most significant theme of the book, how is the theme developed, and who might benefit from reading it?
2. Be prepared to turn in your assignment to your 10th Grade English teacher in September. For extra credit in marking period 1.

Where can I get my summer reading books?

- At bookstores (i.e. Barnes and Noble)
- Amazon.com has most books at affordable prices
- At the Franklin Township Public Library (eBooks are available for download with a library card)
- Some titles are available for free online and have been linked in the suggested book list