

Lincoln High School Summer Reading 2022

The LHS English Department believes summer reading is an important element in maintaining students' reading skills over the long summer break. It is important to keep "flexing the reading muscles" in order to start the next school year as strong as possible. Students should **pick one (1)** of the two options for the grade they are entering. Please see the chart below for each grade level's summer reading options.

- **NOTE:** Grade 11 or Grade 12 students enrolled in an English AP class or the URI Course Cluster should refer to those classes' specific summer reading requirements. These specific assignments can be found on the LHS website.

<u>Students Entering Grade 9...</u>	<u>Students Entering Grade 10...</u>
Read <i>Tuesdays With Morrie</i> by Mitch Albom OR Read <i>Untwine</i> by Edwidge Danticat	Read <i>Outliers</i> by Malcolm Gladwell OR Read <i>Internment</i> by Samira Ahmed
<u>Students Entering Grade 11...</u>	<u>Students Entering Grade 12...</u>
Read <i>Where the Crawdads Sing</i> by Delia Owens OR Read <i>Flowers in the Gutter</i> by K.R. Gaddy	Read <i>Fahrenheit 451</i> by Ray Bradbury OR Read <i>Lab Girl</i> by Hope Jahren

Assessment

Students will take a 25-question multiple choice assessment that is designed to assess students' comprehension of the chosen summer reading book. This summer reading assessment will count as a double-quiz grade and will occur within the first two weeks of school.

Graphic Organizer

Click [HERE](#) for a copy of a Summer Reading Notes Sheet. Complete this sheet as you read your book to keep track of important elements of your summer reading book, which will help you prepare for the summer reading assessment. Thoroughly completed sheets will be accepted for bonus points on the summer reading assessment. See the sheet for further directions.

Let the LHS Library Help...

- In addition to standard booksellers, online retailers, and the local library, the summer reading titles are available via the LHS Library's Overdrive/SORA online collection, which includes audio versions for several of the options. See below for directions or visit the LHS Library's website at <https://guides.rilinkschools.org/lincolnlions>.

Getting started with SORA

- With SORA, you can get free e-books and audiobooks from your school. Just be sure to select Lincoln Senior High School from the drop-down list.

[Watch the getting-started video](#)


Step 1

- Install the SORA app from the [Apple App Store](#) or [Google Play Store](#), or go to soraapp.com.


Step 2

- In SORA, find your school (or enter your school's setup code), then sign in.
 - **Note:** *Your sign in is your student ID number*

Step 3

- Browse the  **Explore** tab and borrow a book. Your book will open so you can start reading right away.

Step 4

- Close the book and go to  **Shelf** to see all your books (including assignments). From there, you can:
 - Select **Open book** or **Open audiobook** to read or listen to the book.
 - Select **Options** to renew or return the book, see your notes and highlights, and more.

You can also get to SORA from your Chromebook by going to the LHS Library Website and clicking on the Overdrive eBook Collection–SORA. There is a [short video](#) there to help you use SORA from the website.