

*Dr. Zhivago* ~ Pasternak, Boris  
*The Catcher in the Rye* ~ Salinger, J.D.  
*The Human Comedy* ~ Saroyan, W.  
*Ivanhoe* ~ Scott, Sir Walter  
*The Moon and Sixpence* ~  
Somerset, Maugham W.  
*Kokoro* ~ Soseki, Natsume  
*Cannery Row* ~ Steinbeck, John  
*The Strange Case of Dr Jekyll and Mr Hyde*  
*and other Tales of Terror* ~ Stevenson,  
Robert Louis  
*The Lord of the Rings* ~ Tolkein, J.R.R.  
*Slaughterhouse Five* ~ Vonnegut, K.

### NON FICTION

*On Being* ~ Atkins, Peter  
*All god's children need traveling shoes* ~  
Angelou, Maya  
*I Have Lived a Thousand Years* ~  
Bitton-Jackson, Livia  
*A Short Story Of Nearly Everything* ~  
Bryson, Bill  
*Out Of Africa* ~ Dinesen, Isak  
*What the Dog Saw* ~ Gladwell, Malcolm  
*The Grand Design* ~ Hawking, Stephen  
*Every Living Thing* ~ Herriot, James  
*Girl, interrupted* ~ Kaysen, Susanna  
*If This Is a Man, the Truce* ~ Levi, Primo  
*Freakonomics* ~ Levitt, Stefen D.

*Fireflies* ~ Morrell, David  
*Angela's Ashes* ~ McCourt, Frank  
*After the Quake* ~ Murakami, Haruki  
*That Mad Game: Growing Up in a Warzone* ~  
Edited by J. L. Powers  
*Gulp, Adventures on the Alimentation Canal* ~  
Roach, Mary  
*Bluestockings* ~ Robinson, Jane  
*The Man Who Mistook his Wife for a Hat and*  
*Other Clinical Tales* ~ Sacks, Oliver  
*Persepolis* ~ Satrapi, Marjane (Graphic  
Novel)  
*Maus* ~ Spiegelman, Art (Graphic Novel)  
*Night* ~ Wiesel, Elie  
*A Room of One's Own* ~ Woolf, Virginia  
*Banker To the Poor* ~ Yunus, Muhammad

### Summer Reading Program

You should read at least two books during the summer: one from this list or from the Sakura Medal program and one of your choice. Please fill out the reading log for both books. You should have received it from your English teacher or you may download it from the library [Reading lists](#) page at Seisen.com. For e-books, please check Seisen [Overdrive](#)

# 10TH GRADE READING LIST



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## NOVELS & STORIES

*Mornings in Jenin* ~ Abulhawa, Susan  
*The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy* ~ Adams, Douglas  
*For One More Day* ~ Albom, Mitch  
*Little Women* ~ Alcott, Louisa  
*City of the Beasts* ~ Allende, Isabel  
*An Iliad* ~ Barrico, Alessandro  
*The Killer's Tears* ~ Bondoux, Anne-Laure  
*The History Man* ~ Bradbury, Malcolm  
*The Mist Of Avalon* ~ Bradley, Marion  
*Philida* ~ Brink, Andre  
*Jurassic Park* ~ Crichton, Micheal  
*A Swift Pure Cry* ~ Dowd, Siobhan  
*House of the Scorpion* ~ Farmer, Nancy  
*The Curious Case of Benjamin Button* ~ Fitzgerald, Scott F.  
*Extremely Loud & Incredibly Close* ~ Foer, Jonathan Safran  
*Crossing Stones* ~ Frost, Helen  
*I Wish Someone Were Waiting for Me Somewhere* ~ Gavalda, Anna  
*Beethoven Was One-Sixteenth Black and Other Stories* ~ Gordimer, Nadine  
*The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time* ~ Haddon, Mark  
*Gentlemen and Players* ~ Harris, Joanne  
*Siddhartha* ~ Hesse, Hermann  
*A Kestrel for a Knave* ~ Hines, Barry

*A Thousand Splendid Suns* ~ Hosseini, Khaled  
*Never Let me Go* ~ Ishiguro, Kazuo  
*The Ramses Series* ~ Jacq, Christian  
*The Turn Of the Screw* ~ James, Henry  
*Devilish* ~ Johnson, Maureen  
*Metamorphosis* ~ Kafka, Franz  
*Firestorm* ~ Klass, David  
*The God of Animals* ~ Kyel, Aryn  
*The Namesake* ~ Lahiri, Jhumpa  
*The Phantom of the Opera* ~ Leroux, Gaston  
*Every Day* ~ Levithan, David  
*The Children of the New Forest* ~ Marryat, Captain  
*Sold* ~ McCormick, Patricia  
*Black Swan Green* ~ Mitchell, David  
*The Secret Life of Bees* ~ Monk Kidd, Sue  
*The Time Traveller's Wife* ~ Niffenegger, Audrey  
*The Gift of the Magi and Other Stories* ~ O. Henry  
*We Were the Mulvaney's* ~ Oates, Joyce Carol  
*Animal Farm* ~ Orwell, George  
*The Fifth Vial* ~ Palmer, Michael  
*The Fall of the House of Usher* ~ Poe, Edgar Allan  
*The Chosen* ~ Potok, Chaim  
*The King Must Die* ~ Renault, Mary  
*Snow Flower and the Secret Fan* ~ See, Lisa  
*Are You Afraid of the Dark?* ~ Sheldon, Sydney  
*Memento Mori* ~ Spark, Muriel  
*The Joy Luck Club* ~ Tan, Amy

*The Color Purple* ~ Walker, Alice  
*Oscar Wilde Plays* ~ Wilde Oscar  
*Money for Nothing* ~ Wodehouse, P.G.  
*The Lake* ~ Yoshimoto Banana

## CHALLENGING BOOKS

*Emma* ~ Austen, Jane  
*Wuthering Heights* ~ Bronte, Emily  
*The Red Badge of Courage* ~ Crane, Stephen  
*Oliver Twist* ~ Dickens, Charles  
*Silas Marner* ~ Eliot, George  
*Howard's End* ~ Forster, E.M.  
*The French Lieutenant's Woman* ~ Fowles, John  
*The Prophet* ~ Gibran, Kahlil  
*I, Claudius* ~ Graves, Robert  
*Brighton Rock* ~ Green, Graham  
*The Power and the Glory* ~ Green, Graham  
*Far From the Madding Crowd* ~ Hardy, Thomas  
*Whom the Bell Tolls* ~ Hemingway, Ernest  
*Brave New World* ~ Huxley, Aldous  
*A Portrait of An Artist* ~ Joyce, James  
*Woman Warrior* ~ Kingston, Maxine Hong  
*Sons and Lovers* ~ Lawrence, D.H.  
*One Hundred Years of Solitude* ~ Marquez, G. Garcia  
*Moby Dick* ~ Melville, Herman James