

English 1 Honors Summer Reading

Directions: Choose two (2) of any of the following books for your summer reading to prevent summer “brain drain.” You will receive a test on these books on August 29 and 30 to be recorded on the first quarter’s report card. You make your own handwritten notes on the books you select to use on the testing, but they must be your notes. I will collect them with the tests. Enjoy your reading!

Tales of Adventure and Survival:

***Never Cry Wolf* by Farley Mowat**

Coming of Age—Maturation of Self:

***Shane* by Jack Shaefer**

Tales of Fantasy and Science Fiction:

***The Hobbit* by J.R.R. Tolkien**

Literature of Social Issues:

***The Autobiography of Miss Jane Pittman* by Ernest J. Gaines**

Overcoming Handicaps:

***Requiem for a Heavyweight* by Rod Serling**

Stories of Professional Success and Achievement:

***I Always Wanted to be Somebody* by Althea Gibson**

Who Done It?:

***Where Are the Children?* by Mary Higgins Clark**

Relived Memories—Childhood Remembered:

***Little Women* by Louisa May Alcott**

Tales of Love and Romance:

***The Beloved Invader* by Eugenia Price**