



# Commission Leadership Academy

“Partnering For The Kingdom”

## Junior Summer Reading List - 2024

### Early American Lit/Comp

Essential Students must read *The Crucible*

Dual Enrollment Students read *The Crucible* + **one other book of your choice that YOU HAVE NOT read before**

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| * <i>The Crucible</i><br>(Everybody reads ... no sooner than two weeks before school starts) <a href="https://a.co/d/hduhvH3">https://a.co/d/hduhvH3</a>   | Arthur Miller      | 978-0142437339<br><b>This version is mandatory</b>  | \$9.99  |
| * <i>The Taking of Jemima Boone: Colonial Settlers, Tribal Nations, and the Kidnap That Shaped America</i><br><a href="https://a.co/d/bXmPNQa">https://a.co/d/bXmPNQa</a>  | Matthew Pearl      | 978-0062937803                                      | \$17.10 |
| <i>Rip Van Winkle and The Legend of Sleepy Hollow: Illustrated 200th Anniversary Edition</i><br><a href="https://a.co/d/eoRctz1">https://a.co/d/eoRctz1</a> - since each is short, both books in this collection must be read. | Washington Irving  | 978-1952433221                                      | \$6.95  |
| * <i>Narrative of the Life of Frederick Douglass</i><br><a href="https://a.co/d/1snEqPN">https://a.co/d/1snEqPN</a>  | Frederick Douglass | 978-0451529947                                      | \$4.89  |
| * <i>Incidents in the Life of a Slave Girl: From Slavery to Freedom</i><br><a href="https://a.co/d/4CuRj0u">https://a.co/d/4CuRj0u</a>   | Harriet Ann Jacobs | <a href="https://a.co/d/4CuRj0u">979-8740054193</a> | \$9.99  |
| * <i>Beloved</i><br><a href="https://a.co/d/hZGWpzw">https://a.co/d/hZGWpzw</a>  | Toni Morrison      | 978-1400033416                                      | \$10.01 |
| <i>The Adventures of Tom Sawyer: Original Illustrations</i><br><a href="https://a.co/d/dXNffnm">https://a.co/d/dXNffnm</a>   | Mark Twain         | 978-1948132824                                      | \$9.95  |
| <i>The Red Badge of Courage</i> <a href="https://a.co/d/cjU6OrA">https://a.co/d/cjU6OrA</a>  | Stephen Crane      | 978-1675993941                                      | \$6.75  |
| <i>Little Women</i><br><a href="https://a.co/d/eacFLXf">https://a.co/d/eacFLXf</a>   | Louisa May Alcott  | 978-0486415918                                      | \$5.99  |
| <i>Eight Cousins</i><br><a href="https://a.co/d/08RRncmT">https://a.co/d/08RRncmT</a>  | Louisa May Alcott  | 979-8488242005                                      | \$8.99  |
| <i>A Connecticut Yankee in King Arthur's Court</i><br><a href="https://a.co/d/56jRVVr">https://a.co/d/56jRVVr</a>  | Mark Twain         | 978-0486415918                                      | \$5.99  |
| <i>Call of the Wild and White Fang</i> (Wordsworth Classics)<br><a href="https://a.co/d/2rtCJUC">https://a.co/d/2rtCJUC</a> - since each is short, both books in this collection must be read.                                 | Jack London        | 978-1853260261                                      | \$11.99 |

**NOTE:** Except for *The Crucible* ... which we will review and study in class and about which you will write a mini-essay, you may read any of these in any version including the Kindle version, if available. Those listed above are some versions you might like.

The final column lists the prices for paperback version on Amazon ... most of these are available on Kindle for free or much less, and several may be purchased for less from other vendors.

Those marked with a single asterisk (\*) are true stories written as either first-hand accounts or based on reliable sources ... books four and five give you a view of life as a slave from both a male and female perspective. The one marked with double (\*\*) is a philosophical writing.