

## **Upper School Reading List**

Students are required to read assigned literature **at least 30 minutes per night** for homework. This literature is either assigned from the Core Knowledge Sequence, or students may select titles from 1) the Upper School Reading List, or 2) any book from the list of authors below. When selecting from the author list, students should choose titles other than those already specified in the Core Knowledge curriculum.

### **Author List for Upper School Reading**

Asimov, Isaac  
Austen, Jane  
Bradbury, Ray  
Bronte, Charlotte; Emily  
Carroll, Lewis  
Dickens, Charles  
Doyle, A.C.  
Dunsany, Lord  
Eliot, George  
Forester, C.S.  
Henty, G.A.  
Grahame, Kenneth  
Green, Roger Lancelyn  
Kipling, Rudyard  
Lang, Andrew  
Lewis, C.S.  
MacDonald, George  
Saki (H.H. Munro)  
Scott, Walter  
Shakespeare, William  
Stevenson, Robert Louis  
Tolkien, J.R.R.  
Trollope, Anthony  
Twain, Mark  
Wilde, Oscar  
Williams, Charles  
Wodehouse, P.G.

<b>Upper School Reading List—(*) Indicates available to 7<sup>th</sup> grade only</b>	
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<b>Author</b>	<b>Title</b>
Adams, Richard	Watership Down
Alcott, Louisa May	An Old Fashioned Girl
Alcott, Louisa May	Little Men
Alcott, Louisa May	Eight Cousins
Alcott, Louisa May	Jo's Boys
Aldrich, Beth	A Lantern in Her Hand
*Avi	True Confessions of Charlotte Doyle
Ballantyne, R.M.	The Coral Island
Blackmore, R.D.	Lorna Doone
Blos, Joan W.	A Gathering of Days
Buck, Pearl S.	House of Earth Trilogy
Bunyan, John	The Pilgrim's Progress (no severely abridged versions allowed)
*Burnett, Frances	Little Lord Fauntleroy
*Burnett, Frances	Sara Crew
Burnett, Frances	The Lost Prince
*Burnett, Frances	A Little Princess
*Burnford, Sheila	The Incredible Journey
Cather, Willa	Song of the Lark
Cather, Willa	My Antonia
Cather, Willa	O Pioneers!
Christie, Agatha	And Then There Were None
Collins, Wilkie	The Moonstone
Collins, Wilkie	The Woman in White
Colum, Padraic	Golden Fleece...
Colum, Padraic	The King of Ireland's Son
Colum, Padraic	Children of Odin
Conrad, Joseph	Heart of Darkness
Conrad, Joseph	Nostromo
Conrad, Joseph	The Secret Agent
Cooper, James	Deerslayer
*De Angeli	The Door in the Wall
* Dodge, Mary Napes	Hans Brinker
De Foe, Daniel	Robinson Crusoe
Doyle, Arthur Conan	Case Book of Sherlock Holmes
Doyle, Arthur Conan	Hound of the Baskervilles
Doyle, Arthur Conan	Last Bow
Doyle, Arthur Conan	Memoirs of Sherlock Holmes

Doyle, Arthur Conan	Return of Sherlock Holmes
Doyle, Arthur Conan	Sign of the Four
Doyle, Arthur Conan	Study in Scarlet
Doyle, Arthur Conan	Valley of Fear
Doyle, Arthur Conan	White Company
Dumas, Alexandre	Three Musketeers
Dumas, Alexandre	Count of Monte Cristo
Dumas, Alexandre	Man in the Iron Mask
Edmonds, Walter	Drums Along the Mohawk
Eliot, George	Silas Marner
Ende, Michael	Never Ending Story
*Evslin, Bernard	Trojan War
Forbes, Esther	Johnny Tremain
Gaskell, Elizabeth	Mary Barton
Gaskell, Elizabeth	Ruth
Gilbreth, Frank	Cheaper by the Dozen
Gilbreth, Frank	With Bells on Their Toes
Goldman, William	Princess Bride
Grahame, Kenneth	Dream Days
Grahame, Kenneth	The Golden Age
Grahame, Kenneth	The Reluctant Dragon
Green, Roger Lancelyn	Luck of Troy
Greene, Bette	Summer of My German Soldier
Haggard, H. Rider	King Solomon's Mines
Hale, Edward	A Man Without a Country
Hale, Lucretia	The Peterkin Papers
*Hautzig, Esther	The Endless Steppe: A Girl in Exile
Henty, G.A.	The Young Carthaginian
Henty, G.A.	Under Drake's Flag
Henty, G.A.	In the Reign of Terror
Henty, G.A.	Bonnie Prince Charlie
Hope, Anthony	The Prisoner of Zenda
Hunt, Irene	Up a Road Slowly
Hunt, Irene	Across Five Aprils
Huxley, Aldous	Brave New World (9 <sup>th</sup> Grade)
Johnson, Samuel	Rasselas
Kingsley, Charles	The Water Babies
Kingsley, Charles	Westward Ho!
Kipling, Rudyard	Captains Courageous

Kipling, Rudyard	Just So Stories
Kipling, Rudyard	Kim
Kipling, Rudyard	Man Who Would Be King
Kipling, Rudyard	Mark of the Phantom Rickshaw and Other Stories
Kipling, Rudyard	Puck of Pook's Hill
Lang, Andrew	Colored Fairy Stories
Lanier, Sidney	The Boy's King Arthur
Lee, Harper	To Kill a Mockingbird
Leroux, Gaston	Phantom of the Opera
Lewis, C.S.	Out of the Silent Planet
Lewis, C.S.	Prelandra
Lewis, C.S.	That Hideous Strength
London, Jack	White Fang
MacDonald, George	At the Back of the Northern Wind
MacDonald, George	The Lost Princess
MacDonald, George	The Princess and Curdie
MacDonald, George	The Princess and the Goblin
Malory, Sir Thomas	Le Morte d'Arthur (selections)
Marryatt, Frederick	The Children of the New Forest
Marryatt, Frederick	Mr. Midshipman Easy
McCaughrean, Geraldine	El Cid
Montgomery, L.M.	Anne of Avonlea
Montgomery, L.M.	Anne of Green Gables
Montgomery, L.M.	Anne of the Island
Montgomery, L.M.	Anne of Windy Poplars
Montgomery, L.M.	Anne's House of Dreams
Montgomery, L.M.	Emily Climbs
Montgomery, L.M.	Emily of New Moon
Montgomery, L.M.	Emily's Quest
*Nesbit, Edith	Railway Children
*Nesbit, Edith	The Story of the Treasure Seekers
*Nesbit, Edith	New Treasure Seekers
*Nesbit, Edith	The Story of the Amulet
*Nesbit, Edith	The Phoenix and the Carpet
*Nesbit, Edith	The Magic City
*Nesbit, Edith	The Wouldbegoods
*Nesbit, Edith	The Enchanted Castle
*Nesbit, Edith	The House of Arden
Nordhoff, Charles	The Mutiny on the Bounty
North, Sterling	Rascal
North, Sterling	Wolfing

Orczy, Baroness Emmuska	Scarlett Pimpernel
Orwell, George	1984 (9 <sup>th</sup> Grade)
Peck, Robert	Day No Pigs Would Die
Porter, Jean	A Girl of the Limberlost
Potok, Chaim	The Chosen
Potok, Chaim	The Promise
Pyle, Howard	King Arthur and the Knights of the Round Table
Pyle, Howard	Story of the Grail and the Passing of Arthur
Pyle, Howard	The Story of Lancelot and His Companions
Ransome, Arthur	Big Six
Ransome, Arthur	Picts and the Martyrs
Ransome, Arthur	Pigeon Post
Ransome, Arthur	Swallowdale
Ransome, Arthur	Swallows and Amazons
Ransome, Arthur	Peter Duck
Ransome, Arthur	Winter Holiday
Ransome, Arthur	We Didn't Mean to Go to Sea
Ransome, Arthur	Secret Water
Ransome, Arthur	Missee Lee
Ransome, Arthur	Coot Club
Rawlings, Marjorie	The Yearling
Rawls, Wilson	Where the Red Fern Grows
Saki (H.H. Munro)	Short Stories
*Sewall, Anna	Black Beauty
Shaw, George Bernard	Pygmalion
Shelley, Mary	Frankenstein
Smith, Betty	A Tree Grows in Brooklyn
Spyri, Johanna	Heidi
Spyri, Johanna	Heidi Grows Up
Stevenson, Robert Louis	Kidnapped
Stevenson, Robert Louis	The Black Arrow
Stevenson, Robert Louis	The Master of Ballantree
Stevenson, Robert Louis	Treasure Island
Sutcliff, Rosemary	Knight's Fee
Sutcliff, Rosemary	Tristan and Iselut
Sutcliff, Rosemary	Dragon Slayer: The Story of Beowulf
Sutcliff, Rosemary	Shining Company
Sutcliff, Rosemary	Warrior Scarlet

Thackeray, William	Vanity Fair
Tolkien, J.R.R.	The Hobbit
Tolkien, J.R.R.	Two Towers
Tolkien, J.R.R.	Fellowship of the Ring
Tolkien, J.R.R.	Return of the King
Unknown (Translated by Tolkien, J.R.R.)	Sir Gawain and the Green Knight
Verne, Jules	The Mysterious Island
Verne, Jules	Twenty Thousand Leagues Under the Sea
Verne, Jules	Around the World in Eighty Days
Verne, Jules	Journey to the Center of the Earth
Wells, H.G.	The Invisible Man
Wells, H.G.	Island of Dr. Moreau
Wells, H.G.	War of the Worlds
White, T.H.	The Sword in the Stone
White, T.H.	(The rest of) The Once and Future King
Wiggin, Kate	Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm
Wilde, Oscar	The Picture of Dorian Gray
Wyss, Johann	Swiss Family Robinson