



KELLENBERG

MEMORIAL HIGH SCHOOL

Dear Rising 10th Grade Students,

Several weeks ago, you received notice of the reading list for the summer. Below is a reminder of that list as well as the details about how you will be assessed in each subject area in September.

Book List

For English class, choose ONE book:

Catcher in the Rye J.D. Salinger

Martin and Bobby Claire Rudolph Murphy

The Things They Carried Tim O'Brien

Before We Were Yours Lisa Wingate

The Help Kathryn Stockett

A Tree Grows in Brooklyn Betty Smith

If You Come Softly Jacqueline Woodson

For History class, read ONE work:

Animal Farm George Orwell

For Religion class, read ONE:

Story of a Soul: The Autobiography of St. Thérèse of Lisieux

To The Heights: A Novel Based on Pier Giorgio Frassati Brian Kennelly

Assessments

For English class, you are required to **annotate** your selection as you read. During the second week of school in the fall, you will then take an **in-class test in the form of a four-paragraph essay**.

For History class, you are required to **create a handwritten outline on loose-leaf paper** of your selection as you read. During the third week of school in the fall, you will then take an **in-class test with Scantron questions only**.

For Religion class, you are required to **annotate** your selection as you read. During the fourth week of school in the fall, you will then take an **in-class test with Scantron questions only**.

For help on **what and how to annotate your books**, please watch this video:

How to Annotate When Reading!

For help on **outlining a history book**, please check out these links:

<https://resources.library.lemoyne.edu/guides/history/handbook/outline>

<https://historyprofessor.org/organization/how-to-write-an-outline/>

We are excited to jump into book conversations with you in the fall! Happy reading!

All the best,

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