

There are many ways available for you to obtain your summer reading books. Check your local library; your book may be available to be checked out without cost! Call or go to your local bookstore; **if they don't have the title you are looking for, ask them to order the book for you.**

Public Libraries: Miami Lakes (305) 822-6520
John F. Kennedy (305) 821-2700
Hialeah Gardens (305) 820-8520

Bookstores: Barnes & Noble
14572 SW 5th St
Pembroke Pines, FL 33027
954-437-7078

Many books are available in digital or e-book format for free on websites such as <http://books.google.com>. There are also several online websites where you may buy books new or used (*sometimes for a reduced price*) such as:

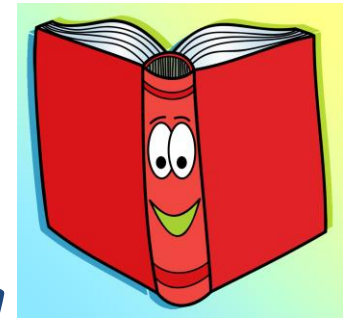
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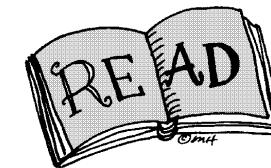
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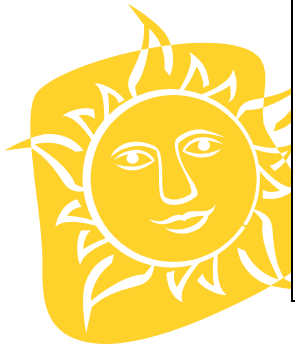
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PICK UP A BOOK AND READ THIS SUMMER!

- Find the grade level you will enter in the Fall
- Borrow the books from a library, or purchase them at a book store (new or used)
- Read!
- Prepare for an assessment when school starts in August





Did you know that people who read a minimum of half an hour a day raise their reading level and improve their vocabulary? Use your summer vacation to pick up some books!
Each student at BGHS is required to read the titles listed by grade level:

Grade 9 (read both)

- Sleeping Freshmen Never Lie* David Lubar
- The Lightning Thief* Rick Riordan

Grade 9 Honors/Gifted (choose 2)

- Fahrenheit 451* Ray Bradbury
- To Kill a Mockingbird* Harper Lee
- And Then There Were None* Agatha Christie

Grade 10/Regular/Honors/Gifted (choose 2)

- Gifted Hands* Ben Carson, MD
- Princess* Jean Sasson
- Alice’s Adventures in Wonderland* Lewis Carroll

Grade 11 and Grade 11 Honors (choose 2)

- The Catcher in the Rye* J.D. Salinger
- The Bell Jar* Sylvia Plath
- The Absolutely True Diary of a Part-Time Indian* Sherman Alexie
- A Raisin in the Sun* Lorraine Hansberry

AP Language & Comp. (read all 3)

- The Things They Carried* Tim O’Brien
- The Way to Rainy Mountain* N. Scott Momaday

Essay packet (see Ms. Cushman or school website)

Click on highlighted text above to open Essay Packet

Grade 12/Regular/Honors/Gifted (choose 1)

- Ms. Peregrine’s Home for Peculiar Children* Ransom Riggs
- The Alchemist* Paulo Coelho
- Asylum* Patrick McGrath

AP Literature & Comp. (read all 3)

- The Importance of Being Earnest* Oscar Wilde
- A Thousand Splendid Suns* Khaled Hosseini
- How to Read Literature Like a Professor* Thomas C. Foster