

Melrose High School
Summer Reading 2011
Department of English

Freshman: Required All Levels: *Tuesdays with Morrie* by Mitch Albom
(Essay will be written on this book.)

Additionally, Honors reads both; CP chooses one:

Fahrenheit 451 by Ray Bradbury

Long Way Gone by Ishmael Beah

Sophomore: Required All Levels: *The Book Thief* by Marcus Zusak
(Essay will be written on this book.)

Additionally, Honors read both; CP chooses one:

The Bean Trees by Barbara Kingsolver

Whale Talk by Chris Crutcher

Junior: Required All Levels: *The Color of Water* by James McBride
(Essay will be written on this book.)

Additionally, Honors read both; CP chooses one:

Cat's Cradle by Kurt Vonnegut

Kindred by Octavia Butler

Senior: Required All Levels: *The Things They Carried* by Tim O'Brien
(Essay will be written on this book.)

Additionally, Honors read both; CP chooses one:

All Souls by Michael Patrick MacDonald

A Thousand Splendid Suns by Khalid Hosseini

Grade 11 Advanced Placement English and Composition

AP students are required to read all titles and complete any assignments the AP teacher requires.)

Growing Up by Russell Baker

An American Childhood by Annie Dillard

Hiroshima by John Hersey

The Autobiography of Malcolm X as told to Alex Haley

The Woman Warrior by Maxine Hong Kingston

Grade 12 Advanced Placement English and Composition

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Wit by Margaret Edson

As I Lay Dying by William Faulkner

Interpreter of Maladies by Jhumpa Lahiri

The Bluest Eye by Toni Morrison

In the Lake of the Woods by Tim O'Brien

