

The Scranton School District
Summer Reading List
Scranton High School & West Scranton High School

All incoming **JUNIORS** who are scheduled for **HONORS ENGLISH III** at either Scranton High School and West Scranton High School are required to read **TWO WORKS over the summer**. One of the books is noted below as the “common requirement for all honor students.” Students must choose their other selection from the comprehensive list beneath the required title.

On the Scranton School District web page is a worksheet titled, "Summer Reading Scavenger Hunt". Print this document and follow the directions. Carefully complete the form and hand it in to your English teacher when you return to school after summer break. The summer reading assessments will count **as one quiz grade for the first marking period**.

Students entering the school district after the first day of school and before the beginning of the second quarter will have four weeks to complete the reading and assessment of the work.

Common Required Selection:

A Raisin in the Sun by Lorraine Hansbury

Comprehensive List:

Bomb: The Race to Build the World's Most Dangerous Weapon by Steve Sheinkin

Tender is the Night by F. Scott Fitzgerald

The Last of the Mohicans by James Cooper

For Whom the Bell Tolls by Ernest Hemingway

On the Road by Jack Kerouac

The Bell Jar by Sylvia Plath

The Grapes of Wrath by John Steinbeck

The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn by Mark Twain

A Streetcar Named Desire by Tennessee Williams