

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

All incoming **SOPHOMORES** who are scheduled for **HONORS ENGLISH II** 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:

Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde by Robert Louis Stevenson

Comprehensive List:

The Count of Monte Cristo (abridged) by Alexandre Dumas

The Glass Castle by Jeannette Walls

The Life of Pi by Yann Martel

The Picture of Dorian Gray by Oscar Wilde

Schindler's List by Thomas Keneally

Slaughterhouse Five by Kurt Vonnegut

Night by Elie Wiesel