

Peabody Veterans Memorial High School Summer Reading

*** Important Message for Students and Parents/Caregivers:** We are pleased to share our 2024 Summer Reading selections with the PVMHS community. Our staff has spent hours selecting works from a wide variety of genres that will appeal to our diverse student population. Our list covers a broad range of topics that are relevant to today's young adults; please note that titles marked with an L, V, or A contain sensitive content. We welcome and encourage parents and caregivers to discuss summer reading choices and assist their student in selecting books that best match their student's individual interests and needs.

ASSIGNMENT: STUDENTS WILL SELECT ONE BOOK FROM THE CHOICES BELOW (SEE LIST VIEW OF BOOKS HERE) AND COMPLETE A PROJECT, DEMONSTRATING THEIR UNDERSTANDING OF THE BOOK. [CLICK HERE FOR PROJECT INSTRUCTIONS.](#)

FICTION

LVA

LONG AS THE LEMON TREES GROW
ZOUFA KATOUB

CHRISTINE SUGGS
IAY, MJA!

TITLES ON THIS SHELF ARE 2024 MASS TEEN BOOK AWARD NOMINEES

MASS TEEN CHOICE BOOK AWARD

LVA

BITTERSWEET IN THE HOLLOW
Kate Pearsall

BLUELOCK
RYOMA ADACHI

LVA

Breathe AND Count Back from Ten
NATALIA SILVESTER

LVA

Just Do This One Thing For Me
by Laura Zimmerman

PROMISE BOYS
NICK BROOKS

BYRON GRAVES
REZ BALL

LVA

THE SEARCH FOR US
SUSAN AZIM BOYER

THIS IS OUR PLACE
VITOR MARTINS

LVA

ANGELINE BOULLEY
WARRIOR GIRL UNearthED

WHALE DAY
And Other Poems
BILLY COLLINS

LVA

YOUR LONELY NIGHTS ARE OVER
ADAM SASS

THE WICKED BARGAIN
GABE COLLINOVA

LVA

WELL THAT WAS UNEXPECTED
JESSE Q. SUANTO

WHERE YOU SEE YOURSELF
CLAIR FORREST

Bianca Torre IS AFRAID OF EVERYTHING
JUSTINE PUCELLA WINANS

anna sorting
give me a SIGN

LVA

THREADS THAT BIND
KIKI HATZOPOULOU

throwback
COOL THINGS BY MAURENE GOO

SOME TEXTS INCLUDE MATURE CONTENT DENOTED BY THE FOLLOWING:

- L LANGUAGE
- V VIOLENCE/ABUSE
- A ADULT SITUATIONS

AP LANGUAGE & AP LITERATURE
click here

NON-FICTION

DAVID GRANN
THE WAGER
SHIPWRECK, MUTINY, MURDER

L V

TITLES ON THIS SHELF ARE PVMHS TEACHERS' CHOICE

ACCOUNTABLE
DASHIKA SLATER

BERNA ANAT
MONEY OUT LOUD

HOW TO BE AN ANTIRACIST
IBRAM X. KENDI

BRAIDING SWEETGRASS FOR YOUNG ADULTS
ROBIN WALL KIMMERER

HOW TO BE A (YOUNG) ANTIRACIST
IBRAM X. KENDI
NIC STONE

The Red Bandanna
A life. A choice. A legacy.
Tom Rinaldi

A NIGHT TO REMEMBER
WALTER LORD

SUNSHINE
JACQUELYN J. MINOZZO