

**Summer Reading List—Watertown H.S. English Classes
(2010-2011 School Year)**

<i>If you are entering...</i>	<i>Read the following:</i>
9 th Level 1	• <i>Wish You Well</i> by David Baldacci
9 th Honors	• <i>Wish You Well</i> by David Baldacci • <i>The Book Thief</i> by Markus Zusak
10 th Level 1	• <i>The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time</i> by Mark Haddon
10 th Honors	• <i>Kaffir Boy</i> by Mark Mathabane •Select a book that has been made into a movie (250 pages or more, appropriate grade level). Take notes as you read so you have a reliable summary. <u>After reading the book</u> , watch the movie and take notes. Note how the book and movie are the same and how they are different. <u>Pay special attention to how the book and movie are different.</u>
11 th Level 1	• <i>The Dive from Clausen’s Pier</i> by Ann Packer
11 th Honors	• <i>The Dive from Clausen’s Pier</i> by Ann Packer • <i>A Yellow Raft in Blue Water</i> by Michael Dorris
AP 11	• <i>In the Heart of the Sea: The Tragedy of the Whaleship Essex</i> by Nathaniel Philbrick • <i>Moby Dick (150th Anniversary Edition)</i> by Herman Melville • <i>Ahab’s Wife or, The Star-Gazer</i> by Sena Jeter Naslund (Students enrolled in this class need to see or email teacher Maureen Regan for further details about the summer reading and class expectations.)
Contemp. Lit Level 1	• <i>All Souls: A Family Story from Southie</i> by Michael Patrick McDonald • <i>Mystic River</i> by Dennis Lehane
Contemp. Lit Honors	• <i>All Souls: A Family Story from Southie</i> by Michael Patrick McDonald • <i>Mystic River</i> by Dennis Lehane • <i>Shutter Island</i> by Dennis Lehane
Humanities Level 1	• <i>Man’s Search for Meaning (Part 1)</i> by Viktor Frankl • <i>The Alchemist</i> by Paulo Coelho •View the film <i>Cinema Paradiso</i> directed by Giuseppe Tornatore. <u>Watch the original version</u> , NOT the director’s cut or “new version.”
Humanities Honors	• <i>Man’s Search for Meaning (Entire Book)</i> by Viktor Frankl • <i>The Alchemist</i> by Paulo Coelho •View the film <i>Cinema Paradiso</i> directed by Giuseppe Tornatore. <u>Watch the original version</u> , NOT the director’s cut or “new version.”
AP 12	• <i>A Thousand Splendid Suns</i> by Khaled Hosseini • <i>In the Lake of the Woods</i> by Tim O’Brien • <i>Wit</i> by Margaret Edson • <i>Interpreter of Maladies</i> by Jhumpa Lahiri (Students enrolled in this class need to see teacher Maurin O’Grady for further details about summer requirements and class expectations.)