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Dear Families,

We're excited to announce our summer reading selections for summer 2018! The purpose of summer reading is to encourage our students to read for pleasure. All FHS students are required to choose <u>one book</u> to read for their summer reading assignment. New this year, Honors and AP English students may choose to read their assigned summer reading book for English in place of a book from the list below (except *How to Read Literature Like a Professor*, which cannot be used for summer reading.) A synopsis of each book along with pricing information and any potentially questionable content can be found in the FHS 2018 Summer Reading Flyer, available on the FHS website, to guide students and families as they choose a book.

- 1. Alexander Hamilton, Revolutionary by Martha Brockenbrough
- 2. Burning Midnight by Will McIntosh
- 3. The Geek's Guide to Unrequited Love by Sarvenaz Tash
- 4. The Cruel Prince by Holly Black
- 5. Chasing Lincoln's Killer by James Swanson
- 6. The Night Circus by Erin Morgenstern
- 7. Salt to the Sea by Ruta Sepetys
- 8. Truly Devious by Maureen Johnson
- 9. Front Lines by Michael Grant
- 10. Outrun the Moon by Stacey Lee
- 11. The Librarian of Auschwitz by Antonio Iturbe
- 12. March Book Two by John Lewis, Andrew Aydin, and Nate Powell
- 13. Undefeated: Jim Thorpe and the Carlisle Indian Football Team by Steve Sheinkin
- 14. Madeleine L'Engle's A Wrinkle in Time (graphic novel version) adapted by Hope Larson

Students will complete literary analysis questions about the book they choose. (Note: Students receiving special education services may be asked to read a specific book. ELL students and students receiving special education services may be assessed by an alternate method and may have an alternate due date. Please check with the teacher.) This assignment can be completed as soon as the student finishes the book. This assignment will be due to the student's second block teacher on Friday, September 7, 2018. The grade from the literary analysis questions will count for 2% of each student's grade in the 2nd block class. Honors and AP English students will complete the summer reading assignment about their chosen book to be turned in for 2% of the second block grade and must also complete additional assignments as assigned by their English teacher. There will be separate assignments for fiction and non-fiction books. The assignments will be posted to the FHS website in late May. Each student is responsible for downloading the assignment.

All summer reading documents, including Honors and AP English assignments, will be available to students and families on the FHS website by visiting the "For Families" tab and clicking on "Summer Reading." Please feel free to contact the school with any questions.

Sincerely, Farragut High School Summer Reading Committee