



Pocono Mountain School District

Office of Curriculum and Instruction – East Junior High School
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Dear Parent/Guardian,

In an effort to keep you informed with regard to curricular content, the Pocono Mountain School District would like to share with you the list of required works that your junior will be reading in his or her eleventh grade English Language Arts course this school year. The titles are as follows:

Beowulf
The Canterbury Tales by Geoffrey Chaucer
Macbeth by William Shakespeare
Frankenstein by Mary Shelley
The Lord of the Flies by William Golding

In addition to those works listed above, Honors ELA 11 students will also be required to read *A Tale of Two Cities* by Charles Dickens and *Wuthering Heights* by Emily Brontë.

Any 11th grade student enrolled in AP Language and Composition will be required to read *In Cold Blood* by Truman Capote and *Invisible Man* by Ralph Ellison, in addition to *Frankenstein* and *A Tale of Two Cities*. AP students will also be assigned numerous selections from *The Bedford Reader* anthology as required reading.

Please understand that the works listed here serve only as the basis for what your student will be studying this year. Individual teachers will provide additional supplemental works and assignments to ensure that all students have a broad and challenging experience in 11th Grade ELA, regardless of course level. For a comprehensive listing of the supplemental works and course content for each grade, please access the secondary curriculum link on the district website at www.pmsd.org.

Sincerely,

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