

LINCOLN ALTERNATIVE SCHOOL
CLASSICAL READING PROGRAM
SIXTH GRADE REQUIREMENTS

The goals of the Classical Reading Program are first, to expose children to quality literature and second, to encourage children to read for enjoyment.

All students in sixth grade are required to read five (5) books chosen from the Classical Reading List. The Classical Reading Award will be given to those students who read five (5) books from the sixth grade Classical List plus five (5) books of their own choice which have been teacher approved for a total of ten (10) books.

All students are required to complete a written book report for all of the list books and the teacher may require more written book reports to be completed. Choice book reporting is developed by each individual teacher and the procedures will be explained at Parent Information Night. Subject to teacher approval, students may choose books from the lists above, on, and below grade level. Other books by the same author may be substituted for books listed with teacher approval.



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SIXTH GRADE CLASSICAL READING LIST

Avi (Edward Irving Wortis).	<u>Crispin: the Cross of Lead</u>
Bartoletti, Susan Campbell.	<u>Black Potatoes: The Story of the Great Irish Famine, 1845-1850</u>
Burnford, Sheila.	<u>The Incredible Journey</u>
Creech, Sharon.	<u>Ruby Holler</u>
Dash, John.	<u>The Longitude Prize</u>
Dickens, Charles.	<u>Christmas Carol</u>
Farley, Walter.	<u>Black Stallion</u>
Filipovic, Zlata	<u>Zlata's Diary: A Child's Life in Sarajevo</u>
Frank, Anne.	<u>The Diary of Anne Frank</u>
George, Jean.	<u>Julie of the Wolves, My Side of the Mountain</u>
Gipson, Fred.	<u>Savage Sam</u>
Holt, Kimberly Willis.	<u>When Zachary Beaver Came to Town</u>
Howe, James.	<u>Night Without Stars</u>
Kipling, Rudyard.	<u>Captains Courageous</u>
Kjelgaard, Jim.	<u>Big Red</u>
*Lewis, C.S.	<u>The Chronicles of Narnia</u>
(This is a series of 7 books, need to list at least one of the books i.e. Prince Caspian except The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe)	
Lofting, Hugh.	<u>The Voyages of Doctor Dolittle</u>
*Lowry, Lois.	<u>The Giver</u>
Melville, Herman.	<u>Moby Dick</u>
Montgomery, L.M.	<u>Anne of Green Gables</u>
O'Dell, Scott.	<u>Zia</u>
Parks, Rosa.	<u>Rosa Parks: My Story</u>
Paulsen, Gary.	<u>Hatchet</u>
Peck, Richard.	<u>A Long Way from Chicago: A Novel in Stories</u>
Rawls, Wilson.	<u>Summer of the Monkeys</u>
Robertson, Kenith.	<u>Henry Reed, Inc.</u>
Selden, George.	<u>The Cricket in Times Square</u>
Sewell, Anna.	<u>Black Beauty (unabridged)</u>
Speare, Elizabeth George.	<u>The Bronze Bow</u>
Steele, Mary Q.	<u>Journey Outside</u>
Steinbeck, John.	<u>The Red Pony</u>
Stevenson, Robert Louis.	<u>Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde (abridged version)</u>
Stevenson, Robert Louis.	<u>Kidnapped (abridged version)</u>
Stevenson, Robert Louis.	<u>Treasure Island (abridged version)</u>
Swift, Jonathan.	<u>Gulliver's Travels</u>
Taylor, Mildred.	<u>Roll of Thunder, Hear My Cry</u>
Taylor, Theodore.	<u>The Trouble With Tuck, Timothy of the Cay</u>
Twain, Mark.	<u>The Adventures of Tom Sawyer, Prince and the Pauper</u>
Verne, Jules.	<u>Around the World in 80 Days, Twenty Thousand Leagues Under the Sea</u>
Winterfield, Henry.	<u>Mystery of the Roman Ransom</u>
Wyss, Johann.	<u>Swiss Family Robinson</u>
Yep, Laurence.	<u>When the Circus Came to Town</u>



*Other books by this author may be read with teacher pre-approval.