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To SOAR and/or AP/UCONN students:

The following books will be required reading for the Kennedy High School S.O.A.R. program, UCONN courses, and AP courses. It is also mandatory that if you are selecting to take an AP course, you must take the AP exam at the end of the year. Please note, that occasionally a requested course cannot be scheduled into a student's final class schedule.

Freshman SOAR English Reading List

- *Five People you Meet in Heaven* by Mitch Albom

Freshman SOAR World History Reading List

- *The Prince* by Niccolo Machiavelli
- Assignment available from Mrs. Joyce. Please email Mrs. Joyce at ajoyce@waterbury.k12.ct.us

Sophomore SOAR English Reading List

- *The Catcher in the Rye* by J.D. Salinger
- *A Tale of Two Cities* by Charles Dickens

Sophomore SOAR Civics/U.S. History 2 Reading List

- *12 Years A Slave* by Solomon Northup

Junior American Studies SOAR Reading List /UCONN

- *The Crucible* by Arthur Miller
- *The Alienist* by Caleb Carr
- *The Things They Carried* by Tim O'Brien
- *In the Heart of the Sea* by Nathaniel Philbrick
- Assignment available from Mr. Caruso. Please email Mr. Caruso at acaruso@waterbury.k12.ct.us

Senior English SOAR Reading List

- *Grendel* by John Gardner
- *Beowulf* translated by Seamus Heaney

Advanced Placement Courses

AP English 11

- *The Landry News* by Andrew Clements
- *Nickel and Dimed: On (Not) Getting By in America* by Barbara Ehrenreich
- Assignment available from Dr. Cybart-Persenaire. Please email Dr. Cybart-Persenaire at acybart-persenaire@waterbury.k12.ct.us

AP U.S. History

- *Founding Brothers* by Joseph Ellis
- *The Things They Carried* by Tim O'Brien

AP English 12

- *The Handmaid's Tale* by Margaret Atwood
- *How to Read Literature Like a Professor: Revised Edition* by Thomas C. Foster
- Assignment available from Mrs. DeVeau. Please email Mrs. DeVeau at hdeveau@waterbury.k12.ct.us

AP Comparative Government

- Assignment available from Mrs. Fitzpatrick. Please email Mrs. Fitzpatrick at kfitzpatrick1@waterbury.k12.ct.us

AP U.S. Government

- Assignment available from Mrs. Fitzpatrick. Please email Mrs. Fitzpatrick at kfitzpatrick1@waterbury.k12.ct.us

AP European History

- Chapters 1, 2, & 3 (available at school)
- Any questions, email Mrs. Joyce at ajoyce@waterbury.k12.ct.us

AP Psychology

- Assignment available from Ms. Salcito. Please email Ms. Salcito at asalcito@waterbury.k12.ct.us

Environmental Science UCONN

- Assignment available from Mr. Del Debbio. Please email Mr. Del Debbio at jdeldebbio@waterbury.k12.ct.us

AP Biology

- Assignment available from Mrs. Morris. Please email Mrs. Morris at lmorris@waterbury.k12.ct.us

Statistics AP/UCONN

- Assignment available from Mr. Flaherty. Please email Mr. Flaherty at mrflahertystats@gmail.com

AP Spanish

- Assignment available from Ms. Rincon. Please email Ms. Rincon at crincon@waterbury.k12.ct.us

AP Calculus AB

- Assignment available from Ms. DeVeau. Please email Ms. DeVeau at [ndeveau@waterbury.k12.ct](mailto:ndeveau@waterbury.k12.ct.us)

AP Calculus BC

- Assignment available from Ms. DeVeau. Please email Ms. DeVeau at [ndeveau@waterbury.k12.ct](mailto:ndeveau@waterbury.k12.ct.us)