



Sagemont Preparatory School High School Summer Reading 2025-26

Please buy a physical copy of the following book and finish reading it before the summer is over. In the fall, you will be asked to complete an activity about your summer reading. Please make sure to highlight or underline any parts that show the theme of the book or give important information about the characters. Choose at least FOUR significant quotes from the book.

Incoming 9th Grade:

Theme: Freedom at All Costs

Book: Choose ONE of the following: *Dear Martin* by Nic Stone **OR** *Bad Boy* by Walter Dean Myers

Incoming 10th Grade:

Theme: Our Place in Nature

Book: Choose ONE of the following: *Unbroken* by Laura Hillenbrand **OR** *I am Malala* by Malala Yousafzai

Incoming 11th Grade

Theme: America Transformed

Book: Choose ONE of the following: *How the Garcia Girls Lost Their Accent* by Julia Alvarez **OR** *They Called Us Enemy* by George Takei

Incoming 12th Grade:

Theme: Origin of a Nation

Book: Choose ONE of the following: *Long Way Down* (Novel in verse) by Jason Reynolds **OR** *The Stranger in the Woods: The Extraordinary Story of the Last True Hermit* (Nonfiction) by Michael Finkel