

Lyon's Township High School

SUMMER READING List 2023: 11th & 12th Grade English AP

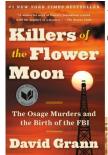


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Quiet: The Power of Introverts in a World
That Can't Stop Talking

Cain. Susan

At least one-third of the people we know are introverts. They are the ones who prefer listening to speaking; who innovate and create but dislike self-promotion; who favor working on their own over working in teams. It is to introverts--Rosa Parks, Chopin, Dr. Seuss, Steve Wozniak--that we owe many of the great contributions to society.

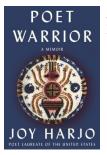


Killers of the Flower Moon: 976.6 GRA
The Osage Murders and the Birth of the FBI
Grann, David

Presents a true account of the early 20th-century murders of dozens of wealthy Osage and law-enforcement officials, citing the contributions and missteps of a fledgling FBI that eventually uncovered one of the most chilling conspiracies in American history.

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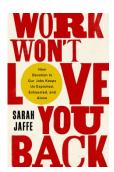
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Poet Warrior: A Memoir Harjo, Joy 811.54 HAR

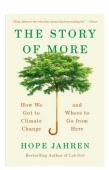
Poet Laureate Joy Harjo offers a vivid, lyrical, and inspiring call for love and justice in this contemplation of her trailblazing life. In the second memoir from the first Native American to serve as US poet laureate, Joy Harjo invites us to travel along the heartaches, losses, and humble realizations of her "poet-warrior" road.balance between the weak and the mighty, the powerful and the dispossessed.



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Work Won't Love You Back: How Devotion To Our Jobs Keeps Us Exploited, Exhausted, and Alone 331.2 JAF

Jaffe, Sarah



The Story Of More: How We Got To Climate
Change and Where To Go From Here
Jahren, Hope
363.7387 JAH

An award-winning geobiologist recognized by Time as one of the most influential people in the world describes how the science behind key inventions has helped us, but ultimately hurt the earth, and offers science-based tools for fighting back.

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If you do what you love, you'll never work a day in your life." Examines this "labor of love" myth -- the idea that certain work is not really work, and therefore should be done out of passion instead of pay. Told through the lives and experiences of workers in various industries, the author reveals how all of us have been tricked into buying into a new tyranny of work, and how understanding the trap of the labor of love will empower us to work less and demand what our work is worth. And once freed from those binds, we can finally figure out what actually gives us joy, pleasure, and satisfaction.



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Heartland: A Memoir Of Working Hard and Being Broke In the Richest Country On Earth Smarsh, Sarah

978.01 SMA

During Sarah's turbulent childhood in Kansas in the 1980s and 1990s, she enjoyed the freedom of a country childhood, but observed the painful challenges of the poverty around her; untreated medical conditions for lack of insurance or consistent care, unsafe job conditions, abusive relationships, and limited resources and information that would provide for the upward mobility that is the American Dream. By telling the story of her life and the lives of the people she loves with clarity and precision but without judgement, Smarsh challenges us to look more closely at the class divide in our country.



Dreamland: YA 362.293 QUI
The True Tale Of America's Opiate Epidemic
Quinones, Sam

An explosive true account of addiction, marketing and the making of an epidemic weaves together the story of Purdue Pharma's campaign to market OxyContin, while, at the same time, a massive influx of black tar heroin took the county by storm through an almost unbreakable marking and distribution system.

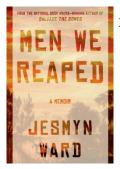
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Men We Reaped: A Memoir 813.6 WAR Ward, Jesmyn

A National Book Award winner recounts the loss of five young men in her life to drugs, accidents, suicide and the bad luck that can follow people who live in poverty, particularly black men, sharing her experiences of living through the dying as she searches through answers in her community.

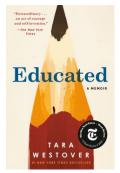
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Educated: A Memoir Westover, Tara

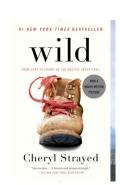
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Born to survivalists in the mountains of Idaho, Tara Westover was seventeen the first time she set foot in a classroom. Her family was so isolated from mainstream society that there was no one to ensure the children received an education, and no one to intervene when one of Tara's older brothers became violent. When another brother got himself into col-lege, Tara decided to try a new kind of life. Her quest for knowledge transformed her, taking her over oceans and across continents, to Harvard and to Cambridge University. Only then would she wonder if she'd traveled too far, if there was still a



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Wild: From Lost to Found on the Pacific Crest Trail Strayed, Cheryl

A powerful, blazingly honest, inspiring memoir: the story of a 1,100 mile solo hike that broke down a young woman reeling from catastrophe—and built her back up again.

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