

# Mount Carmel Academy

## 2018

### Summer Reading – 11<sup>th</sup> Grade

Welcome to Mount Carmel Academy! We are excited about the coming school year. All students will be tested over the mandatory reading during the first nine weeks of the fall semester. Please read carefully.

#### Required Reading:

The Color Purple  
A Farewell to Arms

Alice Walker  
Ernest Hemingway

#### AP Students will be required to read an extra reading:

David and Goliath: Underdogs, Misfits, and the Art of Battling Giants      Malcolm Gladwell

#### Optional Reading:

In the Time of the Butterflies

Julia Alvarez

The Poisonwood Bible

Barbara Kingsolver

Ethan Frome

Edith Wharton

The House on Mango Street

Sandra Cisneros

A Prayer for Owen Meany

John Irving

The Killer Angels

Michael Schaara

(Books are not available at the school. Students can purchase books online or at local bookstores. These titles are also widely available at public libraries.)

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