SUMMER READING LIST
8TH GRADE HONORS ENGLISH

Students entering this class are required to read Part 2 of the book from the required list, and five short stories.

A comprehension quiz on the required reading will be given within the first week of school.

REQUIRED READING:

The vocabulary comprehension and project folder for this book is to be completed and returned by August 21, 2009.

Dickens, Charles: ***A Tale of Two Cities, Part 2***

The following short stories are also required:
(These short stories can be found on the websites listed after each title.)

Bierce, Ambrose, *An Occurrence at Owl Creek Bridge*
www.pagebypagebooks.com/Ambrose_Bierce
O'Henry, *The Ransom of Red Chief*
www.online-literature.com/o_henry/1041
Poe, Edgar Allan, *The Cask of Amontillado*
www.literature.org/authors/poe_edgar_allan/amontillado.html
www.eapoe.org/works/tales/caskb.html
Saki (H.H. Munro), *The Open Window*
www.eastoftheweb.com/short-stories/ubooks/opewin.shtml
http://mclibrary.nhmccd.edu/lit/open.html
Stockton, Frank, *The Lady or the Tiger?*
www.eastoftheweb.com/short-stories/ubooks
www.pagebypagebooks.com/frank_r_stockton

Additional recommended reading:
The Diary of Anne Frank -
Cry, The Beloved Country – Alan Paton
The Snow Goose – Paul Gallico
A Separate Peace – John Knowles
Mythology: Timeless Tales of Gods and Heroes – Edith Hamilton