

**Catalina Foothills School District
High School Literature Text List
Approved by the CFSD Governing Board on April 4, 2023**

Title	Author	Core or Small Group Option	Parent Permission Required*
English 9 and Honors English 9: Coming of Age			
Born a Crime - Stories from A South African Childhood	Trevor Noah	Core/Anchor	
I am Malala	Malala Yousafzi	Core	
Life of Pi	Yann Martell	Core	
Persepolis Vol. 1 and Vol. 2	Marjane Satrapi	Core	
The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time	Mark Hadden	Core	
The Catcher in the Rye	J.D. Salinger	Core	Yes
To Kill a Mockingbird	Harper Lee	Core	
The Hate U Give	Angie Thomas	Core	Yes
Haroun and the Sea of Stories	Salman Rushdie	Small Group	
The House on Mango Street	Sandra Cisneros	Small Group	
To Live	Yu Hua	Small Group	
Ready Player 1	Ernest Cline	Small Group	
The Diary of a Young Girl	Anne Frank	Small Group	
We Are Okay	Nina LaCour	Small Group	Yes
The Graveyard Book	Neil Gaiman	Small Group	
Turtles All the Way Down	John Green	Small Group	
English 10 and Honors English 10: The Individual and Society			
Anthem	Ayn Rand	Core/Anchor	
Long Way Down	Jason Reynolds	Core	
Brave New World	Aldous Huxley	Core	Yes
A Raisin in the Sun	Lorraine Hansberry	Core	
One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest	Ken Kesey	Core	Yes
The Hunger Games	Suzanne Collins	Core	
Julius Caesar	Shakespeare	Core	
Hamlet	Shakespeare	Core	

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Othello	Shakespeare	Core	
The Picture of Dorian Grey	Oscar Wilde	Core	
Great Expectations	Charles Dickens	Small Group	
Cyrano de Bergerac	Edmond Rostand	Small Group	
Lobizona	Romina Garber	Small Group	Yes
Red Letter Days	Sarah-Jane Stratford	Small Group	
Akata Witch	Nnedi Okorafor	Small Group	
A Great and Terrible Beauty	Libba Bray	Small Group	
The Maze Runner	James Dashner	Small Group	
English 11: Mirrors and Windows			
Their Eyes Were Watching God	Zora Neale Hurston	Core/Anchor	
Into the Wild	Jon Krakauer	Core	
The White	Deborah Larsen	Core	
Sing, Unburied, Sing	Jesmyn Ward	Core	
Homegoing	Yaa Gyasi	Core	Yes
Enrique's Journey	Sonia Nazario	Core	
The Color of Water: A Black Man's Tribute to His White Mother	James McBride	Core	
Ceremony	Leslie Marmon Silko	Core	Yes
Death of a Salesman	Arthur Miller	Small Group	
The Sun Also Rises	Ernest Hemingway	Small Group	
Funny in Farsi	Firoozeh Dumas	Small Group	
I Know Why the Caged Bird Sings	Maya Angelou	Small Group	Yes
The Firekeeper's Daughter	Angeline Boulley	Small Group	
Breakfast of Champions	Kurt Vonnegut, Jr.	Small Group	Yes
The Great Gatsby	F. Scott Fitzgerald	Small Group	
The Lone Star Ranger	Zane Grey	Small Group	
Fallen Angels	Walter Dean Myers	Small Group	
The Buddha in the Attic	Julie Otsuka	Small Group	Yes

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English 11: AP Language and Composition			
Their Eyes Were Watching God	Zora Neale Hurston	Core/Anchor	
Into the Wild	Jon Krakauer	Core	
The Glass Castle	Jeannette Walls	Small Group	
Educated	Tara Westover	Small Group	
The Fire Line	Fernanda Santos	Small Group	
The Big Burn: Teddy Roosevelt and the Fire that Saved America	Timothy Egan	Small Group	
Furious Hours - Murder, Fraud, and the Last Trial of Harper Lee	Casey Cep	Small Group	
Into Thin Air	Jon Krakauer	Small Group	
The Tipping Point	Malcolm Gladwell	Small Group	
Freakonomics	Steven D. Levitt & Stephen J. Dubner	Small Group	
Guns, Germs, and Steel	Jared Diamond	Small Group	
This Boy's Life (small group option)	Tobias Wolff	Small Group	
Stiff: The Curious Lives of Human Cadavers	Mary Roach	Small Group	
Manufacturing Consent: The Political Economy of the Mass Media	Edward S. Herman & Noam Chomsky	Small Group	
Narrative of the Life of Frederick Douglass	Frederick Douglass	Small Group	
The Autobiography of Malcolm X	Malcolm X, Alex Haley	Small Group	
Naked	David Sedaris	Small Group	
English 12: Persuasion in Pop Culture			
Writing for the Mass Media	James Glenn Stovall	Core	
In Persuasion Nation	George Saunders	Core	
The Advertising and Consumer Culture Reader	Joseph Turov & Matthew McAllister (editors)	Core	
Media/Society - Technology, Industries, Content, and Users (6th edition)	David Croteau & William Hoynes	Core	
Fight Club	Chuck Palahniuk	Core/Anchor	Yes
Oryx and Crake	Margaret Atwood	Core	Yes
Friday Black	Nana Kwame Adjei-Brenyah	Core	
Fahrenheit 451	Ray Bradbury	Small Group	
Brave New World	Aldous Huxley	Small Group	Yes
High Fidelity	Nick Hornby	Small Group	
1984	George Orwell	Small Group	Yes

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Catch-22	Joseph Heller	Small Group	
The Handmaid's Tale	Margaret Atwood	Small Group	Yes
Manufacturing Consent: The Political Economy of the Mass Media	Edward S. Herman & Noam Chomsky	Small Group	
Media Control: The Spectacular Achievements of Propaganda	Noam Chomsky	Small Group	
Can't Stop, Won't Stop: A History of the Hip-Hop Generation	Jeff Chang	Small Group	
The Tipping Point: How Little Things Can Make a Big Difference	Malcolm Gladwell	Small Group	
English 12: Fantasy and Myth			
The Hobbit	J. R.R. Tolkien	Core/Anchor	
Circe	Madeline Miller	Core	
The Odyssey	Homer	Core	
A Midsummer Night's Dream	Shakespeare	Core	
The Eye of the World	Robert Jordan	Core	
The Once and Future King	T.H. White	Core	
Kindred	Octavia E. Butler	Core	
Norse Mythology	Neil Gaiman	Core	
A Wizard of Earthsea	Ursula K. Le Guin	Small Group	
The Lion, The Witch, and the Wardrobe	C.S. Lewis	Small Group	
A Wrinkle in Time	Madeleine L'Engle	Small Group	
The Silmarillion	J.R.R. Tolkein	Small Group	
Mythology	Edith Hamilton	Small Group	
African Mythology – Captivating Myths of Gods, Goddesses, and Legendary Creatures of Africa	Matt Clayton	Small Group	
Spinning Silver	Naomi Novik	Small Group	
Children of Blood and Bone	Tomi Adeyemi	Small Group	
Alice's Adventures in Wonderland	Lewis Carroll	Small Group	
English 12: Mystery and Thriller			
Dracula	Bram Stoker	Core	
The Maltese Falcon	Dashiell Hammett	Core	
In Cold Blood	Truman Capote	Core/Anchor	
Haunted Ground	Erin Hart	Core	

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A Christmas Carol	Charles Dickens	Core	
Ghostland: An American History in Haunted Places	Colin Dickey	Core	
Miss Marple: The Complete Short Stories	Agatha Christie	Core	
The Invention of Murder: How the Victorians Reveled in Death and Detection and Created Modern Crime	Judith Flanders	Core	
20th Century Ghosts	Joe Hill	Core	
The No. 1 Ladies Detective Agency - Tears of the Giraffe	Alexander McCall Smith	Small Group	
And Then There Were None	Agatha Christie	Small Group	
A Study in Scarlet	Arthur Conan Doyle	Small Group	
Firekeeper's Daughter	Angeline Boulley	Small Group	
The Turn of the Screw	Henry James	Small Group	
The Da Vinci Code	Dan Brown	Small Group	
English 12: Sci Fi and Dystopia			
1984	George Orwell	Core/Anchor	Yes
Binti: The Complete Trilogy	Nnedi Okorafor	Core	
Do Androids Dream of Electric Sheep?	Philip K. Dick	Core	
Dune	Frank Herbert	Core	
Feed	M.T. Anderson	Core	
Frankenstein	Mary Wollestonecraft Shelley	Core	
Handmaid's Tale, The	Margaret Atwood	Core	Yes
Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy, The	Douglas Adams	Core	
Stories of Ray Bradbury, The	Ray Bradbury	Core	
Fahrenheit 451	Ray Bradbury	Small Group	
I, Robot	Isaac Asimov	Small Group	
Klara and the Sun	Kazuo Ishiguro	Small Group	
Left Hand of Darkness, The	Ursula K. LeGuin	Small Group	
Network Effect (The Murderbot Diaries #5)	Martha Wells	Small Group	
Project Hail Mary	Andy Weir	Small Group	
Time Machine, The	H. G. Wells	Small Group	

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English 12: War and Conflict			
A Thousand Splendid Suns	Khaled Hosseini	Core	Yes
Art of War, The	Sun Tzu	Core/Anchor	
Grunt	Mary Roach	Core	
Hiroshima	John Hersey	Core	
I'm Still Standing: From Captive U.S. Soldier to Free Citizen	Shoshana Johnson	Core	
Johnny Got His Gun	Dalton Trumbo	Core	Yes
The Road	Cormac McCarthy	Core	
Things They Carried, The	Tim O'Brien	Core	
A Long Way Gone	Ishmael Beah	Small Group	
All Quiet on the Western Front	Erich Maria Remarque	Small Group	
Catch-22	Joseph Heller	Small Group	
Fallen Angels	Walter Dean Myers	Small Group	
Fight Club	Chuck Palahniuk	Small Group	Yes
Jarhead	Anthony Swofford	Small Group	
Lucifer Effect, The	Phillip Zimbardo	Small Group	
Maus	Art Spiegelman	Small Group	
Maus II	Art Spiegelman	Small Group	
War Is a Force That Gives Us Meaning	Chris Hedges	Small Group	
English 12: AP Literature and Composition			
Beloved	Toni Morrison	Core/Anchor	Yes
Great Expectations	Charles Dickens	Core	
Great Gatsby, The	F. Scott Fitzgerald	Core	
Kite Runner, The	Khaled Hosseini	Core	Yes
Mrs. Dalloway	Virginia Woolf	Core	
Much Ado About Nothing	Shakespeare	Core	
Rebecca	Daphne du Maurier	Core	
Things Fall Apart – The African Trilogy #1	Chinua Achibe	Core	
As I Lay Dying	William Faulkner	Small Group	
Bell Jar, The	Sylvia Plath	Small Group	

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Ceremony	Leslie Marmon Silko	Small Group	Yes
How the Garcia Girls Lost Their Accents	Julia Alvarez	Small Group	Yes
Jane Eyre	Charlotte Bronte	Small Group	
Pride and Prejudice	Jane Austen	Small Group	
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Scarlet Letter, The	Nathaniel Hawthorne	Small Group	
Sun Also Rises, The	Ernest Hemingway	Small Group	
Creative Writing: Art, Meaning, and Story			
Against Forgetting: Twentieth Century Poetry of Witness	Carolyn Forche (editor)	Core	
Ordinary Genius	Kim Addonizio	Core	
Save the Cat! The Last Book on Screenwriting That You'll Ever Need	Blake Snyder	Core	
Student Leadership			
An Astronaut's Guide to Life on Earth: What Going to Space Taught Me About Ingenuity, Determination, and Being Prepared for Anything	Chris Hadfield	Core	
Siddhartha	Hermann Hesse	Core	
Speech and Debate			
Great Speeches of the 20th Century	Bob Blaisdell (editor)	Core	
Thank You for Arguing – What Aristotle, Lincoln, and Homer Simpson Can Teach Us About the Art of Persuasion	Jay Heinrichs	Core	