

## English Department Summer Reading List 2019

### Rising 9th Graders

All students are required to read:

*In the Time of the Butterflies* by Julia Alvarez

AND

Students have the option to read one of the following:

*Catcher in the Rye* by J.D. Salinger

*The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Nighttime* by Mark Haddon

### Rising 10th Graders

The students all read *1984* by George Orwell

And then they should choose one of the following:

*Brick Lane* by Monica Ali

*Handmaid's Tale* by Margaret Atwood

### Rising 11th Graders

Students should choose two of the following:

*Song Long, See you Tomorrow* by William Maxwell

*Brief Wondrous Life of Oscar Wao* by Junot Diaz

*Salvage the Bones* by Jesmyn Ward

*The Joy Luck Club* by Amy Tan

### Rising 12th Graders

Students should choose two of the following:

*Americanah* by Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie

*In Cold Blood* by Truman Capote

*Cat's Eye* by Margaret Atwood

*The Namesake* by Jhumpa Lahiri