

AP LANGUAGE & COMPOSITION SUMMER READING 2016

All student must read 5 total books; at least 2 should be non-fiction choices. Students should select 1-2 from the list below or choose 1 from the list below and self-select a second non-fiction book based on individual interest. Summer reading assessment will be discussed during the first week of class.

The New Jim Crow – Michelle Alexander
Behind the Beautiful Forevers – Katherine Boo
Collapse – Jared M. Diamond
The Souls of Black Folks – W.E.B. DuBois
Nickel and Dimed – Barbara Ehrenreich
Complications – Atul Gawande
There Are No Children Here – Alex Kotlowitz
Savage Inequalities – Jonathan Kozol
Bird by Bird – Anne Lamott
The Big Short – Michael Lewis
Angela's Ashes – Frank McCourt
Dreams from My Father – Barack Obama
Fast Food Nation – Eric Scholsser