

# Saugus High School Summer Reading List Grade 9 2010

Welcome to Saugus High School

Congratulations! You have just completed a very successful year in your eighth grade English course, and now it is time to prepare for ninth grade English. Over the summer, you will be required to read books from the Grade 9 Summer Reading List.

**Students must take handwritten notes on the assigned books, which will be collected during the first week of school.** These notes should be taken while reading, preferably after each chapter has been completed. The notes should include information about the settings, characters, major plot events, and themes in the book.

During the first week of school, students will also be given a written assignment to test their understanding of their chosen books.

## Minimum Requirements

**English 13H- Four Books** (*Fever, 1793* and *Fahrenheit 451* are required, plus any **two** additional books from the list below)

**English 12-** Two books from the list below

**English 11-** One book from the list below

*Tribute to Another Dead Rock Star* - Randy Powell

*Breathing Underwater* - Alex Finn

*Violet Claire* - Francesca Block

*Blood and Chocolate* - Annette Curtis Klaus

*Silver* - Norma Fox Mazer

*The Last Unicorn* - Peter Beagle

*Fahrenheit 451* - Ray Bradbury

*Fever, 1793* – Laurie Halse Anderson

*Romiette and Julio* – Sharon M. Draper

*Parrot in the Oven* – Victor Martinez

*Out of the Dust* – Karen Hesse