



Freshman English Honors and College Prep Summer Reading 2025

One of our goals at The King's Christian School is to help students realize the benefits of reading. We believe you want to be successful in whatever you undertake in life. In order to become a more knowledgeable individual, a better reader, and a stronger writer who can impact the world for Christ, we ask you to take some time each day this summer to practice one of the simplest, most time-proven methods for a lifetime of success - **READ!**

All incoming freshmen are required to read two books; one is a required text and the other is a choice book selected from two options.

Required Text:

- *Between Shades of Gray* by Ruta Sepetys

Choice Text:

Flipped by Wendelin Van Draanen

A Monster Calls by Patrick Ness

General Instructions

You will need to read both texts carefully and thoughtfully and bring in copies of the books to school the first day. When school resumes in the fall, you can expect a TEST on the required text, and an in-class written project on your choice text. **The test and writing assignment will be the first 2 assignments of the year; failure to complete these will result in a poor grade for the first quarter.**

Additional Information

If at any point you desire clarification about summer reading instructions, please email me at Idalessandro@tkcs.org.