



READING LIST for 2025-2026

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Full Books (listed in order of need):

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| • <i>Narrative of the Life of Frederick Douglass</i> | • Weeks 2-4 |
| • <i>Around the World in 80 Days</i> , by Jules Verne | • Weeks 6-9 |
| • <i>Pygmalion</i> , by George Bernard Shaw | • Weeks 12-14 |
| • <i>The Hobbit</i> , by J.R.R. Tolkien | • Weeks 19-22 |
| • <i>The Green Ember</i> , by S.D. Smith | • Weeks 25-29 |
| • Biography of CHOICE | • Week 30-32 |

Excerpts (listed in alphabetical order by title):

- *All Creatures Great and Small*, by James Herriot
- *Anne Frank: The Diary of a Young Girl*
- *A Wrinkle in Time*, by Madeleine L'Engle
- *Roll of Thunder, Hear My Cry*, by Mildred D. Taylor
- *The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn*, by Mark Twain
- *The Adventures of Tom Sawyer*, by Mark Twain
- *The Mysterious Benedict Society*, by Trenton Lee Stewart

Poetry (listed in alphabetical order by poet):

- John Greenleaf Whittier – “Snow-Bound” and other poems
- J.R.R. Tolkien – exploring poetry in *The Hobbit*
- Robert Frost – “October” & “Nothing Gold Can Stay”
- Samuel Taylor Coleridge – Selected Poems
- William Wordsworth – Selected Poems



- ***The Green Ember*, by S.D. Smith**

- AMAZON:

[https://www.amazon.com/Green-Ember-Book/dp/0986223506/ref=tmm_pap_swatch_o?
_encoding=UTF8&qid=1555348709&sr=8-1](https://www.amazon.com/Green-Ember-Book/dp/0986223506/ref=tmm_pap_swatch_o?encoding=UTF8&qid=1555348709&sr=8-1)