**101 Great Books Recommended for College-Bound Readers**

(*from the College Board*)

                                 Beowulf

Achebe, Chinua Things Fall Apart

Agee, James                             A Death in the Family

Austen, Jane                             Pride and Prejudice

Baldwin, James                         Go Tell It on the Mountain

Beckett, Samuel                        Waiting for Godot

Bellow, Saul                              The Adventures of Augie March

Brontë, Charlotte                       Jane Eyre

Brontë, Emily                            Wuthering Heights

Camus, Albert                           The Stranger

Cather, Willa                              Death Comes for the Archbishop

Chaucer, Geoffrey                    The Canterbury Tales

Chekhov, Anton                        The Cherry Orchard

Chopin, Kate                             The Awakening

Conrad, Joseph                         Heart of Darkness

Cooper, James Fenimore          The Last of the Mohicans

Crane, Stephen                         The Red Badge of Courage

Dante                                       Inferno

de Cervantes, Miguel                 Don Quixote

Defoe, Daniel                            Robinson Crusoe

Dickens, Charles                       A Tale of Two Cities

Dostoyevsky, Fyodor                Crime and Punishment

Douglass, Frederick                  Narrative of the Life of Frederick Douglass

Dreiser, Theodore                      An American Tragedy

Dumas, Alexandre                     The Three Musketeers

Eliot, George                            The Mill on the Floss

Ellison, Ralph                            Invisible Man

Emerson, Ralph Waldo              Selected Essays

Faulkner, William                       As I Lay Dying

Faulkner, William                       The Sound and the Fury

Fielding, Henry                          Tom Jones

Fitzgerald, F. Scott                    The Great Gatsby

Flaubert, Gustave                      Madame Bovary

Ford, Ford Madox                     The Good Soldier

Goethe, Johann Wolfgang von   Faust

Golding, William                        Lord of the Flies

Hardy, Thomas                          Tess of the d’Urbervilles

Hawthorne, Nathaniel                 The Scarlet Letter

Heller, Joseph                           Catch 22

Hemingway, Ernest                    A Farewell to Arms

Homer                                      The Iliad

Homer                                      The Odyssey

Hugo, Victor                             The Hunchback of Notre Dame

Hurston, Zora Neale                   Their Eyes Were Watching God

Huxley, Aldous                          Brave New World

Ibsen, Henrik                             A Doll’s House

James, Henry                            The Portrait of a Lady

James, Henry                            The Turn of the Screw

Joyce, James                           A Portrait of the Artist as a Young Man

Kafka, Franz                             The Metamorphosis

Kingston, Maxine Hong             The Woman Warrior

Lee, Harper                               To Kill a Mockingbird

Lewis, Sinclair                           Babbitt

London, Jack                            The Call of the Wild

Mann, Thomas                          The Magic Mountain

Marquez, Gabriel García One Hundred Years of Solitude

Melville, Herman                        Bartleby the Scrivener

Melville, Herman                        Moby Dick

Miller, Arthur                              The Crucible

Morrison, Toni                           Beloved

O’Connor, Flannery                    A Good Man is Hard to Find

O’Neill, Eugene                         Long Day’s Journey into Night

Orwell, George                          Animal Farm

Pasternak, Boris                        Doctor Zhivago

Plath, Sylvia                              The Bell Jar

Poe, Edgar Allan                       Selected Tales

Proust, Marcel                           Swann’s Way

Pynchon, Thomas                     The Crying of Lot 49

Remarque, Erich Maria               All Quiet on the Western Front

Rostand, Edmond                     Cyrano de Bergerac

Roth, Henry                               Call It Sleep

Salinger, J.D.                            The Catcher in the Rye

Shakespeare, William                Hamlet

Shakespeare, William                Macbeth

Shakespeare, William                A Midsummer Night’s Dream

Shakespeare, William                Romeo and Juliet

Shaw, George Bernard               Pygmalion

Shelley, Mary                            Frankenstein

Silko, Leslie Marmon                 Ceremony

Solzhenitsyn, Alexander             One Day in the Life of Ivan Denisovich

Sophocles                                Antigone

Sophocles                                Oedipus Rex

Steinbeck, John                        The Grapes of Wrath

Stevenson, Robert Louis           Treasure Island

Stowe, Harriet Beecher              Uncle Tom’s Cabin

Swift, Jonathan                         Gulliver’s Travels

Thackeray, William                     Vanity Fair

Thoreau, Henry David                Walden

Tolstoy, Leo                              War and Peace

Turgenev, Ivan                           Fathers and Sons

Twain, Mark                               The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn

Voltaire                                     Candide

Vonnegut, Kurt Jr.                     Slaughterhouse-Five

Walker, Alice                             The Color Purple

Wharton, Edith                          The House of Mirth

Welty, Eudora                           Collected Stories

Whitman, Walt                           Leaves of Grass

Wilde, Oscar                             The Picture of Dorian Gray

Williams, Tennessee                 The Glass Menagerie

Woolf, Virginia                          To the Lighthouse

Wright, Richard                         Native Son