

April 27, 2023

Dear EDW Students and Parents,

We hope this letter finds you well. As we prepare for the upcoming summer with next school year in mind, we are excited to announce a new summer reading program for students. Grade levels 9-12 have been assigned a genre and students are encouraged to choose any on-level book within that genre. If a student is unsure of whether or not a book falls within his/her grade level, that student is encouraged to ask his/her teacher or google the lexile level of the book. (Books with lexile levels of 960 or higher are encouraged for on-level classes.)

The assigned genres are as follows: *grade levels listed are for 2023-2024

- There is no summer reading requirement for 8th graders
- 9th grade: Mystery
- 10th grade: Dystopian/Science Fiction
- 11th grade: Nonfiction
- 12th grade: Classics

We believe this program will not only help students maintain and improve their reading skills, but also help to foster a love of reading. We encourage parents to help their students select appropriate books (and teachers may offer suggestions as well).

Students and parents will be asked to sign this form stating their book choice by May 20 and students will be asked to bring in a paper copy of the book they've chosen during first week of next school year. During the first week of school, students will be asked to share their summer reading experiences via grade appropriate one page assessments. We look forward to hearing about the stories that our students will encounter through their summer reading.

New/Incoming 9th, 10th, and 11th graders should email a copy of the completed form to Mrs. Moreaux (kmoreaux@htdiocese.org) for her approval.

Thank you for your continued support of our school and our students.

Sincerely,

Kelly Moreaux
E. D. White Catholic High School
English Department Chair

Student Name: _____ Parent Name: _____

Grade Level Next Year (Circle): 9 10 11 12 Class Type (Circle): Skills On Level Honors/AP

Book Title and Author: _____

Student Signature: _____ Parent Signature: _____