



**World Literature
Summer Reading 2018
11th & 12th Grade**



The purpose of summer reading is to keep your brain engaged, all summer long. This year we will be reading

World Literature. You are expected to read **three books: *A Long Walk to Water* by Linda Sue Park** and **two** listed choice books. Feel free to use outside resources if you feel stuck with understanding the readings. However, make sure your writing is 100% you. The essays will demonstrate your abilities in reading and writing, so try your best.

***A Long Walk to Water* Essay-** This book follows the stories of two separate people in Sudan, Salva Dut and Nya. You may use themes from either story, or both stories. Write a five paragraph essay that follows how a theme develops over the course of the text. Use specific examples with page numbers and use the OREO handout. Track a few themes as you read with examples and page numbers.

Themes: *Never give up, hope and resilience, how far one must go to survive.*

Character Analysis- One character analysis from each choice text. Four paragraphs total. A two paragraph character analysis of the protagonist and how he/she changes and develops over the course of the novel. Use specific examples with page numbers. Track the protagonist’s character traits as you read by writing down specific examples with page numbers.

Paragraph 1: *Name, appearances, strengths, weaknesses, motives, actions in beginning of text*

Paragraph 2: *Actions in end of text, how that changes*

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<p><i>A Long Walk to Water</i> Linda Sue Park (Sudan)</p>	<p>Choice text: pick two</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Nervous Conditions</i> Tsitsi Dangarembga (set in Rhodesia in the 1960s, current day Zimbabwe) <input type="checkbox"/> <i>The Red Scarf Girl</i> Ji-Li Jiang (China) <input type="checkbox"/> <i>The Boy Who Harnessed the Wind</i> William Kamkwamba (Malawi) <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Inside Out and Back Again</i> Thanhha Lai (Vietnam) <input type="checkbox"/> <i>I Am Malala: The Girl Who Stood Up for Terrorism and Was Shot by the Taliban</i> Malala Yousafzai (Pakistan)
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Name: _____

OREO Graphic Organizer (for the whole essay)

O- Opinion/Opening/Topic: (**Theme** in *A Long Walk to Water*)

R- Reason - Theme 1:

R- Reason - Theme 2:

R- Reason – Theme 3

E-Explain/Details 1:
(include page numbers)

E-Explain/ Details 2:
(include page numbers)

E-Explain/Details 3:
(include page numbers)

O- Opinion Restated: