



Summer Reading Recommendations
Oliver Ames High School English Department
Grades 9-12



The OA English department is excited to share our list of book recommendations for this summer! Click on the links below and follow us on Instagram [@oaenglishdept](#) for announcements, recommendations, and book talks throughout the summer! If you want to create a book talk to share with our community, email Mrs. Marani at KMarani@easton.k12.ma.us. We would be thrilled to hear from you.

Click on the links below for book talks on each of the recommended texts. Happy reading!

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| <p>Ms. Binney recommends... <i>The Guernsey Literary and Potato Peel Pie Society</i> by Mary Ann Shaffer and Annie Barrows</p> <p>Ms. Campbell recommends... <i>Beautiful Ruins</i> by Jess Walter</p> <p>Mr. Dyer recommends... <i>Children of Blood and Bone</i> by Tomi Adeyemi</p> <p>Ms. Hynes recommends... <i>Remarkably Bright Creatures</i> by Shelby Van Pelt</p> <p>Mr. Karol recommends... <i>The Five People You Meet in Heaven</i> by Mitch Albom</p> <p>Ms. Marani recommends... <i>Our Missing Hearts</i> by Celeste Ng</p> | <p>Ms. Pitts recommends... <i>A Man Called Ove</i> by Fredrik Backman</p> <p>Mrs. Sankaran recommends... <i>American Street</i> by Ibi Zoboi</p> <p>Mr. Schussler recommends... <i>The Perks of Being a Wallflower</i> by Stephen Chbosky</p> <p>Mr. Schervish recommends... <i>Project Hail Mary</i> by Andy Weir</p> <p>Ms. Schleicher recommends... <i>The Boy from Block 66</i> by Limor Regev</p> <p>Ms. Sousa recommends... <i>The Anthropocene Reviewed</i> by John Green</p> <p>Mr. Stamoulis recommends... <i>The Last Lecture</i> by Randy Pausch and Jeffrey Zaslow</p> <p>Mrs. Tantillo recommends... <i>The Last Best League</i> by Jim Collins</p> |
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*Note: Students in [AP Literature and Composition \(Grade 12\)](#) and [AP Language and Composition \(Grade 11\)](#) have mandatory summer reading assignments to complete.