Required Summer Reading List for 9th Grade Honors (2013-2014)

Pick one book from EACH of the first two lists. You are required to read "The Last Lecture" as your third selection. There will be a test during the first week on your summer reading assignment.

List 1 "Classics"

The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn by:

Mark Twain

Around the World in 80 Days by: Jules

Verne

The Call of the Wild by: Jack London

The Color Purple by: Alice Walker

The Count of Monte Cristo by: Alexandre

Dumas

David Copperfield by: Charles Dickens

Death of a Salesman by: Arthur Miller

Great Expectations by: Charles Dickens

Little Women by: Louisa May Alcott

Lord of the Flies by: William Golding

Moby Dick by: Herman Melville

The Red Badge of Courage by: Stephen

Crane

<u>List 2 "Contemporary"</u>

 $The \ Astonishing \ Live \ of \ Octavian \ Nothing,$

Traitor to the Nation Volume 1: The Pox

Party by: M.T. Anderson

Before I Fall by: Lauren Oliver

Speak by: Laurie Halse Anderson

Me and Earl and the Dying girl by: Jesse

Andrews

Leverage by: Joshua C. Cohen

Under the Mesquite by: Guadalupe Garcia

McCall

Revolver by: Marcus Sedgwick

Lips Touch: Three Times by: Laini Taylor

Written in Bone: Buried Lives of Jamestown

and Colonial Maryland by: Sally M.

Walker

A Long Way Gone: Memoirs of a Boy

Soldier by: Ishmael Beah

The Trap by: John Smelcer

The Fault in Our Stars by: John Green

List 3 "Nonfiction"

The Last Lecture by: Randy Pausch