SUPPLEMENTARY SUMMER READING:

GRADE 11and12

GRADE IIandIZ		
TITLE	AUTHOR	GENRE
Gender Roles in the 19 th Century	Kathryn Hughes	Article
Born A Crime	Trevor Noah	Autobiography
Becoming	Michele Obama	Autobiography
I Know Why the Caged Bird Sings	Maya Angelou	Autobiography
Open	Andre Agassi	Autobiography
Unbroken	Laura Hillenbrand	Biography
The Movie Book: Big Ideas Simply	DK	Compendium of
Explained		Movie History
No Logo	Naomi Klein, Nicola Barber, et al.	Cultural criticism
A Hanging	George Orwell	Essay
Shooting an Elephant	George Orwell	Essay
The Fire Next Time	James Baldwin	Essays
Steve Jobs and Philosophy	Shawn E. Klein	Essays
Seven Habits of Highly Effective	Sean Covey	Motivational
Teens		
Make Your Bed	Admiral William H McRaven	Motivational
Twelve Rules for Life	Jordan Peterson	Motivational
The Dangers of a Single Story	Chimamanda Adichie	TED Talks
		Transcript

ONLINE TEXTS

TITLE	AUTHOR	LINK
Mother Tongue	Amy Tan	http://blogs.harvard.edu/guorui/2008/02/06/mother-
		tongue-by-amy-tan/
Do different	Johnson	https://www.economist.com/prospero/2013/11/05/johns
languages		on-do-different-languages-confer-different-personalities
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personalities		
The Decline of		http://www.pbs.org/speak/speech/correct/decline/
Grammar		
The Origins of	Ben	https://www.visualthesaurus.com/cm/wordroutes/the-
Text-Speak,	Zimmer	origins-of-text-speak-from-1828/
from 1828?		
The Skin I'm In	Desmond	https://torontolife.com/city/life/skin-im-ive-interrogated-
	Cole	police-50-times-im-black/
Revealing the	Caroline	https://www.nationalgeographic.com/healing-soldiers/
Trauma of War	Alexande	
	r	
The Case for	<u>Ta-Nehisi</u>	https://www.theatlantic.com/magazine/archive/2014/06/
Reparations	<u>Coates</u>	the-case-for-reparations/361631/
The Rise of the	Keeanga-	http://socialistworker.org/2015/01/13/the-rise-of-
#Blacklivesmatt	Yamahtt	<u>blacklivesmatter</u>
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