

Boston Green Academy Summer Reading 2025

BGA Summer Reading Goals:

Prevent reading loss, Encourage pleasure reading, Engage in a shared experience of reading to develop our reading community!

Part 1: Assigned Summer Reading, Due to ELA teacher September 22, 2025

A. Read the assigned book for your grade level:

6th (Rising 7th) 7th (Rising 8th)

<u>Hoops, Matt Tavares</u> <u>Something Like Home, Andrea Beatriz Arango</u>

8th (Rising 9th) 9th (Rising 10th)

<u>Allegedly, Tiffany D. Jackson</u> <u>Stamped, Jason Reynolds</u>

10th (Rising 11th) 11th (Rising 12th)

Accountable, Dashka Slater

Just Mercy, Bryan Stevenson

- B. Complete the "Assigned Book Reflection" (attached to this packet OR submitted through Google Classroom)
- C. Participate in a discussion on your assigned book during ELA class

Part 2: Independent Reading Reflection, Due to ELA teacher September 22, 2025

Optional for Extra Credit: Read an additional book of your choice this summer and complete the Independent Reading Reflection (attached to this packet or submitted through Google Classroom)

BGA Summer Reading will be graded by your **ELA teacher**, and is included as your first **major grade** for their class.

Summer Reading books do <u>NOT</u> need to be purchased. Try checking your local branch of the Boston Public Library or at <u>Soraapp.com</u> (login through Clever, School: Boston Public Schools) to find a copy!



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| Grade: | |

Part 1: Assigned Book Reflection, Due to ELA teacher September 22, 2025

Read the assigned book for your grade level, and complete this assignment. For more information about or accessing your summer reading book, please visit: www.bostongreenacademy.org/library

| Title of the assigned book you read | Author | | | |
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| In your own words, what is a major theme and/or central argument of | this book? | | | |
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| Find and explain 3 examples from the book that supports your last answer: | Page # you found this example on: | | | |
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| Reflecting on this theme or central argument, please write 3 discussion questions (open ended questions) about this book: | | | | |
| 1. | | | | |
| 2. | | | | |
| 3. | | | | |
| How does this theme/central argument connect to the real world and/or your own experiences? Do you think the book portrayed this topic in a realistic and unbiased way? | | | | |
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Part 2: Independent Reading Reflection, Due to ELA teacher September 22, 2025

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| Title: | Author: | | | |
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| Genre (Mystory, Horror, Biography, Memoir) | How would you rate | How would you rate this book? | | |
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| In 3-4 sentence, please summarize the book you read in your own words | | | | |
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| In your own words, what is a major theme of this book? | | | | |
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| Find and explain 3 examples from the book that so answer: | Page # you found this example on: | | | |
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| Reflecting on this theme, please write 1 discussion question about this book: | | | | |
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| How does this theme connect to the real world and/or your own experiences? Do you think the book portrayed this topic in a realistic way? | | | | |
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