

GreatHearts

Northern Oaks

Dear Great Hearts Northern Oaks Parents,

Books are at the core of a classical, liberal arts education. At Great Hearts Academies, it has always been the tradition for students to develop a personal library of books that they mark in, keep and return to during their time at Great Hearts and which they will be able to treasure for years to come. We call these books “Classics to Keep”. Your child’s class will utilize these classics during the upcoming school year.

Parents and students are strongly encouraged to purchase these books for their own personal collections, so that they can write in them and keep them-allowing students to develop their own impressive personal library of classics over the course of their academic career with Great Hearts. For families who do not purchase the texts, their student will be given access to a copy of these books as part of their curriculum. Students should not mark these books provided by Great Hearts, and will be asked to return the books in good condition once their class has finished working with them.

Below is a list of the “Classics to Keep” along with the specific ISBN’s for each text, which will enable to class to easily refer to a page number or a specific passage during discussions:

KINDERGARTEN	
Title	ISBN
Little Bear	978-0064440042
Little Bear’s Visit	978-0064440233
Mouse Tales	978-0064440134
Mouse Soup	978-0064440417
The Grasshopper on the Road	978-0064440943

FIRST GRADE	
Title	ISBN
Owl at Home	978-0064440349
Frog and Toad Collection Box Set	978-0060580865
A Bargain for Frances	978-0064440011
Sam the Minuteman	978-0064441070
Selected Tales from Beatrix Potter	978-0723258599
My Father’s Dragon (first tale)	978-1494915049

SECOND GRADE	
Title	ISBN
Charlotte's Web	978-0064400558
Sara Plain & Tall	978-0062399526
Little House in the Big Woods	978-0064400015
Elmer and the Dragon	978-0440421368
The Dragon's Blueland	978-0440421375
The Courage of Sarah Noble	978-0689715402
The Boxcar Children	978-0807508527
Cricket in Times Square	978-0312380038

THIRD GRADE	
Title	ISBN
Little House on the Prairie	978-0064400022
Pinocchio (Collodi)	978-1463714413
The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe	978-0064471046
The Jungle Book	978-0486410241
The Trumpet of the Swan	978-0064408677
The Little Prince	978-0156012195

FOURTH GRADE	
Title	ISBN
King Arthur and the Round Table (Core Knowledge series)	978-1890517359
Robbin Hood (Core Knowledge Series)	978-1890517168
Wizard of Oz	978-1593082215
Prince Caspian (Not the Movie Version)	978-0064471053
Carry on, Mr. Bowditch	978-0618250745
The Princess and the Goblin (Looking Glass Library)	978-0141332482

FIFTH GRADE	
Title	ISBN
Grimm's Fairy Tales	978-1402767029
The Secret Garden	978-0064401883
Where the Red Fern Grows	978-0440412670
Across Five Aprils	978-0425182789
A Wrinkle in Time	978-0312367541
Voyage of the Dawn Treader (not movie edition)	978-0064471077

SIXTH GRADE	
Title	ISBN
The Magician's Nephew	978-0064405058
The Hobbit	978-0345339683
Tom Sawyer	978-0141321103
A Christmas Carol	978-0486268651
Treasure Island	978-1101990325
The Wind in the Willows	978-0143039099

SEVENTH GRADE	
Title	ISBN
The Last Battle	9780064471084
The Miracle Worker	978-1416590842
Fahrenheit 451	978-1451673319
The Fall of the House of Usher and Other Writings	978-0141439815
The Scarlet Pimpernel	978-0486421223
Julius Caesar, The New Folger Library Shakespeare	978-0743482745

EIGHTH GRADE	
Title	ISBN
Beowulf	978-0393320978
King Arthur and His Knights of the Round Table	978-0141321011
Sir Gawain and the Green Knight	978-0140440928
The Chosen	978-0449213445
Out of the Silent Planet	978-0743234900
To Kill a Mockingbird	044-6310786
Lord of the Flies	978-0399501487
A Midsummer Night's Dream	978-1501146213

NINTH GRADE	
Title	ISBN
A Documentary History of the United States	978-0451466471
The Federalist Papers	978-0451528810
Billy Budd, Bartleby, and Other Stories	978-0143107606
Democracy in America	978-0451531605
Adventures of Huckleberry Finn	978-0553210798
Narrative of the Life of Frederick Douglass	978-1503287273
My Antonia	978-0395755143
The Great Gatsby	978-0743273565
Old Man and the Sea	978-0684801223
Euclid's Elements *	978-1888009194
Othello	978-0143128618

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TENTH GRADE	
Title	ISBN
Jane Austin, <i>Pride and Prejudice (Penguin Ed)</i>	978-0141439518
Charles Dickens, <i>A Tale of Two Cities</i> (Bantam Classics)	978-0553211764
Fyodor Dostoevsky, <i>Crime and Punishment</i> (Vintage Classics)	978-0679734505
Euclid, <i>Elements</i> *	978-1888009194
John Locke, <i>Political Writings</i>	978-0872206762
Marx, Engels, <i>Communist Manifesto</i>	978-0553214062
Rousseau, <i>Discourse on the Origin of Inequality</i>	978-0872201507
Shakespeare <i>Henry V (folger)</i>	978-0743484879
Solzhenitsyn, <i>Day in the Life of Ivan Denisovich</i>	978-0451228147
Edmund Burke, <i>Reflection on the revolution in France</i> **	978-0199539024
Leo Gershoy, <i>Era of the French Revolution</i>	978-0898747188

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