

## **High School Summer Reading Requirements (Students entering 9<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, and 12<sup>th</sup> Grades)**

Students are required read one of the following book selections based on grade level **OR** one of the alternative selections (alternate selections may be used in place of any grade level selection). Student must also complete one technology book report **OR** one project/written book report. This assignment will count as a grade and is due on the first day of school.

The following elements must be present in **each** report:

- Title
- Author
- Main Characters
- Setting-when and where the story takes place
- Brief summary
- Your opinion of the book

Technology Book Report Requirements (bring flash drive the first day of school):

- Create a short video (5 minutes or less)
- Create a PowerPoint presentation (approximately 10 slides)
- Create an online comic strip
- Typed book report (2 double spaced pages)

Project/Written Book Report:

- Create a mobile
- Make a poster advertising the book
- Handwritten book report (4 pages)

Book Selections:

9<sup>th</sup> Grade: *Do Hard Things: A Teenage Rebellion Against Low Expectations* by Alex Harris

10<sup>th</sup> Grade: *Under the Overpass: A Journey of Faith on the Streets of America* by Mike Yankoski

11<sup>th</sup> Grade: *Radical: Taking Back Your Faith from the American Dream* by David Platt

12<sup>th</sup> Grade: *Crazy Love: Overwhelmed by a Relentless God* by Francis Chan

Alternative Book Selections:

*The Circle Maker: Praying Circles Around Your Biggest Dreams and Greatest Fears* by Mark Batterson

*10 Reasons to Stay Christian in High School: A Guide to Staying Sane When Everyone Else Has Jumped Off the Deep End* by Michael Ross

*You Have a Brain: A Teen's Guide to T.H.I.N.K. B.I.G.* by Ben Carson