

Selection List: Interpretive Reading

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Last Name	First Name	Book or Source	Lexile Number	
Abse	Dannie	www.pushcartprize.com		
Acosta	Teresa Palomo Acosta	My Mother Pierced Quilts		
Achebe	Chinua	Things Fall Apart	890L	
Ackerman	Diane	www.pushcartprize.com		
Adams	Douglas	The Hitchiker's Guide to the Galaxy	1000L	
Adams	Richard	Watership Down	880L	
Addonizio	Kim	www.pushcartprize.com		
Aiken	Conrad	Pulitzer Prize Winner		
Agee	James	A Death in the Family	1020L	
Albee	Edward			
Albom	Mitch			
Alcott	Louisa May	Little Women	1210;1300;1160	
Ali		www.pushcartprize.com		
Allende	Isabel	House of the Spirits	1280L	
Allison	Alexander, ed	Norton Anthology of Poetry		
Alvarez	Julia	In the Time of Butterflies	910 L	
Anaya	Rudolfo			
Andersen	Hans Christian	The Little Match Girl		
Anderson	Sherwood	Winesburg, Ohio	1050L	
Angelou	Maya	I Know Why the Caged Bird Sings	1330L;1070L	
Angelou	Maya	And Still I rise		
Angelou	Maya	Our Grandmothers		
Archer	Jeffrey			
Arnold	Harriette			
Ashbery	John	Pulitzer Prize Winner		
Ashbery	John	www.bookcritics.org		

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Ashe	Arthur	Days of Grace	1160L		
Asimov	Isaac	The Last Question	1150L		
Atwood	Margaret	The Handmaids Tale			
Auden	W. H.	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Austen	Jane	Emma	1080L		
Austen	Jane	Pride and Prejudice	1100 L; 1190L		
Austen	Jane	Northanger Abbey	1120L		
Austen	Jane	Persuasion	1120L		
Austen	Jane	Sense & Sensibility	1180L		
Bacon	Leonard	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Baker	Russell	Growing Up	1090L		
Baldacci	David				
Baldwin	James	Go Tell It on the Mountain	1030L		
Ballard	Denise G.				
Balzac	Honore de	Pere Goriot	1180L		
Banks	Iain				
Baraka	Amiri/LeRoi Jones				
Bellow	Saul				
Benet	Stephen Vincent	By the Waters of Babylon			
Benet	Stephen Vincent	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Benet	William Rose	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Berenbaum	Michael				
Berryman	John	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Bierce	Ambrose	Ambrose Bierce's Civil War	1160L		
Bierce	Ambrose	An Occurrence at Owl Creek Bridge			
Bierce	Ambrose	John Mortonson's Funeral			

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Bierce	Ambrose	The Haunted Valley			
Bierce	Ambrose	The Boarded Window			
Bird	Gloria				
Bishop	Elizabeth	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Bishop	Elizabeth	The Fish Poem			
Blaeser	Kimberley				
Blyton	Enid				
Bradbury	Ray	Fahrenheit 451	890L		
Bradbury	Ray	The Sound of Thunder			
Bridges	Constance Quarterman	www.cavecanempoets.org			
Bronte	Charlotte				
Bronte-	Charlotte	Jane Eyre	890L	2016	2018-2019
Bronte	Emily	Wuthering Heights	2100L		
Brooks	Gwendolyn	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Brooks	Gwendolyn	Selected Poems			
Brooks	Gwendolyn	The Bean Eaters			
Brown	Dee	Bury My Heart at Wounded Knee	1080L		
Brown	Dan				
Browning	Robert	Meeting at Night			
Browning	Robert	Poems			
Bryson	Bill	A Walk in the Woods	1210L		
Bryson	Bill				
Buck	Pearl	The Good Earth	1530L		
Buck	Pearl	Sons	1660L		
Bulosan	Carlos				

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Burnett	Frances Hodgson	The Secret Garden	920L		
Byatt	A. S.				
Calvino	Italo	The Garden of Stubborn Cats			
Camus	Albert	The Plague	1070L		
Camus	Albert	The Stranger	880L	2017	2019-2020
Cane	Melville	www.poetrysociety.org			
Cao	Lan				
Carroll	Lewis	Alice's Adventures in Wonderland	940L		
Carroll	Lewis	Alice's Adventures in Wonderland from "Pool of Tears"	940L		
Carroll	Lewis	Alice in Wonderland	860L		
Castro	Christina M.				
Cather	Willa	My Antonia	1010 L		
Cather	Willa	Death Comes for the Archbishop	1150L		
Cather	Willa	Enchanted Bluff (short story)			
Cather	Willa	O Pioneers!	930L		
Caulfield	John				
Chekhov	Anton	A Boring Story			
Chekhov	Anton	A Problem			
Chekhov	Anton	The Bet			
Chekhov	Anton	Ward 6			
Chopin	Kate	Desiree's Baby			
Chopin	Kate	The Story of an Hour			
Chopin	Kate	The Awakening	960L		
Cisneros	Sandra	The House on Mango Street	870L		
Clarke	Arthur C.	2001: A Space Odyssey	1060 L		
Clark	Walter	The Ox-Bow Incident	890L		

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Coffin	Robert P. Tristram	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Coleridge	Samuel	The Rime of the Ancient Mariner			
Collins	Wilkie	The Woman in White	1100L		
Collins	Wilkie	Mad Monkton and Other Stories	1110L		
Conrad	Joseph	Amy Foster			
Conrad	Joseph	The Lagoon			
Conrad	Joseph	The Secret Sharer			
Conrad	Joseph	Heart of Darkness	1050 L		
Conrad	Joseph	Lord Jim	1120L		
Conrad	Joseph				
Cooper	James Fenimore	The Last of the Mohicans	1350L		
Cormier	Robert				
Crane	Stephen	The Red Badge of Courage	920L		
Crane	Stephen	The Bride Comes to Yellow Sky			
Criddle	Jan D.	To Destroy You Is No Loss: The Odyssey of a...			
Crow Dog	Mary	Lakota Woman	970L		
Cummings	E.E.	Complete Poems, 1904-1962			
Cummings	E.E.	www.poets.org			
Curie	Eve	Madame Curie	1060L		
Dahl	Roald				
Dargan	Kyle	www.cavecanempoets.org			
Davidson	Gustav	www.poetrysociety.org			
Davis	Robertson				
de Bernieres	Louis				
de Cervantes	Miguel	Don Quixote	1410 L		
de Saint-Exupery	Antoine				

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Defoe	Daniel	Robinson Crusoe	1220 L		
Defoe	Daniel	Moll Flanders	1390 L		
Dennis	Carol	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Desai	Kiran				
Dickens	Charles	The Baron of Grogzwig			
Dickens	Charles	Oliver Twist	1060 L		
Dickens	Charles	Hard Times	1060 L; 1080L		
Dickens	Charles	David Copperfield	1070L		
Dickens	Charles	A Christmas Carol	1080 L		
Dickens	Charles	Our Mutual Friend	1090L		
Dickens	Charles	Pentwick Papers	1160L		
Dickens	Charles	Bleak House	1180L		
Dickens	Charles	Great Expectations	1200L		
Dickens	Charles	Old Curiosity Shop	1320L		
Dickinson	Emily	Poems			
Dickinson	Emily	She Sweeps With Many-Colored Brooms			
Dickinson	Emily	The Complete Poems of Emily Dickinson			
Dillon	George	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Dinesen	Isak				
Doctorow	E. L.	Ragtime	930 L		
Donne	John	The Complete Poetry of John Donne			
Doren	Mark Van	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Dorris	Michael	A Yellow Raft in Blue Water	980L		
Dostoyevsky	Fyodor	The Brothers Karamazov	1150L		
Dostoyevsky	Fyodor	Crime and Punishment	990L		
Doty	Mark				

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Dove	Rita	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Doyle	Sir Arthur Conan	Adventures of Sherlock Holmes	1080L		
Doyle	Arthur Conan	The Brazilian cat			
Doyle	Arthur Conan	The Japanned Box			
Doyle	Arthur Conan	The New Catacomb			
Dreiser	Theodore	An American Tragedy	1240L		
Dreiser	Theodore	Sister Carrie	980L		
du Maurier	Daphne	Rebecca	880L		
Dugan	Alan	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Dunn	Stephen	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Dumas	Alexandre				
Eberhart	Richard	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Eliot	George	The Mill on the Floss	1240L		
Eliot	George	Adam Bede	1260L		
Eliot	George	Silas Marner	1330L		
Eliot	George				
Eliot	T. S.	The Hollow Men			
Eliot	T. S.	The Waste Land			
Ellison	Ralph	Invisible Man	950L		
Emerson	Claudia	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Emerson	Ralph Waldo				
Erdrich	Louise				
Erdrich	Louise	Tracks	950L		
Esquivel	Laura	Like Water for Chocolate	1030L		
Faulkner	William	A Rose for Emily	1270L		
Faulkner	William	The Sound and the Fury	870L		

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Faulkner	William				
Faulks	Sebastian				
Fielding	Henry				
Finney	Jack	Contents of a Dead Man's Pocket			
Fitzgerald	F. Scott	The Great Gatsby	1070L		
Flaubert	Gustave	Madame Bovary	1030L		
Fletcher	John Gould	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Ford	Ford Madox	The Good Soldier	1040L		
Forster	E.M.	A Passage to India	950L		
Forster	E.M.	A Room with a View			
Fowles	John				
Francia	Luis	www.pen/org			
Francis	Robert	The Base Stealer			
Frank	Anne	The Diary of a Young Girl	1080L	2017	2019-2020
Franklin	Benjamin	The Autobiography of Benjamin Franklin	1370L		
Frazier	Charles	Cold Mountain	1210L		
Frost	Robert	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Frost	Robert	The Poetry of Robert Frost			
Fuentes	Carlos	The Death of Artemio Cruz	1020L		
Gaiman	Neil	Stardust	930L		
Gaines	Ernest				
Garcia	Cristina	Dreaming in Cuban	940L		
Gardner	Isabella	Summer Remembered			
Gilman (Stetson)	Charlotte Perkins	The Yellow Wall-paper	920L		
Ginsberg	Allen	Howl and Other Poems			

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Giovanni	Nikki	My House		
Glick	Louise	Pulitzer Prize Winner		
Gogol	Nikolai	Diary of a Madman	1060L	
Golden	Arthur	Memoirs of a Geisha	1000L	
Golding	William			
Graham	Jorie	Pulitzer Prize Winner (1951)		
Grahame	Kenneth	The Wind in the Willows	920L	
Grass	Gunter	The Tin Drum	1220L	
Green	John	An Abundance of Katherines	890L	
Green	John	The Fault in Our Stars	850L	
Green	John	Looking for Alaska	930L	
Green	John	Papertowns	850L	
Green	John	Will Grayson, Will Grayson	930L	
Greene	Graham			
Greene	Jennifer K.			
Guterson	David	Snow Falling on the Cedars	1080L	
Haas	Robert	Pulitzer Prize Winner		
Haley	Alex	Roots	1330L	
Hammett	Dashiell			
Hardy	Thomas	The Return of the Native	1040L	
Hardy	Thomas	The Mayor of Casterbridge	1090L	
Hardy	Thomas	Far from the Madding Crowd	1110L	
Hardy	Thomas	Jude the Obscure	1110L	
Hardy	Thomas	The Woodlands	1130L	
Hardy	Thomas	Tess of the d'Urbervilles	1160L	
Hardy	Thomas	The Poetry of Thomas Hardy	1280L	

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Hardy	Thomas	Squire Patrick's Lady		
Hardy	Thomas	The Three Strangers		
Harjo	Joy	www.pen/org		
Harper	Michael S.	www.poetrysociety.org		
Harte	Bret	How Santa Claus Came to Simpson's Bar		
Harte	Bret	The Luck of the Roaring Camp		
Harte	Bret	The Outcasts of Poker Flat		
Hawthorne	Nathaniel	The Scarlet Letter	1420L	
Hawthorne	Nathaniel	The Ambitious Guest		
Hawthorne	Nathaniel	Wakefield		
Hawthorne	Nathaniel	Dr. Heidegger's Experiment	1230L	
Hecht	Anthony	Pulitzer Prize Winner		
Heller	Joseph	Catch 22		
Hemingway	Ernest	(most all works)		
Henry	O	A Bird of Bagdad		
Henry	O	A Night in New Arabia		
Henry	O	A Ramble in Aphasia		
Henry	O	An Unfinished Story		
Henry	O	Hearts and Hands		
Henry	O	The Call of the Tame		
Henry	O	The Duel		
Henry	O	The Gift of the Magi		
Henry	O	The Red Roses of Tonia		
Henry	O	What You Want		
Henry	O	A Municipal Report		
Henry	O	The Thing's the Play		

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Henry	O	Stories			
Hershey	John	Hiroshima	1190L		
Hesse	Hermann	Siddhartha	1010L		
Hilborn	Neal	OCD (poem)			
Hillyer	Robert	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Hosseini	Khaled				
Howard	Richard	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Hughes	Langston	Poems, The Big Sea			
Hughes	Langston	The Weary Blues			
Hughes	Langston	Let America Be America Again	1130L		
Hughes	Langston	Open Letter to the South	1090L		
Hughes	Langston	Dreams			
Hughes	Richard				
Hughes	Ted	The Lake			
Hugo	Victor	The Hunchback of Notre Dame	950L		
Hugo	Victor	Les Miserables	990L		
Hurst	James	The Scarlet Ibis	1060L		
Hurston	Zora Neale	Their Eyes Were Watching God	1080L		
Huxley	Aldous	Brave New World	870L		
Ibsen	Henrik	In the Orchard			
Irving	John	A Prayer for Owen Meany	1050L		
Irving	Washington	The Legend of Sleepy Hollow	1460L		
Irving	Washington	Rip Van Winkle			
Ishiguro	Kazuo	The Remains of the Day	1210L		
Jackson	Major	www.cavecanempoets.org			
Jacobs	W. W.	The Monkey's Paw			

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James	Henry	The Portrait of a Lady	1020L		
James	Henry	Washington Square	1030L		
James	Henry	The Turn of the Screw	1140L		
James	Henry	Aspern Papers and Other...	1160L		
Jen	Gish	Pueblo Indian Folk Stories	1060L		
Johnson	James Weldon	Autobiography of an Ex-Colored Man	1100L		
Joyce	James	A Portrait of the Artist as a Young Man	1120L		
Joyce	James	Daisy Miller	850L		
Justice	Donald	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Kafka	Franz	The Trial	1150L		
Keats	John	Complete Poems			
Keats	John	Poems			
Keller	Helen	The Story of My Life	1150L		
Kennedy	John F.	Profiles in Courage	1410L		
Kent	Kathleen	The Heretic's Daughter	870L		
Kesey	Ken	(most works)	1110L		
Kidd	Sue Monk	The Secret Life of Bees	840L		
Kim	Suki	www.pen/org			
Kincaid	Jamaica	Annie John	1220L		
Kincaid	Jamaica	The Autobiography of My Mother	1160L		
King	Stephen	Duma Key			
Kingston	Maxine Hong	Woman Warrior	880L		
Kinnell	Galway	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Kipling	Rudyard	Danny Deever			
Kizer	Carolyn	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Knowles	John	A Separate Peace	1110L		

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Kogawa	Joy	Obasan	990L		
Komunyakaa	Yusef	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Kooser	Ted	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Kovic	Ron				
Kumin	Maxine	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Kunitz	Stanley	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Lahiri	Jhumpa	Interpreter of Maladies	1050L		
Lahiri	Jhumpa	The Namesake	1210 L		
LaValle	Victor	www.pen.org			
Lawrence	D.H.	The Ship of Death			
Lawrence	D.H.	Sons and Lovers	1200L		
Lawrence	D.H.	(most works)			
Lawrence	D.H.	The Snake			
Lee	Chang-Rae	A Gesture Life	1210L		
Lee	Chang-Rae				
Lee	Harper	To Kill A Mockingbird	870L	2016	2018-2019
Levine	Philip	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Lewis	C.S.	Chronicles of Narnia	970L		
Lewis	C.S.	(most all works)			
Lewis	Sinclair				
Lewis	Sinclair	Babbitt; Arrowsmith	1160L		
Lewis	Sinclair	Main Street	1010L		
Lockhart	E.	The Disreputable History of Frankie Landau-Banks (2008)	890L		
London	Jack	The Call of the Wild	1120L		
London	Jack	A Nose for the King			
London	Jack	A Piece of Steak			

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London	Jack	A Wicked Woman			
London	Jack	To Build a Fire			
London	Jack	Told in the Drooling Ward			
Longfellow	Henry Wadsworth	The Courtship of Miles Standish			
Longfellow	Henry Wadsworth	The Poetical Works of Longfellow			
Lowell	Amy	After Hearing a Waltz by Bartok			
Lowell	Amy	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Lowell	Robert	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Lowell	Robert	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Lowry	Lois				
Maclean	Norman				
MacLeish	Archibald	Eleven			
MacLeish	Archibald	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Mailer	Norman				
Malamud	Bernard	The Fixer	960L		
Mann	Thomas	The Magic Mountain	1350L		
Mann	Thomas	Death in Venice	1410L		
Mansfield	Katherine	An Ideal Family			
Mansfield	Katherine	At The Bay			
Mansfield	Katherine	Bank Holiday			
Mansfield	Katherine	Bliss			
Mansfield	Katherine	Her First Ball			
Mansfield	Katherine	Life of Ma Parker			
Mansfield	Katherine	Marriage a la Mode			
Mansfield	Katherine	Miss Brill			
Mansfield	Katherine	Mr. and Mrs. Dove			

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Mansfield	Katherine	The Apple Tree			
Mansfield	Katherine	The Daughters of the Late Colonel			
Mansfield	Katherine	The Garden Party			
Mansfield	Katherine	The Lady's Maid			
Mansfield	Katherine	The Man Without a Temperament			
Mansfield	Katherine	The Singing Lesson		2017	2019-2020
Mansfield	Katherine	The Stranger			
Mansfield	Katherine	The Voyage			
Mansfield	Katherine	The Young Girl			
March	William	The Bad Seed (1954 novel)	1100L		
Markham	Edwin	www.poets.org			
Marquez	Gabriel Garcia	One Hundred Years of Solitude	1410L		
Marquez	Gabriel Garcia	Love in the Time of Cholera	1440L		
Marshall	Paule				
Martin	Dawn Lundy	www.cavecanempoets.org			
Marx	Karl	The Communist Manifesto	1360L		
Masefield	John	Sea Fever			
Masters	Edgar Lee	www.poets.org			
Mathabane	Mark	Kaffir Boy	1040L		
Matthew	Renee				
Maupassant	Guy de	A Piece of String	940L		
Maupassant	Guy de	Boule de Suif			
Maupassant	Guy de	Mademoiselle Fifi			
Maupassant	Guy de	Maison Tellier			
Maupassant	Guy de	Miss Harriet			
Maupassant	Guy de	My Uncle Jules			

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Maupassant	Guy de	The Devil		
Maupassant	Guy de	The Inn		
Maupassant	Guy de	The Necklace		
Maupassant	Guy de	Two Friends		
Maynard	Rona	The Fan Club		
McAdams	Janet			
McCarthy	Cormac	All the Pretty Horses		
McCullers	Carson	The Member of the Wedding	900L	
McEwan	Ian			
McGinney	Phyllis	Pulitzer Prize Winner		
McPherson	James	Battle Cry of Freedom: The Civil War Era	1320L	
Melville	Herman	Moby Dick	1230L	
Melville	Herman	Billy Budd	1450L	
Melville	Herman	Redburn	1450L	
Melville	Herman	Bartleby the Scrivener		
Melville	Herman	The Lightning Rod Man		
Meredith	William	Pulitzer Prize Winner		
Merrill	James	Pulitzer Prize Winner		
Merwin	William S.	Pulitzer Prize Winner		
Michie	James	Dooley is a Traitor		
Midge	Tiffany			
Millay	Edna St. Vincent	Autumn Chant		
Millay	Edna St. Vincent	Conscientious Objector		
Millay	Edna St. Vincent	Pulitzer Prize Winner		
Millay	Edna St. Vincent	Recuerdo		
Milton	John	Paradise Lost		

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Miranda	Deborah A.				
Mitchell	Margaret	Gone With the Wind	1100L		
Mitchell	David				
Momaday	N Scott	House Made of Dawn	970L		
Montgomery	L. M.	Anne of Green Gables	990L		
Moore	Marianne	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Morgan	Phillip Carroll				
Morrison	Toni	Song of Solomon	1270L		
Morrison	Toni	Sula	1280L		
Morrison	Toni	The Bluest Eye	1340L		
Morrison	Toni	Beloved	870L		
Morton	Marcus	Selected Poems			
Mueller	Lisel	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Mukherjee	Bharati				
Muldoon	Paul	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Murakami	Haruki				
Nabokov	Vladimir				
Naipaul	V. S.				
Narayan	R. K.	Like the Sun			
Nemerov	Howard	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Newman	Robert	The Button		2016	2018-2019
Ng	Fae M.				
Niffenegger	Audrey				
Oates	Joyce Carol	(most works)			
O'Brien	Tim	(most works)			
O'Connor	Flannery	The Complete Stories	890L		

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O'Connor	Flannery	Wise Blood	920L		
Okada	John	No-No Boy	900L		
Oliver	Mary	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Olsen	Tillie	I Stand Here Ironing		2017	2019-2020
Ondaatje	Michael	(most works)			
Oppen	George	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Orwell	George	1984	1090L		
Orwell	George	Animal Farm	1370L		
Parker	Dorothy	One Perfect Rose			
Parks	Gordon	The Learning Tree	860L		
Pasternak	Boris	Doctor Zhivago	1010L		
Path	Sylvia	Mirror			
Paton	Alan	Cry the Beloved Country	860L		
Pelzer	David	A Child Called It	850L		
Perdomo	Willie	www.pen.org			
Petry	Ann				
Plath	Sylvia	(most works)			
Plato		The Republic	1120L		
Poe	Edgar Allan	The Fall of the House of Usher	1180L		
Poe	Edgar Allan	The Masque of the Red Death	1180L		
Poe	Edgar Allan	Eighteen Best Stories of Edgar Allan Poe	1220L		
Poe	Edgar Allan	Selected Tales	1300L		
Poe	Edgar Allan	Eight Tales of Terror	1300L		
Poe	Edgar Allan	Tales of Edgar Allan Poe	1300L		
Poe	Edgar Allan	Tell Tale Heart and Other Writings	1350L	2016	2018-2019
Poe	Edgar Allan	The Raven		2017	2019-2020

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Poe	Edgar Allan	A Descent into the Maelstrom			
Poe	Edgar Allan	The Cask of Amontillado			
Poe	Edgar Allan	The Fall of the House of Usher			
Poe	Edgar Allan	The Pit and the Pendulum			
Poe	Edgar Allan	A Dream Within A Dream/Dream Land/Eldorado			
Polo	Marco				
Porter	Katherine Anne	The Rope			
Potok	Chaim	The Chosen	970L		
Power	Susan	Museum Indians	NA		
Proulx	E. Annie	The Shipping News			
Pullman	Philip	The Amber Spyglass	950L		
Rancourt	Suzanne				
Ransome	Arthur				
Remarque	Erich Maria	All Quiet on the Western Front	830L		
Reynolds	April	www.pen.org			
Rhys	Jean				
Richardson	Samuel				
Robinson	Edwin Arlington	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
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Roethke	Theodore	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Rosario	Nelly	www.pen.org			
Rossetti	Christina	A Birthday			
Rowling	J. K.	Harry Potter and the Prisoner of Azkaban	1020L		
Rowling	J. K.	Harry Potter and the Half Blood Prince	1030 L		
Rowling	J. K.	Tales of Beedle the Bard	1290L		
Rowling	J. K.	Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone	880L		

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Rowling	J. K.	Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire	880L		
Rowling	J. K.	Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets	940L		
Rowling	J. K.	Harry Potter and the Order of the Phoenix	950L		
Rowling	J. K.	Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows	980L		
Ruiz	Cathy	(most works)			
Rukeyser	Muriel	Boy with His Hair Cut Short			
Rushdie	Salman	(most works)			
Saki		Sredni Vashtar			
Saki		The Hounds of Fate			
Saki		The Image of the Lost Soul			
Saki		The Interlopers			
Saki		The Lumber Room			
Saki		The Mouse			
Saki		The Open Window			
Saki		The Penance			
Saki		The Purple of the Balkan Kings			
Saki		The Storyteller			
Saki		The Wolves of Cernogratz			
Salinger	J. D.	(most works)			
Sandburg	Carl	Complete Poems			
Sandburg	Carl	Jazz Fantasia			
Sandburg	Carl	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Sandburg	Carl	Chicago Poems			
Schultz	Philip	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Schulyer	James	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Scott	Sir Walter	Ivanhoe	1410L		

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Sexton	Anne	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Shakespeare	William	Sonnets			
Shapiro	Karl	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Shelley	Mary	Frankenstein	1170L		
Sherman	Marlon D.				
Shields	Carol	The Stone Diaries	1160L		
Shuck	Kim				
Shute	Nevil	A Town Like Alice	870L		
Silko	Leslie Marmon	Ceremony	890L		
Simic	Charles	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Simpson	Louis	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Sinclair	Upton	The Jungle	1170L		
Smiley	Jane	(most works)			
Smith	Tracy K.	www.cavecanempoets.org			
Snodgrass	W. D.	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Snyder	Gary	Above Pate Valley			
Snyder	Gary	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Solzhenitsyn	Aleksandr				
Spark	Muriel	The Prime of Miss Jean Brodie	1120L		
Speyer	Leonora	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Stadler	Jack	www.poetrysociety.org			
Steinbeck	John	The Pearl	1010L		
Steinbeck	John	Cannery Row	930L		
Steinbeck	John	Travels with Charley	1010L		
Stephenson	Carl	Leiningen Versus the Ants			
Sterne	Laurence				

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Stetson (Gilman)	Charlotte Perkins	The Yellow Wall-paper	920		
Stevens	Wallace	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Stevenson	Robert Louis	Selected Tales	1060L		
Stevenson	Robert Louis	Treasure Island	870L		
Stevenson	Robert Louis	Kidnapped	880L		
Stevenson	Robert Louis	The Yellow Paint			
Stoker	Bram	Dracula	960L		
Stowe	Harriet Beecher	Uncle Tom's Cabin	1050L		
Strand	Mark	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Sullivan	A.M.	www.poetrysociety.org			
Sweet	Denise				
Swenson	May	Ornamental Sketch with Birds			
Swift	Jonathan	A Modest Proposal	1520L		
Swift	Jonathan	Gulliver's Travels	1210L		
Tan	Amy				
Tan	Amy	The Joy Luck Club	930L		
Tate	James	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Tate	Joe Dale				
Taylor	Henry	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Teasdale	Sara	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Tennyson	Alfred Lord	The Kraken			
Tennyson	Alfred Lord	Rizpah			
Thackery	William	Vanity Fair	1270L		
Thomas	Amber Flora	www.cavecanempoets.org			
Thomas	Dylan	A Child's Christmas in Wales			
Thomas	Dylan	Poems of Dylan Thomas			

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Thoreau	Henry David	Walden			
Thoreau	Henry David	Civil Disobedience	1200L		
Thoreau	Henry David	Walden	1340L		
Thoreau	William	Walden	prose		
Thurber	James Fenimore	essays	prose		
Thurber	James Grover	The Dog that Bit People			
Tocqueville	Alexis de	Democracy in America	1310L		
Tolkien	J.R.R.	The Hobbit	1000L		
Tolkien	J.R.R.	The Lord of the Rings	810;920L		
Tolstoy	Leo	Anna Karenina	1080L		
Tolstoy	Leo	The Death of Ivan Ilyich	1080L		
Tolstoy	Leo	War and Peace	1240L		
Tolstoy	Leo	How Much Does a Dead Man Need			
Toole	John Kennedy				
Toomer	Jean	Reapers			
Travis	Rebecca Hatcher				
Trethewey	Natasha	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Trethewey	Natasha	www.cavecanempoets.org			
Trollope	Anthony	The Warden	1180L		
Trollope	Anthony	The Way We Live Now	1080L		
Turgenev	Ivan	Fathers and Sons	not listed		
Twain	Mark	A Connecticut Yankee in King Arthur's Court	1080L		
Twain	Mark	The Prince and the Pauper	1170L		
Twain	Mark	The Adventures of Tom Sawyer	950L		
Twain	Mark	The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn	990L		
Twain	Mark	Innocents Abroad	950L		

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Twain	Mark	Edward Mills and George Benton: A Tale			
Twain	Mark	Luck			
Twain	Mark	The \$30,000 Bequest			
Twist	Kade L.				
Tyler	Anne	With All Flags Flying			
Tyler	Anne				
Umrigar	Thirty				
Updike	John	Rabbit is Rich	1180L		
Valentine	Jean				
Van Duyn	Mona	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Viereck	Peter	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Voltaire		Candide	1110L		
Voltaire		Letters Concerning the English Nation	1280L		
Vonnegut Jr.	Kurt	Breakfast of Champions	930L		
Walker	Alice	(most works)			
Walker	Alice	Women			
Warren	Robert Penn	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Warren	Robert Penn	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Warren	Robert Penn	All the King's Men	1130L		
Waugh	Evelyn	Brideshead Revisited			
Welch	James	Winter in the Blood			
Wells	H. G.	The Time Machine	1070L		
Welty	Eudora	The Golden Apples	1020L		
Welty	Eudora	Collected Stories	980L		
Welty	Eudora	(most works)			

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Wharton	Edith	Mrs. Manstey's View			
Wharton	Edith	The Bolted Door			
Wharton	Edith	The Dilettante			
Wharton	Edith	The House of the Dead Hand			
Wharton	Edith	The Other Two			
Wharton	Edith	The Reckoning			
Wharton	Edith	The Age of Innocence	1170L		
Wharton	Edith	Ethan Frome	1200L		
Wharton	Edith	The Verdict			
Wharton	Edith	The House of Mirth	1230L		
Wheelock	John Hall	www.poetrysociety.org			
White	E. B.				
White	T.H.	The Once and Future King			
Whitman	Walt	Cavalry Crossing a Ford			
Whitman	Walt	Leaves of Grass			
Widdemar	Margaret	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Wilbur	Richard	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Wilbur	Richard	Running			
Wilde	Oscar	The Model Millionaire			
Wilde	Oscar	The Portrait of Mr. W. H.			
Wilde	Oscar	The Sphinx Without a Secret			
Wilde	Oscar	Thw Nightingale and the Rose			
Williams	C. K.	Pulitzer Prize Winner			
Williams	Juan	Eyes on the Prize: America's Civil Rights, 1954-65	1140L		
Williams	Sherley Anne	North Country			

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Williams	William Carlos	Selected Poems		
Wilson	Ronaldo	www.cavecanempoets.org		
Wood	Karenne			
Woolf	Virginia	To the Lighthouse	1030L	
Woolf	Virginia	A Room of One's Own	1220L	
Woolf	Virginia	The Widow and the Parrot		
Woolf	Virginia	Mrs. Dalloway	950L	
Wordsworth	William	Poems		
Wright	Charles	Pulitzer Prize Winner		
Wright	James	Pulitzer Prize Winner		
Wright	Richard	Native Son		
Wright	Franz	Pulitzer Prize Winner		
Wurdemann	Audrey	Pulitzer Prize Winner		
Yeats	William Butler	The Lake Isle of Innisfree		
Yeats	William Butler	(most works)		
Yolen	Jane	Favorite Folk Tales from Around the World	980L	
Zaturenska	Marya	Pulitzer Prize Winner		
Zusak	Markus	The Book Thief		