

## Grade 9 Reading List

### Prose:

1. *Purple Hibiscus* - Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie
2. *Jane Eyre* - Charlotte Brontë
3. *Hard Times* - Charles Dickens
4. *Their Eyes Were Watching God* - Zora Neale Hurston
5. *Nineteen Eighty-Four* - George Orwell
6. *Cry, The Beloved Country* - Alan Paton
7. *The Lost Estate* - Alain-Fournier
8. *My Ántonia* - Willa Cather
9. *Great Expectations* - Charles Dickens
10. *Crick Crack, Monkey* - Merle Hodge
11. *Metamorphosis and Other Stories* - Franz Kafka
12. *Nectar in a Sieve* - Kamala Markandaya
13. *The Elephant Vanishes* - Haruki Murakami
14. *Out Stealing Horses* - Per Petterson
15. Alexander Pushkin and Leo Tolstoy, Selected Stories
16. Shen Congwen, Selected Stories
17. *Animal Farm* - George Orwell
18. *Lord of the Flies* - William Golding
19. *Anita and Me* - Meera Syal
20. *The Woman in Black* - Susan Hill
21. *The Empress* - Tanika Gupta
22. *Refugee Boy* - Benjamin Zephaniah
23. *Coram Boy* - Jamila Gavin
24. *Boys Don't Cry* - Malorie Blackman
25. *Dr Jekyll and Mr Hyde* - R L Stevenson
26. *A Christmas Carol* - Charles Dickens
27. *Pride and Prejudice* - Jane Austen
28. *Silas Marner* - George Eliot
29. *Frankenstein* - Mary Shelley
30. *Washington Square* - Henry James
31. *The Namesake* - Jhumpa Lahiri
32. *Life of Pi* - Yann Martel
33. *In Custody* - Anita Desai
34. *A Separate Peace* - John Knowles
35. *Things Fall Apart* - Chinua Achebe
36. *Of Mice and men* - John Steinbeck
37. *The Whale Rider* - Witi Ihimaera

## **Drama:**

1. *Journey's End* - R C Sherriff
2. *A Raisin in the Sun* - Lorraine Hansberry
3. *Romeo and Juliet* - William Shakespeare
4. *Twelfth Night* - William Shakespeare
5. *Othello* - William Shakespeare
6. *Macbeth* - William Shakespeare
7. *The Crucible* - Arthur Miller
8. *Mother Courage and Her Children* - Bertolt Brecht
9. *Antigone* - Sophocles
10. *Oedipus* - Sophocles
11. *An Inspector Calls* - JB Priestley
12. *Hobson's Choice* - Harold Brighouse
13. *Blood Brothers* - Willy Russell
14. *I Will Marry When I Want* - Ngugi wa Thiong'o and Ngugi wa Miri
15. *The Winslow Boy* - Terence Rattigan
16. *The House of Bernarda Alba* - Federico Garcia Lorca
17. *Miss Julie* - August Strindberg
18. *Boom* - Jean Tay
19. *Crumbs from the Table of Joy* - Lynn Nottage