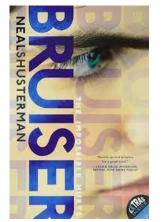
Summer Reading 2023 English 9 Canisius High School

Please choose ONE of the following texts to read and enjoy this summer!

When we return to school in September, you will complete an assignment that will allow you to demonstrate your understanding of whichever text you choose.



ISBN-10: 0061134104 **ISBN-13**: 978-0061134104 **Fiction Option**

Bruiser by Neal Shusterman

Tennyson is not surprised, really, when his family begins to fall apart, or when his twin sister, Brontë, starts dating the misunderstood bully, Brewster (or The Bruiser, as the entire high school calls him). Tennyson is determined to get to the bottom of The Bruiser's reputation, even if it means gearing up for a fight. Brontë, on the other hand, thinks there's something special underneath that tough exterior. And she's right...but neither she nor Tennyson is prepared for the truth of what lies below the surface.

Told through Tennyson, Brontë, and Bruiser's points of view, this dark, twisting novel explores friendship, family, and the sacrifices we make for the people we love.

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ISBN-10: 9780147510426 **ISBN-13**: 978-0147510426 **Nonfiction Option**

The Boy Who Harnessed the Wind - Young Reader's Edition by William Kamkwamba and Bryan Mealer

"When a terrible drought struck William Kamkwamba's tiny village in Malawi, his family lost all of the season's crops, leaving them with nothing to eat and nothing to sell. William began to explore science books in his village library, looking for a solution. Tuhere, he came up with the idea that would change his family's life forever: he could build a windmill. Made out of scrap metal and old bicycle parts, William's windmill brought electricity to his home and helped his family pump the water they needed to farm the land.

This exciting memoir shows how, even in a desperate situation, one boy's brilliant idea can light up the world. Complete with photographs, illustrations, and an epilogue that will bring readers up to date on William's story, this is the perfect edition to read and share with the whole family."

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