

## **Eighth Grade Summer Reading, 2010**

Please select and read at least one book from the list. Be prepared to take an Accelerated Reader quiz on the book and to use it as the basis for your first essay in Literature. You are encouraged to challenge yourself as well as to enjoy your book. **Be sure to read exactly the edition indicated. If you do not, you will do poorly on the AR test.**

*The Diary of a Young Girl* (Unabridged), by Anne Frank (6.5)

*Soldier Boys*, by Dean Hughes (5.6)

*Treasure Island*, by Robert Louis Stevenson (8.3)

*A Connecticut Yankee in King Arthur's Court*, by Mark Twain (9.2)

*The Strange Case of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde*, by Robert Louis Stevenson (9.3)

*Dracula* (Unabridged), by Bram Stoker (6.6)

*Death Be Not Proud*, by John Gunther (8.0)

*All Creatures Great and Small*, by James Herriot (6.8)

*Elizabeth I: Red Rose of the House of Tudor*, by Kathryn Lasky (5.5)

*The Endless Steppe: Growing Up in Siberia*, by Esther Hautzig (6.3)

*Harriet Tubman: Conductor on the Underground Railroad*, by Ann Petry (6.6)