

Recommended Non-Fiction List for College-Bound Students

- Alderman, Ellen. *In Our Defense: The Bill of Rights in Action*. 342.73 ALDERMAN
- Allende, Isabel. *Paula*. 921 ALLENDE
- Ambrose, Stephen. *Undaunted Courage: Meriwether Lewis, Thomas Jefferson and the Opening of the West*. 917.804 AMBROSE
- Angelou, Maya. *I Know Why the Caged Bird Sings (Caution: some potentially disturbing situations)*. 921 ANGELOU
- Armstrong, Lance. *It's Not About the Bike*. 921 ARMSTRONG
- Asinoff, Eliot. *Eight Men Out* (baseball scandal). 364.1 ASINOFF
- Beal, Merrill. *I Will Fight No More Forever*. 970.3 BEAL
- Beals, Melba Patillo. *Warriors Don't Cry*. 921 BEALS
- Bernstein, Carl. *All the President's Men* (Watergate). 364.1 BERNSTEIN
- Bernstein, Leonard. *The Joy of Music* (music appreciation). 780.1 BERNSTEIN
- Bissinger, H.G. *Friday Night Light*. (Texas HS football). 796.332 BISSINGER
- Brown, Claude. *Manchild in the Promised Land*. 921 BROWN
- Bulosan, Carlos. *America is in the Heart: A Personal History*. 921 BULOSON
- Campbell, Joseph. *The Power of Myth* (mythology and its importance). 291.1 CAMPBELL
- Carson, Rachel. *Silent Spring* (pesticides and the environment). 632 CARSON
- Conway, Jill Kerr. *The Road from Coorain*. 921 CONWAY
- Curie, Eve. *Madam Curie: a Biography*. 921 CURIE
- Dahl, Roald. *Going Solo*. 921 DAHL
- Delaney, Sara and Delaney, A. Elizabeth. *Having Our Say: The Delaney Sisters' First One Hundred Years*. 920 DELANEY
- Dillard, Annie. *An American Childhood*. 921 DILLARD
- Douglass, Frederick. *Narrative of the Life of Frederick Douglass, an American Slave, Written by Himself*. 921 DOUGLASS
- Edelman, Bernard. *Dear America: Letters Home from Vietnam*. 959.704 DEAR
- Fossey, Dian. *Gorillas in the Mist* (studies of gorilla culture/families). 599.88 FOSSEY
- Frank, Anne. *Anne Frank: The Diary of a Young Girl*. 940.53 FRANK
- Franklin, Benjamin. *Autobiography of Benjamin Franklin*. 921 FRANKLIN
- Freedman, Russell. *The Wright Brothers: How They Invented the Airplane*. 629.13
FREEDMAN
- Galarza, Ernesto. *Barrio Boy*. 921 GALARZA
- Gilbreth, Frank B. *Cheaper by the Dozen* (Family of 14 in the 1900s). 921 GILBRETH
- Goodall, Jane. *In the Shadow of Man* (chimpanzee behavior) 599.8 GOODALL
- Goodall, Jane, Fossey, Diane, Galdikas Birute. *Walking with the Great Apes*. 920
MONTGOMERY
- Graham, Billy. *Just as I Am*. 921 GRAHAM
- Graham, Robin. *Dove* (teen sails around the world). 910 GRAHAM
- Haley, Alex and X, Malcom. *The Autobiography of Malcom X*. 921 X
- Harr, Jonathon. *A Civil Action* (city water contamination). 346.7303 HARR
- Harrington, Michael. *Other America: Poverty in the United States*. 362.5 HARRINGTON
- Haslip, Le Ly. *When Heaven and Earth Changed Places* (Vietnamese girl). 921 HASLIP
- Hautzig, Esther. *The Endless Steppe*. 940.53 HAUTZIG
- Hawking, Stephen. *A Brief History of Time* (science and space). 523.1 HAWKING

Heat Moon, William. *Blue Highways: a Journey into America* (back roads of US). 917.3
HEAT MOON

Hillenbrand, Laura *Seabiscuit*. 798.4 HILLENBRAND

Herriot, James. *All Creatures Great and Small*. 921 HERRIOT

Hockenberry, John. *Moving Violations: War Zones, Wheelchairs, and Declarations of Independence*. 921 HOCKENBERRY

Hurston, Zora. *Dust Tracks on a Road: An Autobiography*. 921 HURSTON

Jenkins, Peter. *Walk Across America* (personal experiences of the walk). 917 JENKINS

Jiang, Ji-Li. *Red Scarf Girl: A Memoir of the Cultural Revolution*. 921 JIANG

Keller, Helen. *The Story of My Life*. 921 KELLER

Kennedy, John F. *Profiles in Courage* (Eight US Congressmen). 920 KENNEDY

Kennedy, Caroline *Profiles in Courage for our Time* (people who won the P.I.C. award). 920
PROFILES

Kidder, Tracy. *Among Schoolchildren* (Teaching). 372.11 KIDDER

Kincaid, Jamaica. *My Brother*. 921 KINCAID

King, Stephen *On Writing: A memoir of a Craft*. 921 KING

Kingston, Maxine Hong. *Woman Warrior* (Chinese-American woman). 921 KINGSTON

Krackour, John. *Into Thin Air* (Climbing Mt. Everest). 796.52 KRACKOUR

Lansing, Alfred *Endurance: Shackleton's Incredible Voyage* (South Pole discoveries). 919.9
LANSING

Lewis, Anthony. *Gideon's Trumpet* (one man vs. the American legal system). 323.42 LEWIS

Lindbergh, Charles A. *The Spirit of St. Louis*. 629.13 LINDBERGH

Massie, Robert. *Nicholas and Alexandra*. 947.08 MASSIE

Mathabane, Mark. *Kaffir Boy* (growing up black in apartheid South Africa). 921
MATHABANE

McBride, James. *The Color of Water: a Black Man's Tribute to His White Mother*. 921
MCBRIDE-JORDAN

McCourt, Frank. *Angela's Ashes: A Memoir*. 921 MCCOURT

Menchu, Rigoberto. *I, Rigoberto Menchu* (South American civil rights). 921 MENCHU

Momaday, N. Scott. *The Way to Rainy Mountain*. 970.3 MOMADAY

Naisbitt, John. *Megatrends 2000* (predictions for America's future). 306 NAISBITT

Neihardt, John. *Black Elk Speaks*. 921 BLACK

Needleman, Jacob *The American Soul*. 973 NEEDLEMAN

Opdyke, Irene. *In My Hands: Memoirs of a Holocaust Rescuer*. 921 OPDYKE

Peck, M. Scott . *The Road Less Traveled* (psychology, religion, spiritual). 158.1 SCOTT

Petry, Ann. *Harriet Tubman: Conductor on the Underground Railroad*. 921 TUBMAN

Rawlings, Marjorie Kinnan. *Cross Creek*. 921 RAWLINGS

Read, Piers Paul *Alive* (Andes survivors). 982 READ

Rodriguez, Luis J. *Always Running: la vida loca, gang days in L.A.*. 921 RODRIQUEZ

Rodriguez, Richard. *Hunger of Memory*. 921 RODRIQUEZ

Roosevelt, Eleanor. *This I Remember*. 921 ROOSEVELT

Roszak, Theodore. *Making of a Counter Culture* (youthful dissent in the 60s). 301.04
ROSZAK

Sagan, Carl. *Cosmos* (space and science). 520 SAGEN

Schlosser, Eric *Fast Food Nation* (history and examination of fast food industry). 394.1
SCHLOSSER

Shevchenko, Arkady. *Breaking with Moscow* (Russian spy who defected). 947.085
SHEVCHENKO

Siegal, Aranka. *Upon the Head of the Goat: A Childhood in Hungary*. 921 SIEGAL

Specht, Robert. *Tisha: Story of a Young Teacher in the Alaska Wilderness*. 371.1 HOBBS

Steinbeck, John. *Travels with Charlie* (America in the 1960s). 917.3 STEINBECK

Timerman, Jacobo. *Prisoner Without a Name, Cell Without a Number*. 921 TIMERMAN

Ten Boom, Corrie. *The Hiding Place*. 940.54 TEN BOOM

Toffler, Alvin. *Future Shock* (technology, problems and the future). 301.24 TOFFLER

Uchida, Yoshiko. *Desert Exile: The Uprooting of a Japanese-American Family*. 940.54
UCHIDA

Washington, Booker. *Up from Slavery*. 921 WASHINGTON

Welty, Eudora. *One Writer's Beginnings*. 921 WELTY

Williams, Juan. *Eyes on the Prize: American Civil Rights 1954-1965*. 323.4 WILLIAMS

Wolfe, Tom. *The Right Stuff* (American astronauts). 629.109 WOLFE

Wolff, Tobias. *This Boy's Life: A Memoir*. 921 WOLFF

Wright, Richard. *Black Boy: A Record of Childhood and Youth*. 921 WRIGHT

X, Malcolm. *The Autobiography of Malcolm X* (Black civil rights activist). 921 X

Yeager, Chuck. and Janos, Leo. *Yeager: An Autobiography*. 921 YEAGER