

Students enrolled in **AP Language and Composition** are to read ***The Things They Carried*** for the first day of classes, August 14, 2018.

The Things They Carried by Timothy O'Brien

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The assignment is to read and to consider how the novel is one of literary merit. There is no annotation or writing assignment attached to your summer reading of the novel. You will complete an in-class assessment on *The Things They Carried* within the first week of AP Language and Composition.

When we begin class, you will work with the novel so it is helpful to have the novel with you for the first week or so of the school year. You don't need to purchase the novel; feel free to check it out from your local library-keep in mind that you may want the novel.

Should you have any questions regarding the assigned Summer Reading or AP Language course, please email Mrs. Wendy Cassens at cassensw@rbhs208.net

Have a lovely summer and see you in August!