

Dickson County High School English Dept.

**English III: AP Language and Composition
Required out-of-class reading list for 2019-2020**

Objective tests, as well as composition assignments, will cover these selections:

- I. To be completed by August 1st:
 - a. Novel:
 1. *A Lesson Before Dying* by Ernest Gaines
 - b. Nonfiction:
 2. *On the Duty of Civil Disobedience* by Henry David Thoreau
 3. *Letter from the Birmingham Jail* by Martin Luther King, Jr.
 4. *Eats, Shoots, and Leaves* by Lynne Truss

- II. To be completed by October 21st:
 1. "Concerning Civil Government, Second Essay" by John Locke
(Chapters 2, 5, 8, 9, 14, and 19 only)

- III. To be completed by January 7th:
 1. *Huckleberry Finn* by Mark Twain
 2. *A Farewell to Arms* by Ernest Hemingway