



# Pocono Mountain School District

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Dear Parent/Guardian,

In an effort to keep you informed with regard to curricular content, the Pocono Mountain School District would like to share with you the list of required works that your eighth grader will be reading in his or her English Language Arts course this school year. The titles are as follows:

*Voices of the Holocaust*

*Romeo and Juliet* by William Shakespeare

*The Giver* by Lois Lowry

Please understand that the works listed here serve only as the basis for what your student will be studying this year. Individual teachers will provide additional supplemental works and assignments to ensure that all students have a broad and challenging experience in 8<sup>th</sup> Grade ELA. For a comprehensive listing of the supplemental works and course content for each grade, please access the secondary curriculum link on the district website at [www.pmsd.org](http://www.pmsd.org).

Sincerely,

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