



## Middle School Language Arts

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Mondays 12:00-1:30 p.m.

### Course Description

Students will become critical readers and thinkers as they delve into rigorous and engaging literature and informational text. The goal for this class is for students to develop strategies for active reading and writing.

### Class Registration & Tuition-\$450.00

- \$100.00 deposit due with registration. Make deposits through cash, check, PayPal ([s5roberts@verizon.net](mailto:s5roberts@verizon.net)), Cash App(\$s5roberts) or Venmo (@Sandra-Roberts-35).
- Tuition is due in full by August 18, 2025. Monthly payment option may be available upon request.
- Please note that there will be an additional \$50.00 administration fee for paperwork/invoice request needed for tuition scholarship reimbursement/submissions.

### Facility Fee

- \$60.00 per student for the 2025-2026 school year paid directly to Redeemer Church by check or on our website <https://www.homeschoolclasses.org>

<p><u>Units of Study</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Fiction and Short Stories</li> <li>➤ Nonfiction/Informational Texts</li> <li>➤ Biography/Autobiography</li> <li>➤ Historical Fiction</li> </ul>	<p><u>Composition</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Literary and Character Analysis</li> <li>➤ Persuasive Essay</li> <li>➤ Narrative Essay</li> <li>➤ Response to Literature</li> </ul>
<p><u>Novels</u></p> <p>You will read and explore the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Prisoner B-3087 by Alan Gratz</li> <li>➤ Tuck Everlasting by Natalie Babbitt</li> <li>➤ Hatchet by Gary Paulsen</li> <li>➤ Where the Red Fern Grows by Wilson Rawls</li> </ul> <p>*If additional novels are assigned, there will be ample</p>	<p><u>Additional Required Curriculum</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Fix It Grammar Level 3 Robin Hood by Pamela White</li> <li>➤ U.S. History-Based Writing Lessons by Lori Verstegen</li> </ul>
<p><u>Grammar</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar structure</li> <li>➤ Use various types of phrases (noun, verb, adjectival, adverbial, participial, prepositional, absolute) and clauses (independent, dependent; noun,</li> </ul>	<p><u>Supplies Needed</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ 3-Ring Binder (2 inch is recommended)</li> <li>➤ 5-Tab Binder Dividers</li> <li>➤ College-Ruled Spiral Notebook</li> <li>➤ Red 2-Pocket Folder</li> <li>➤ College-Ruled Paper</li> <li>1 pack of Ruled Index Cards</li> </ul>