

APPROVED VIDEO TITLES

Film Title	Rating	Course Approval
1. <i>Amadeus</i> (omit scenes of Wolfgang and Constanza at party and Salier's suicide attempt) Positive Parent Permission Required	PG-13	Grade 8
2. <i>Amistad</i> (classroom discussion prior, during, after the film) Positive Parent Permission Required	R	US History
3. <i>Apollo 13</i>	PG	7 th Grade Science
4. <i>Black Hawk Down</i> (Positive parent permission forms inviting parents to preview film, shown in segments with discussion before and after)	R	World History, US History
5. <i>Bob Roberts</i> Positive Parent Permission Required	R	American Government 12
6. <i>Bone Collector, The</i> Positive Parent Permission Required	R	Criminology (11 th & 12 th only)
7. <i>Bowling for Columbine</i> (<u>WITH CONDITIONS: in syllabus, preteach Oklahoma City/Columbine HS, advance discussion of violence, Positive parent permission slips listing racial stereotyping, profanity, violence, culturally sensitive vocabulary</u>)	R	American Government 12
8. <i>Camille Claudel</i> Positive Parent Permission Required	R	French III
9. <i>Casablanca</i>	PG	Drama 7-8
10. <i>Charly</i> (parent notification and elimination of attack scene and pot-smoking scene)	PG	Language Arts, Grade 8
11. <i>Chinatown</i> Positive Parent Permission Required	R	English 10
12. <i>Clash of the Titans</i>	PG	6 th grade social science
13. <i>Come See the Paradise</i> Positive Parent Permission Required	R	English 10
14. <i>Dances with Wolves</i> (Positive permission slips with warning of graphic violence, mild profanity, and scenes alluding to intercourse)	PG-13	8 th Grade English
15. <i>Dead Man Walking</i> (Discussions regarding religion and racial slurs) Positive Parent Permission Required	R	CP/AP English 12
16. <i>Dead Man Walking</i> (WITH CONDITIONS: Eliminate execution/flashback scenes that occur after apology to father scene. Stop showing the film as Matthew is being laid down. The film may be resumed to show the funeral scene and the last scenes of the movie.) Positive Parent Permission Required	R	CP/AP U.S. Government
17. <i>Dry White Season, A</i> Positive Parent Permission Required	R	English 12
18. <i>El Norte</i> Positive Parent Permission Required	R	Alternative High Schools
19. <i>El Norte</i> (cautionary letter to parents regarding rats attacking young women and deletion of bus in Mexico scene.) Positive Parent Permission Required	R	Spanish I
20. <i>Ever After</i> (with principal approval, 10-day parent notification that will include the use of words "damn" and "horseshit.")	PG	English Grade 6
21. <i>Ever After</i> (with conditions: Title in course syllabus, principal approval, 10-days prior parent notification that will include the use of words "damn" and "horseshit") Positive Parent Permission Required	PG-13	English and Social Science, Grade 7
22. <i>Far and Away</i> (the land grab scene only to be shown) Positive Parent Permission Required	PG-13	Social Science Grade 8
23. <i>Free Willy</i> Positive Parent Permission Required	PG-13	Social Science and Science, Grades 6, 7, & 8

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24. Gladiator Positive Parent Permission Required (<i>the following scenes ONLY from DVD format:</i> Scene 1) 17 Min 28 Sec-20 Min 10 Sec into film. Chapter 4, Maximus arrives at a gathering. Scene ends when the Emperor enters the tent. Scene 2) 22 Min 19 Sec –28 Min 00 Sec into the film. Chapter 5, the Emperor and Maximus talk. When they are done, the scene is over. Scene 3) 1 Hr 55 Min 18 Sec-1 Hr 58 Min 02 Sec into the film. Chapter 21, Lucilla brings a senator to meet with Maximus. The scene is finished when the conversations is over. Scene 4) 2 Hr 16 Min – 2 Hr 28 Min (the last 12 minutes of the film). Chapter 24, the Emperor comes to Maximus and challenges him to fight in the arena through the end of the film.	R	World History
25. Glory Positive Parent Permission Required	PG-13	History 8
26. Grand Canyon Positive Parent Permission Required	R	English 12
27. Hamlet Positive Parent Permission Required	PG-13	Reading Strategies 7
28. Hamlet 2000 Positive Parent Permission Required	R	AP and CP English 12
29. Joy Luck Club, The Positive Parent Permission Required	R	English 12
30. Killing Fields, The (the invasion of the Khmer Rouge scene only to be shown) Positive Parent Permission Required	R	English 9
31. Last of the Mohicans, The Positive Parent Permission Required	R	English Language Development Core 4 World History
32. les Misérables Positive Parent Permission Required	R	French III, IV, and AP
33. Luther Positive Parent Permission Required with alternative assignment and information about film’s negative depiction of Catholic Church practices, dead bodies, and a child who hangs himself.	PG-13	Social Science Grade 7
34. MacBeth Positive Parent Permission Required	R	English 12
35. Malcom X (Into Mecca on the Hajj only) Positive Parent Permission Required	PG-13	World History 7
36. Mississippi Burning (with parent letter 2 weeks in advance) Positive Parent Permission Required	R	U.S History
37. Mr. Holland’s Opus	PG	Concert, Beginning and Jazz Band, Grades 7-8
38. Native Son Positive Parent Permission Required	R	English 11 & 12
39. Never Cry Wolf	PG	8 th Grade Science
40. October Sky Positive Parent Permission Required	PG-13	8 th grade Astronomy or enrichment class
41. Ordinary People Positive Parent Permission Required	R	English 12, CP Psychology
42. Osmosis Jones (Parent letter will include the brief reference to genetic relationship between humans and apes, stereotypical references to viruses (i.e., godfather) and graphic, scatological humor which makes reference to bodily functions.) Positive Parent Permission Required	PG-13	7 th Life Science
43. Othello, 1995 Brannagh Version Positive Parent Permission Required	R	English 10
44. Outsiders, The	PG	Language Arts Grade 8

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45. Power of One, The (Film should be broken into segments with discussion before and after each viewing and a parent letter advising of violence) Positive Parent Permission Required	PG-13	English/Language Arts 8
46. Psycho (Hitchcock version) Positive Parent Permission Required	R	English 11 Pacesetter
47. Public Eye, The Positive Parent Permission Required	R	Photo I
48. Raiders of the Lost Ark (First five minutes only to be shown with parent letter advising of violent content) Positive Parent Permission Required	PG-13	English/Language Arts 7
49. Rain Man Positive Parent Permission Required	R	Psychology
50. Remember the Titans (with prior instructions concerning racial slurs and culturally sensitive vocabulary) Positive Parent Permission Required	PG-13	Language Arts 7 Social Skills for ED/SDC
51. Saving Private Ryan Positive Parent Permission Required	R	World History; U.S. History
52. Schindler's List (Use at end of unit, with discussion) Positive Parent Permission Required	R	World History
53. Searching for Bobby Fischer	PG	Math 7
54. Shakespeare in Love (first 45 min. with the deletion of sexual scene) Positive Parent Permission Required	R	Theatre I
55. Slaughterhouse Five Positive Parent Permission Required	R	English 11&12
56. Spartacus Positive Parent Permission Required	None	6th Grade
57. Stand and Deliver	PG	Math 7
58. Stand By Me Positive Parent Permission Required	R	CP/Honors/Transitional English 10
59. Star Wars Trilogy Positive Parent Permission Required	PG-13	Grade 8
60. Tall Tale	PG	Humanities Grade 8
61. War, The Positive Parent Permission Required	PG-13	Middle Sch. AM Advisory
62. Wall Street (with deletion of all nudity or sexually explicit/suggestive material) Positive Parent Permission Required	R	Economics
63. White Fang Positive Parent Permission Required	PG-13	Lang. Arts, Grade 6

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FILMS FOR SENIOR ENGLISH HOMEWORK ASSIGNMENT

“Social Responsibility: Reading and Viewing Project” Only

Film Title	Rating	Course Approval
1. <i>All the President's Men</i> Positive Parent Permission Required	R	English/Language Arts, Grade 12
2. <i>Billy Elliott</i> Positive Parent Permission Required	R	English/Language Arts, Grade 12
3. <i>Crash</i> Positive Parent Permission Required	R	English/Language Arts, Grade 12
4. <i>Elizabeth</i> Positive Parent Permission Required	R	English/Language Arts, Grade 12
5. <i>Insider, The</i> Positive Parent Permission Required	R	English/Language Arts, Grade12
6. <i>Manchurian Candidate, The (2004)</i> Positive Parent Permission Required	R	English/Language Arts, Grade12
7. <i>Michael Collins</i> Positive Parent Permission Required	R	English/Language Arts, Grade 12
8. <i>Milagro Beanfield War, The</i> Positive Parent Permission Required	R	English/Language Arts, Grade12
9. <i>Monsoon Wedding</i> Positive Parent Permission Required	R	English/Language Arts, Grade 12
10. <i>My Left Foot</i> Positive Parent Permission Required	R	English/Language Arts, Grade 12
11. <i>Primary Colors</i> Positive Parent Permission Required	R	English/Language Arts, Grade12
12. <i>Wall Street</i> Positive Parent Permission Required	R	English/Language Arts, Grade12
13. <i>Windtalkers</i> Positive Parent Permission Required	R	English/Language Arts, Grade12