

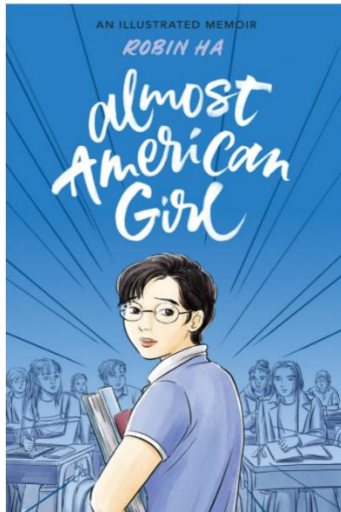
Start Your Semester Off Right

On-Level American Lit Extra Credit Summer Reading

We encourage all students to read all the time, including over breaks, so we are rewarding those students who complete their summer reading assignment with extra credit.

Almost American Girl by Robin Ha

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For as long as she can remember, it's been Robin and her mom against the world. Growing up as the only child of a single mother in Seoul, Korea, wasn't always easy, but it had bonded them fiercely together.

So when a vacation to visit friends in Huntsville, Alabama, unexpectedly becomes a permanent relocation—following her mother's announcement that she's getting married—Robin is devastated.

Overnight, her life changes. She is dropped into a new school where she doesn't understand the language and struggles to keep up. She is completely cut off from her friends in Seoul and has no access to her beloved comics. At home, she doesn't fit in with her new stepfamily, and worst of all, she is furious with the one person she is closest to—her mother.

Then one day Robin's mother enrolls her in a local comic drawing class, which opens up the window to a future Robin could never have imagined. ~ Stolen shamelessly from Amazon

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