

THE  
**FELLOWSHIP  
OF THE RING**  
THE LORD OF THE RINGS



**Schole Academy & St. Raphael School  
J.R.R. Tolkien Summer Book Club**

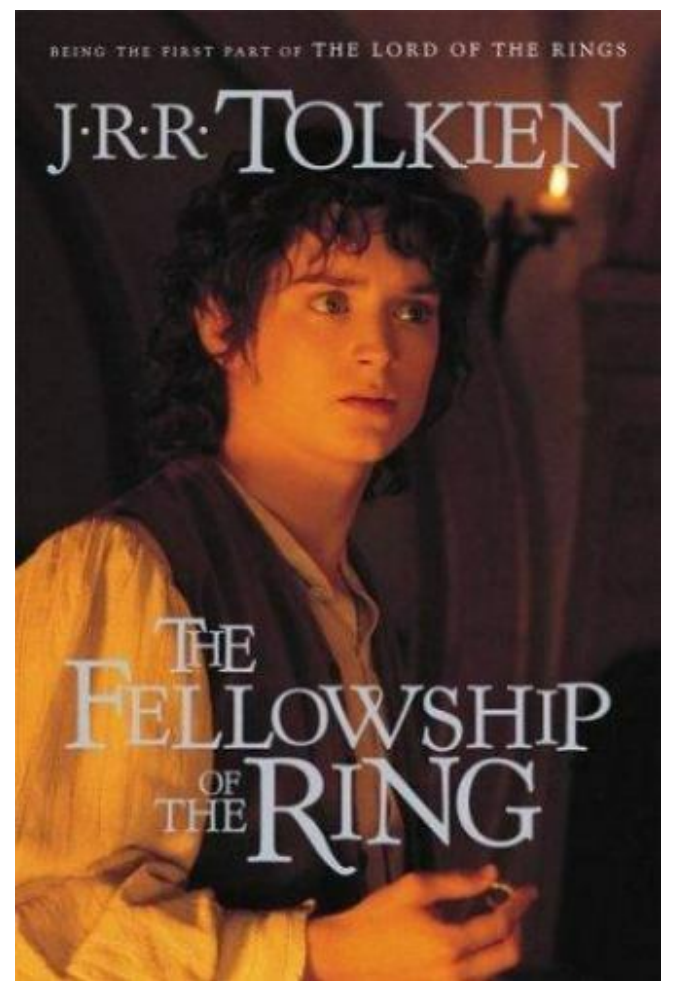
**Dates:** June 24–July 24 (10 sessions)

**Times:** Mondays and Wednesdays:  
10 a.m-11 a.m. EST —or— 2-3 p.m. EST

**Expectations:** Middle and High School students who can keep up with the readings and participate in class discussions

**Texts:** *The Fellowship of the Ring* by J.R.R. Tolkien

**Course Description:** Come read *J.R.R. Tolkien's* classic *The Fellowship of the Ring* with us as we compare it to Peter Jackson's increasingly beloved film adaptation. This club is both for those reading Tolkien for the first time or many times, as well as for those who love the films or those who maybe don't have many nice things to say. Most of the course will be discussions about the book while always comparing the parts that line up with the film.



# The Fellowship of the Ring Book vs. Film—summer book club



## Reading Schedule:

June 24: "Concerning Hobbits"

June 26: Chapters 1&2

July 1: Chapters 3-5

July 3: Chapters 6-8

July 8: Chapters 9-11

July 10: Chapter 12-Bk. 2 Ch. 1

July 15: Book 2—Chps. 2&3

July 17: Chapters 4&5

July 22: Chapters 6-8

July 24: Chapters 9&10

## Optional Extra texts:

- *The Complete Guide to Middle Earth* by Robert Foster
- *The Atlas of Middle Earth* by Karen Wynn Fonstad

**"It's a dangerous business, Frodo, going out your door. You step onto the road, and if you don't keep your feet, there's no knowing where you might be swept off too."**

—J.R.R. Tolkien

**"This is a giant undertaking, but I consider this a personal film. It's my film of a lifetime. I read the book when I was 18 years old and thought, 'I can't wait till the movie comes out.' Twenty years later, no one had done it - so I got impatient."**

—Peter Jackson

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