

SHHS Grade 11 Summer Reading 2023

The following summer reading selections represent varied perspectives and reflect themes that you will explore in your eleventh grade English and social studies classes.

Summer reading will help to prepare you for these courses and allow you to make meaningful connections. Exposure to different writing styles will also foster stylistic maturity in your own compositions.

All English 11 Honors students must read TWO books, one fiction and one nonfiction:

Fiction (choose one):

- *The Kite Runner* by Khaled Hosseini
- *Snow Flower and the Secret Fan* by Lisa See

Nonfiction (choose one):

- *Born a Crime: Stories from a South African Childhood* by Trevor Noah
- *Brain on Fire: My Month of Madness* by Susannah Cahalan
- *I Am Malala: The Girl Who Stood Up for Education and Was Shot by the Taliban* by Malala Yousafzai and Christina Lamb
- *The Girl with Seven Names: Escape from North Korea* by Hyeonseo Lee

All English 11 CP students must read ONE of the following books:

- *The Kite Runner* by Khaled Hosseini
- *Snow Flower and the Secret Fan* by Lisa See
- *Born a Crime: Stories from a South African Childhood* by Trevor Noah
- *Brain on Fire: My Month of Madness* by Susannah Cahalan
- *I Am Malala: The Girl Who Stood Up for Education and Was Shot by the Taliban* by Malala Yousafzai and Christina Lamb
- *The Girl with Seven Names: Escape from North Korea* by Hyeonseo Lee

All A.P. English Language & Composition students must read TWO books:

- *Thank You for Arguing* by Jay Heinrichs
- A nonfiction book of your choice

All A.P. Capstone Seminar students must:

- read *The Kite Runner* by Khaled Hosseini
- complete the two written assignments on the AP Capstone Seminar Summer Google Classroom. Join code: **lgqavde**

All Honors and CP 11th grade Modern World II Social Studies students must read:

- *1984* by George Orwell