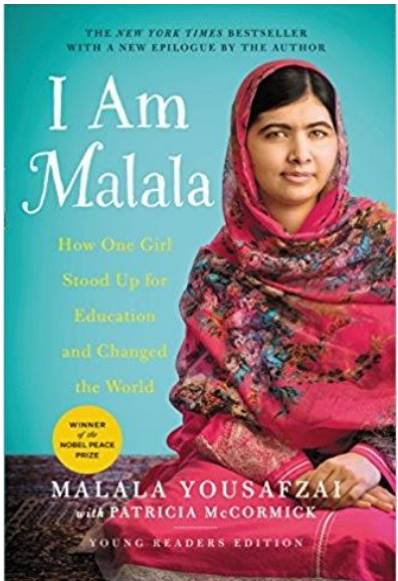


# Trinity Valley School

## 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Summer Reading 2020

➤ **PART ONE:** Read *I Am Malala: Young Readers Edition* over the summer, and be prepared to discuss in class. You will need a print or e-book copy for class discussion.



Since she was 10 years old, Malala Yousafzai has been speaking out about the rights of girls to go to school. In 2012, the Taliban tried to silence her with a gunshot, but she survived and has become an advocate for education, peaceful protest, and creating a better world.

➤ **PART TWO:** Read a novel of your choice for enjoyment. Please do not select a book you have read during a previous school year, and the book needs to be appropriate for your grade level. If you have questions about your book selection, email me at [adamss@trinityvalleyschool.org](mailto:adamss@trinityvalleyschool.org).

- Write a book report on the book you selected.
- Book Report Guidelines are listed on Page 2.
- Be prepared to discuss the book in class.

## Book Report Guidelines

Your paper must be typed and double-spaced using 14 pt. Times New Roman font. Please remember that a book's title must be in italics.

Heading (left hand side):

Your First and Last Name  
Mrs. Adams  
English  
24 August 2020

Title (centered on page):

*Book's Title*  
Author's Name

- First Paragraph - The first paragraph of your report should include the title of your book, the author, and six to eight well-developed sentences that **summarize** the entire book – an overview.
- Second Paragraph - An author creates a character by giving him/her certain attributes or qualities. The reader gets to know the "personality" of each character (player) through physical description, the actions of the character(s), and dialogue within the story. In a six to eight sentence paragraph, describe important personality qualities of the main character(s). What do these qualities reveal about the main character? If the character changes in the story, describe how and why he/she changed.
- Third Paragraph - A good story always has a strong plot or series of related events that develop from conflict(s). Through the use of specific details, write a six to eight sentence paragraph explaining the most important or interesting event in the book. What is the conflict or problems the characters encounter? What important actions are in the plot?
- Final Paragraph - In a six to eight sentence paragraph, share your thoughts on this book. Support your opinion with specific references to the story.