

US I Honors Summer Reading Assignment

Students entering US I Honors are required to read When I Was a Slave: Memoirs from the Slave Narrative Collection, edited by Norman R. Yetman, prior to the start of school. This group of autobiographical accounts of former slaves was collected during the Great Depression between 1936-1938 by workers for the Works Progress Administration (WPA). Slavery was an integral part of America from 1619 to the late 19th century, the period covered in US I.

An assessment on the book will be given in the first week of school. As such, it is suggested that students take notes as they read.

Please sign out a book from Mrs. Harvey prior to leaving school for summer vacation.