ARHS 2019 SUMMER READING “ONE BOOK” ASSIGNMENT: All Students Grades 9-12

Girl in the Blue Coat

by Monica Hesse

“But as people continue to ask how an event as monumental and atrocious as the Holocaust ever could have happened, I wanted to tell a story of small betrayals in the middle of a big war. I wanted to illustrate the split-second decisions we make of moral courage and cowardice, and how we are all heroes and villains.”

- Monica Hesse

Directions: Read the book and prepare to engage in an assessment upon your return to school in September. This could take the form of a test, a discussion, and/or a writing assignment.

It is highly recommended to take notes and to use sticky notes to tag important sections that you wish to remember.

OPTIONAL: Participate in the Summer Reading Selfie Challenge! Send in your best summer vacation selfie with the book to ARHSonebook@freelake.org to be posted on the school Instagram account and be entered into a drawing for a valuable prize.

I verify that _______________________________, grade_______, completed his/her summer reading.

It is understood that not reading the text will result in a low grade in ELA to start the year.

_________________________ Parent/Guardian Signature  __________________________ Date