

## **10<sup>th</sup> Grade Scholars Summer Assignment 2020**

**Scholars Academy summer assignments are part of our enrichment curriculum and generally consist of a theater performance and museum visits. Our current health concerns necessitate the substitution of viewing film and virtual tours. A separate report for each assignment is due to Dr. Colvin on the first day of school in September. Each report must be typed using MLA format. MLA guidelines can be found online.**

**Any of the following may be used for the theater/film report:**

**The Merchant of Venice            youtube**

**A Tale of Two Cities (1935)      multiple streaming services**

**Les Miserables 1935 or 2012    multiple streaming services**

**Hamilton                          available beginning July 3<sup>rd</sup> on Disney+**

**The report should include background information (original source, author, etc.), plot, casting/performances, scenery, costumes, special effects, etc. Please do not use online sources such as Cliff or Monarch Notes, Wikipedia, or any other synopsis. You are to make your own analysis. Your report should be a minimum of four type-written pages.**

**The American Museum of Natural History: Report on your virtual visit to the Arthur Ross Hall of Meteorites. You should include in your viewing the following:**

**Explore the Hall Video**

**Permanent Hall**

**Blog Post: Meteor, Meteorite, Asteroid**

**Exhibits: Meteorites, Meteorite Impacts, Where Do Meteorites Come From and Hobs**

**Also visit The Gottesman Hall of Planet Earth. Please be sure to view “Why Is the Earth Habitable”, “Geology 101”, and ”How Do We Read the Rocks” as part of your tour. Your report must be a minimum of five pages.**