



The Catholic High School of Baltimore
Summer Reading

Teacher's Name: Ms. Romo-Fierro

School Year: 2025-2026

Grade Level: 11

Course No.: 231

Course Name: U.S. Government

Academic Level (Honors/AP/CP/Archangel): Honors

ASSIGNMENT

Choose 3 podcasts from the “We the People” site:

<https://constitutioncenter.org/news-debate/podcasts>

We the People is a weekly show of constitutional debate hosted by National Constitution Center President & CEO Jeffrey Rosen. Listeners can hear the best arguments on all sides of constitutional issues at the center of American life. You will listen to THREE podcasts and write a summary & reflection on each. There are over 350 topics; scroll through the playlist to find topics that are interesting to you.

Listen to each podcast and complete the assignment below (10 points each):

- 1) Summarize each podcast in 5-10 sentences; include the topic, names of speakers, and the key issues discussed.
- 2) Write a paragraph reflecting on the podcast. This can be on the topic itself, how it was presented, or its implications for today's world.
- 3) Type your summary & reflection following the appropriate TCHS guidelines for the proper heading & email it to me.

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DUE DATE

Your summer reading assignment is due on the first day of class.

Please remember that your summer reading assignment must be your own original work. Submitting work that is plagiarized or generated by AI will result in academic consequences.