



VIRTUAL STUDY ABROAD TO SOUTH AFRICA

MEET "MZANSI" - AN INTRODUCTION TO SOUTH AFRICA

January 27, 2021 10:00am to 11:00am

"Mzansi" (nick name S.A.) is one of the most beautiful and interesting countries in the world! Join our partners from EDU Africa as they share about South African culture, language, and history. This session is 1 of 4, planned for our Spring 2021 "Transformative Learning Through Cultural Engagement" series with South Africa.

"BORN A CRIME" DISCUSSION OF TREVOR NOAH'S BOOK

February 19, 2021 11:30am to 1:00pm

In this award-winning book, Trevor Noah tells his coming-of-age tale during the twilight of apartheid in South Africa. Our discussion will be centered around a variety of "glocal" themes, such as bridging cultural differences, race and identity, overcoming adversity, and the role of humor in surviving life's challenges. Moderated by South African partners, with smaller break-out rooms for interactive dialogue.

MEMORIES OF ROBBER ISLAND: CONVERSATIONS WITH A FORMER PRISONER & MANDELA'S PRISON GUARD

March 25, 2021 11:00am to 12:30pm

Robben Island is the notorious prison where former President and liberation leader, Nelson Mandela, spent 18 of his 27 years in prison. It is a privilege to have both Lionel Davis (former political prisoner) and Christo Brand (Mandela's former prison warden) share stories about growing up during a racially divided South Africa, their experiences on Robben Island, and life after the fall of Apartheid. This session highlights unlikely friendships, forgiveness, and reconciliation.

SHARING STORIES: A STUDENT EXCHANGE WITH SOUTH AFRICA

April 15, 2021 12:30pm to 2:00pm

Participants will investigate the world beyond their immediate environment by connecting directly with South African students. Through small group conversations, students will engage, share stories and gain respect for each other's cultures.

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