Chilean Political History & *The House of the Spirits* Senior Seminar Honors Cleary/Matthews

Assignment: Choose one of the following topics relating to Chilean political history depicted in *The House of the Spirits* to research further. Record information pertinent to understanding events in the novel and develop your findings into a 1-2 page, MLA formatted paper. Include specific textual reference.

Classes will meet in the Media Center **once** to conduct research for this project: Monday, September 16 (A) and Tuesday September 17 (B). Continue research as necessary on your own to complete a 1-2 page MLA formatted research paper by **9/18(A)** or **9/19(B)**

Topics:

- 1. Salvador Allende
- 2. Popular Unity
- 3. General Augusto Pinochet
- 4. desaparecidos (disappeared people)
- 5. Rettig Report
- 6. Colonia Dignidad
- 7. U.S. involvement/Henry Kissinger and the CIA
- 8. Valech Report
- 9. Eduardo Frei Montalva
- 10. Orlando Letelier
- 11. DINA
- 12. Manuel Contreras
- 13. U.S. School of the Americas/WHISC
- 14. Operation Condor
- 15. terror archives
- 16. Operation Silencio
- 17. Marxist Philosophy
- 18. Feminism Movement in South America
- 19. Women's Suffrage in South America
- 20. Clairvoyance