

SURVEY OF CONTEMPORARY LITERATURE

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**IN THIS STUDY OF CONTEMPORARY
AMERICAN, ENGLISH, AND IRISH LITERATURE,
WE WILL READ**

***THE HEIDI CHRONICLES* BY WENDY WASSERSTEIN (1988) (U.S.)**

***NATIVE GUARD* BY NATASHA TRETHERWAY (2007) (U.S.)**

***THE BRIEF WONDROUS LIFE OF OSCAR WAO* BY JUNOT DIAZ (2007) (U.S.)**

***WISE CHILDREN* BY ANGELA CARTER (1991) (ENGLAND)**

***EAST IS EAST* BY AYUB KHAN-DIN (1996) (ENGLAND)**

***NW* BY ZADIE SMITH (2012) (ENGLAND)**

***SELECTED POEMS* BY SEAMUS HEANEY (1988-2013) (N. IRELAND)**

***THE SNAPPER* BY RODDY DOYLE (1990) (REP. IRELAND)**

***WOMAN AND SCARECROW* AND *MARBLE* BY MARINA CARR (2006, 2009) (REP. IRELAND)**

**IN ADDITION TO THE READING, THE REQUIREMENTS FOR THIS COURSE ARE
TWO TEN-PAGE RESEARCH PAPERS FOR UNDERGRADUATES
OR ONE TWENTY-PAGE RESEARCH PAPER FOR GRADUATE STUDENTS,
TWO EXAMS,
AND
SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS OF CRITICAL ARTICLES.**