

TCS SUMMER READING 2017

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It's time for summer reading! You made progress in your instruction this year, so let's keep the momentum going! Please give this work your best effort, as these will count towards your first semester's Language Arts grade. Your assignment is to complete the following:

1. Select 10 articles from the *NEWSELA* website. **Read each article and take the accompanying quiz.** If you do not already have a *NEWSELA* account, please sign up using the following link: newsela.com/join/#/N2KH4X Use your TCS email address as your username and use your TCS login password as your password.
2. **Read one book of your choice** that ties in with one of the following themes; *freedom, justice or discovery*. This book can be fiction or nonfiction; it can even be a compilation of short stories!
3. Complete graphic organizer based on the book of your choice.
4. Come to class in September with a completed graphic organizer and be prepared to discuss your book.

Directions for Graphic Organizer completion:

As you read the book of your choice, find evidence in the text that supports the theme of either freedom, justice or discovery (choose 1 theme.) You should note the page number, and a direct quote from the text. You will need to explain in your own words how this quote supports the theme.