



Tallulah Falls School 12th Grade Required Summer Reading 2018-On-level

Choose one of the following as your summer text.

Alive – Piers Paul Read

A Long Way Gone – Ishmael Beah

The Color of Water – James McBride

Undocumented – Dan-el Padilla Peralta

Kindness Diaries – Leon Logothetis

Into Thin Air – Jon Krakauer

Joy Luck Club – Amy Tan

Night – Elie Wiesel

For the selection, complete the assignments below. The assignment must be typed with your name and English 12 in the upper left-hand corner.

A. CHARACTER: Write down FIVE memorable or insightful quotes from the text. This quote reveals something significant about a character's feelings or thoughts. It may be a pivotal moment when the character experiences an epiphany, a major shift in thinking, a moment of transformation, or some other significant metamorphosis of the character. After the lines, write the page number where the quote occurs.

B. THEME: How does this literature provide an example about human behavior and the endurance of the human spirit to transcend obstacles. Does the theme provide insight or inspiration for readers who may face a similar challenge. (One paragraph in length of 5-7 sentences.)

C. TITLE ACROSTIC: Write the title of the book vertically down the left-side of a piece of paper. For each letter in the title, construct a grammatically correct, complete sentence that begins with that letter and that describes something significant about the story. This document should be typed as well.

D. CONFLICT: Because these are all non-fiction books, they reveal a person facing obstacles and challenges that would keep many people from facing such a trial. Identify the main or one of the main conflicts in the text. (Sometimes a text will have more than one obstacle.)

PRESENTATION REQUIREMENTS:

Put your summer reading inside a thin binder (no big, three-ring binders) and make sure your name is on the thin binder. Staple or put the index cards inside a small bag for safekeeping.

If you have any questions, contact me at terri.bogan@tallulahfalls.org

See you in the fall...the beginning of your senior year!

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