



EXTRA CREDIT for MODULE 3

Due Date: Monday, April 11, 2016

Pick 1-3 books on this list. For every book you read and response you write, you will earn 2 extra points to add to your final grade for Trimester 3.

Response Format:

First Paragraph: include title of the book, author, and a summary of the book.

Second Paragraph: What are the connections between your book and our module?

Third Paragraph: Would you recommend the book? Why or why not?



| Title | Author And Illustrator | Text Type | Lexile Measure |
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| Lexile text measures in Grade 4–5 band level (740–925L) | | | |
| <i>Nightjohn</i> | Gary Paulsen (author) | Literature | 770 |
| <i>My Name Is Henry Bibb: A Story of Slavery and Freedom</i> | Alfa Cooper (author) | Literature | 800 |
| <i>Sarny: A Life Remembered</i> | Gary Paulsen (author) | Literature | 840 |
| <i>Jump Ship to Freedom</i> | James Collier (author) | Literature | 850 |
| Lexile text measures within Grade 6–8 band level (925–1185L) | | | |
| <i>Let It Shine: Stories of Black Women Freedom Fighters</i> | Andrea Davis Pinkney (author) | Biography | 940 |
| <i>The Slave Dancer</i> | Paula Fox (author) | Literature | 970 |
| <i>I Lay My Stitches Down: Poems of American Slavery</i> | Cynthia Grady (author) | Poetry | 990 |
| <i>Many Thousand Gone: African Americans from Slavery to Freedom</i> | Virginia Hamilton (author) | Informational | 990 |
| <i>Stolen into Slavery: The True Story of Solomon Northup, Free Black Man</i> | Judith Fradin (author) | Informational | 1060 |
| <i>Hand in Hand: Ten Black Men Who Changed America</i> | Andrea Davis Pinkney (author) | Informational | 1080* |
| <i>To Be a Slave</i> | Julius Lester (author) | Informational | 1080 |

*Lexile based on a conversion from Accelerated Reading level

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| Lexia text measures within Grade 6–8 band level (925–1185L) | | | |
| <i>Abraham Lincoln and Frederick Douglass: The Story Behind an American Friendship</i> | Russell Freedman (author) | Informational | 1110 |
| <i>Traveling the Freedom Road</i> | Linda Osborne (author) | Informational | 1120 |
| <i>Harriet Tubman, Secret Agent: How Daring Slaves and Free Blacks Spied for the Union During the Civil War</i> | Thomas Allen (author) | Informational | 1120 |
| Lexia text measures above band level (over 1185L) | | | |
| <i>Freedom Roads: Searching for the Underground Railroads</i> | Joyce Hansen (author) | Informational | 1190* |
| <i>Dred Scott v. Sanford: Slavery and Freedom Before the American Civil War</i> | Amy Van Zee (author) | Informational | 1190† |

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†Book content may have higher-maturity-level text

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