

World History Summer Reading Assignment

I. Choose **ONE** of the following non-fiction books:

1. ***Dead Wake***

Author: Erik Larsen

ISBN# 978-0-307-40887-7 Paperback

2. ***The Splendid and the Vile***

Author: Erik Larsen

ISBN# 978-0-385-34871-3 Hardback

3. ***A Short History of Russia: How the World's Largest Country Invented Itself From the Pagans to Putin***

Author: Mark Galeotti

ISBN# 978-1-335-14570-3 Hardback

4. ***The Art of War***

Author: Sun Tzu

ISBN# 978-1-4351-7162-6

5. ***All Quiet on the Western Front***

Author: Erich Maria Remarque Paperback

6. ***Irena's Children: The Extraordinary Story of the Woman Who Saved 2,500 Children from the Warsaw Ghetto***

Author: Tilar J Mazzeo

ISBN# 978-1-4767-7851-8 Paperback

- II. Before reading your book review this website to understand text connections
<https://sites.google.com/a/alaska.edu/diane-kardash/Home/making-connections>
- III. While reading look for passages that relate to the world around your, yourself, or other texts. You need to have 3 of each type of connections. You can put your connections on power-point slides and submit the to Mr. Glupker through this email address (drewglupker@salemvikings.org) before the first day of school.
- IV. When you have finished reading the book create a Power-Point or Google Slide presentation which includes the following slides:

Slide 1: title, author, publication date

Slide 2-5: Text to world connections

Slide 6-8: Text to self connections

Slide 9-11: Text to text connections

Slide 12: your favorite part of the book with an explanation of why it's your favorite

Slide 13: create a book review paragraph complete with 1-5-star rating and why