## INDEPENDENT READING RESOURCES

Students may select any reading material of their choice for independent reading assignments. If a novel is not available at home, please consider the following free resources.

- > SLPS Destiny Discover (linked from school library website)
- > St. Louis Public Library [slpl.org]
- International Children's Digital Library [en.childrenslibrary.org]
- Open Library [openlibrary.org]
- Storynory [storynory.com]
- Unite for Literacy [uniteforliteracy.com]
- Newsela [newsela.com]
- Dogo News [dogonews.com]
- > <u>Tween Tribune</u> [tweentribune.com]
- ReadWorks [readworks.org]
- ➤ Google News [news.google.com]
- > PBS News Hour Extra for Students in Grades 6-12 [pbs.org/newshour/extra]
- Newseum [newseum.org]
- New York Times Student Section [nytimes.com/section/learning]
- ➤ <u>Time for Kids</u> [timeforkids.com]
- Science News for Students [sciencenewsforstudents.org]
- > Youth Voices [yourcommonwealth.org]

St. Louis Public Library Resources
The St. Louis Public Library is allowing residents to apply for digital library cards. There is a quick form to fill out and a library card is generated for the patron. They have an amazing collection of e-books and audiobooks available without ever needing to leave the house. They also no longer issue fines for any late materials.
E-Card: https://www.slpl.org/ecard
All Downloadables: https://www.slpl.org/resources-types/all-downloadables
Comics and Graphic Novels: https://www.slpl.org/resources-types/comics-graphic-novels
E-Audiobooks: https://www.slpl.org/resources-types/audiobooks
E-Books: https://www.slpl.org/resources-types/ebooks
Newspapers and Magazines: https://www.slpl.org/resources-types/newspapers-magazines