Welcome to ELA 7! This summer we would like you to read two novels. One is *It’s Trevor Noah: Born a Crime*. The other novel is completely your choice. You heard me right, completely your choice! Fiction, non-fiction, it’s up to you!

Once you have chosen and read your book, pick one of the three attached activities to complete. Be ready to hand this in by the end of the first week of school.

Have a great summer and happy reading!

Activity 1: Choose a character and write a **one page** journal entry as if you are that character. What are you thinking and feeling right now? What are your deepest (and perhaps darkest) thoughts? What secrets do you have that you want to spill?

Activity 2: Write Facebook “status updates” or Twitter “tweets” for one of the characters throughout the novel. You should create a minimum of one status or tweet per chapter or section.

Activity 3: Complete the attached three square reading reflection sheet. Use the back of the page if you need more space.
Title of Chosen Book: _____________________________________________

Author of Chosen Book: ____________________________________________

Step 1: Write down three quotes from the book you think are important.
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Step 2: Write down three key facts you learned from the book.
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Step 3: Write down three connections to your personal world that you found or can make based on your reading the book.
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