

## Emmett O'Brien Summer Reading 2020

Each grade level will have two assignments.

One non-fiction trade related or work-readiness article to be graded by trade instructors and one assignment based on a fiction book to be graded by English/lab instructors.

Please refer to the LMC Google Classroom for students for resources.

Google classroom code: i57ub2h

or the Ctecs virtual library:

<https://sites.google.com/view/ctechvirtuallibrary/home>

First Assignment:

All students will return a complete reflection by the end of their first trade cycle about their respective non-fiction trade related articles.

Examples of trade-related articles:

Repairing Electrical Wiring. By: Allen, Mike, Popular Mechanics, 00324558, May2006, Vol. 183, Issue 5

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SIMILAR PRICE-TAGS BUT DIFFERENT STRENGTHS. By: Pearce, Andrew, Cousins, David, Farmers Weekly, 00148474, 8/23/2002, Vol. 137, Issue 8

<http://search.ebscohost.com/login.aspx?direct=true&db=aph&AN=7698705>

Made-up maintenance. By: Kaye, Steven D., Newman, Richard J., U.S. News & World Report, 00415537, 9/14/92, Vol. 113, Issue 10

<http://search.ebscohost.com/login.aspx?direct=true&db=aph&AN=9209141556>

New tools. Workbench, 00438057, Feb97, Vol. 53, Issue 1

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Dovetail Jig Basics. Workbench, 00438057, Sep/Oct2000, Vol. 56, Issue 5

<http://search.ebscohost.com/login.aspx?direct=true&db=f5h&AN=3518917>

When Pork Chops Strike By: Kissing, Steve; Miyazaki, Kevin. *Cincinnati Magazine*. Jan2005, Vol. 38 Issue 4, p48-51. 4p. 1 Color Photograph. Reading Level (Lexile): 930

<http://search.ebscohost.com/login.aspx?direct=true&db=f5h&AN=15475262>

Faster Than a Ray of Light. By: Reyes, Sonia, Brandweek, 10644318, 10/9/2006, Vol. 47, Issue 37

<http://search.ebscohost.com/login.aspx?direct=true&db=aph&AN=22894089>

Electrician shortage creates potential for six-figure jobs

<https://www.foxbusiness.com/economy/electrician-shortage-six-figure-salary-job>

How Proactive Ergonomic Programs Protect Electricians By: Fischbach, Amy. *EC&M Electrical Construction & Maintenance*. Jun2019, Vol. 118 Issue 6, pC26-C32. 4p.

<http://search.ebscohost.com/login.aspx?direct=true&db=mfi&AN=137607495>

Howto Reduce Job Cancellation Rates By: Azaria, Adi. *EC&M Electrical Construction & Maintenance*. Mar2019, Vol. 118 Issue 3, pC28-C32. 3p.

<http://search.ebscohost.com/login.aspx?direct=true&db=mfi&AN=135868565>

CNAs: Opening the career door. By: Breedlove, Janis, Nursing Homes: Long Term Care Management, 10614753, Jun93, Vol. 42, Issue 5

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CNAs are speaking--But are you listening? By: Hoban, Sandra, Nursing Homes: Long Term Care Management, 10614753, Mar2006, Vol. 55, Issue 3

<http://search.ebscohost.com/login.aspx?direct=true&db=aph&AN=20305156>

A Partnership for CNA Training. By: Pine, Nancy, Nursing Homes: Long Term Care Management, 10614753, Mar2000, Vol. 49, Issue 3

<http://search.ebscohost.com/login.aspx?direct=true&db=aph&AN=2915516>

**5 Pointers for Resumes that Resonate By: Simic, Suzana. *Computerworld*. 5/19/2014, Vol. 48 Issue 9, p28-28. 1/4p.**

<http://search.ebscohost.com/login.aspx?direct=true&db=aph&AN=96114498>

**Preventing cultural differences from undermining your global projects. By: Settle-Murphy, Nancy M., *Information Strategy: The Executive's Journal*, 07438613, Fall96, Vol. 13, Issue 1**

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To Solve the Skills Gap in Hiring Create Expectations in the Classroom. By: KENT, CHARLOTTE, Chronicle of Higher Education, 00095982, 2/12/2016, Vol. 62, Issue 22  
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The Star, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia, Raphael Kok Chi Ren column By: Chi Ren, Raphael Kok, Asia News Network, Mar 31, 2011  
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Relearning to tell time. By: Levine, Robert, American Demographics, 01634089, Jan98, Vol. 20, Issue 1  
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Navigating Your First 90 Days on the Job. By: Faulkner, LaCarole, Black Collegian, 01923757, Apr2005, Vol. 35, Issue 3  
<http://search.ebscohost.com/login.aspx?direct=true&db=f5h&AN=16923399>

Specialists needed as e-business booms By: N.A., Courier Mail, The (Brisbane), APR 21, 2001  
<http://search.ebscohost.com/login.aspx?direct=true&db=n5h&AN=200104211C27240461>

Mastering the PC Domain By: Goldsborough, Reid. *Poptronics*. Jul2002, Vol. 3 Issue 7, p12. 3p. 1 Color Photograph. Reading Level (Lexile): 1000.  
<http://search.ebscohost.com/login.aspx?direct=true&db=f5h&AN=6767126>

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<http://search.ebscohost.com/login.aspx?direct=true&db=aph&AN=74696236>

2020 Machine Tool Spending: Down, But Still Above Average By: KLINE JR., STEVEN. *Modern Machine Shop*. Dec2019, Vol. 92 Issue 7, p56-62. 4p.

<http://search.ebscohost.com/login.aspx?direct=true&db=f5h&AN=139911548>

esting CNC Code Speed with Raspberry Pi. *Machine Design*, 00249114, Nov2017, Vol. 89, Issue 11

<http://search.ebscohost.com/login.aspx?direct=true&db=aph&AN=126088642>

## Summer Reading – Trade related article

*Directions: After reading the article, write a 1+ page reflection response.*

## What is a reflection?

Reflection involves careful consideration of an idea or topic. **Reflections are not summaries!** To successfully complete a reflection, consider one or more of the following:

- Do you agree with the point the article's writer is trying to make? Why or why not?
- Have you ever personally been affected by the topic of the article? Tell your story
- Do you have a personal connection to the topic mentioned?
- Does this article discuss or mention something that is of great importance to our society, community, or population? What makes the issue so important?

Your reflections should be typed in a Google Document, titled "Summer Reading Reflection...", and should follow these basic guidelines (see rubric for details):

1. [MLA format](#) - 200-300 words - minimum (just less than one page typed in 12-point font, Times New Roman, double spaced. No more than two pages - maximum!
2. Include a summary/description paragraph that includes the Title, Author, and Genre, a short summary/description of the article, and the author's purpose in writing the article. This paragraph should be about 50 words.
3. A personal response to the article and the issues raised by the article should be in the following paragraphs.
4. Responses should show evidence of reading comprehension. This can be done by using quotes and/or examples in the article or referring back to specific aspects of the article in your writing.
  1. Proper MLA citation is mandatory, i.e.: Winter-Hebert makes the claim that "Reading has a significant number of benefits" (1). If not using a quote, still refer to page or paragraph number.

Second Assignment – All grades

All grade levels would be required to read one book from books available online or as PDFs online.

This book should be grade appropriate. Please pick a book appropriate to your grade/reading level. Not sure what this is? Think about what you have been reading in English this past year.

Students are required to complete the Guided Reading Assignment for fiction or non-fiction, depending on their reading selection.

Fiction:

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1o9XAsHR12lR0JcEg7RILRWiNvVTgbyWVlvCE-sahjzE/edit?usp=sharing>

Non-Fiction:

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1cQ2K0mQvE4RoA6fQnD6PnbllmfG5mLgEXWyolptfHRY/edit?usp=sharing>