Topics

1. Suicide

EQ: What patterns do we see in teen suicide and what can be done to prevent it?

[Teen Suicide Charts and Graphs](https://www.americashealthrankings.org/explore/health-of-women-and-children/measure/teen_suicide/state/ALL)

<https://newsela.com/read/TRIBAL-SUICIDE/id/279/>

<https://newsela.com/read/alaska-nativesurvivors/id/7679/>

1. Violence

EQ: What are some causes of violence and what are some ways to overcome it?

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1O_xqLnhQu7H4TEAmUADWGWEQ5rwvw6Adk1GC5fFrqlk/edit?usp=sharing>

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1rd4HYI_kJ8ABBRbQI8JPbT8eZjHT9fOqBaFwcgthfnk/edit?usp=sharing>

<https://newsela.com/read/poor-boy-rich-neighbors/id/18587/>

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/10VNFlYLrEmT78HLBiGgEfhgLfT6fiah4bIRmwGk4I1w/edit?usp=sharing>

3. The Teen Brain

EQ: What makes the teenage brain different from the adult brain?

[NPR | The Teen Brain: It’s Just Not Grown Up Yet](https://www.npr.org/templates/story/story.php?storyId=124119468)

[Frontline | Inside the Teenage Brain](https://www.pbs.org/wgbh/pages/frontline/shows/teenbrain/)

[“Room for Debate | When Do Kids Become Adults”](https://www.nytimes.com/roomfordebate/2012/05/28/do-we-need-to-redefine-adulthood)

[Adolescence and the Teenage Crush](https://drive.google.com/open?id=1vpePL2ewoZVQJ7t-M_45ijAcW97r6MWx)

4. Love

EQ: What are some side effects of love?

Love and Romance

Should We Scoff at the Idea of Love at First Sight?

[“The Brain on Love”](https://opinionator.blogs.nytimes.com/2012/03/24/the-brain-on-love/)

[“Love and Pain Relief”](https://well.blogs.nytimes.com/2010/10/13/love-and-pain-relief/)

5. Marriage

EQ: How do different perspectives/cultures view marriage?

<https://newsela.com/read/china-women/id/701/>

Would You Marry a Stranger?

[Why You Should Treat Marriage More Like a Business](https://www.nbcnews.com/better/pop-culture/why-you-should-treat-marriage-more-business-ncna778551)

<https://www.bloomberg.com/news/articles/2018-09-25/millennials-are-causing-the-u-s-divorce-rate-to-plummet>

6. Shakespeare then and now

EQ: How does Shakespeare’s life and work still impact us today? 3

<https://newsela.com/read/bio-author-shakespeare/id/19274/>

<https://newsela.com/read/shakespeare-unauthorized/id/22918/>

<https://newsela.com/read/lib-convo-poetic-meter/id/31063/>

<https://www.utsa.edu/ovations/vol8/story/shakespeare.html>

7. Meter/Rhythm

EQ: How did Shakespeare use meter and rhythm in his writing and what are some modern examples of poetry?

<https://newsela.com/read/lib-songs-teach-similes/id/37219/>

<https://newsela.com/read/lib-songs-teach-metaphors/id/36331/>

8. R&J around the world

EQ: How are these stories similar to *Romeo and Juliet*?

<https://www.readitforward.com/authors/kennedy-debutante-kerri-maher/>

<https://www.bbc.com/news/blogs-trending-25058575>

<https://www.cnn.com/2016/02/03/world/afghanistan-nordland-amanpour/index.html>

<https://www.nytimes.com/1994/05/08/opinion/in-america-romeo-and-juliet-in-bosnia.html>

9. Parenting

EQ: How does parenting and parent/child relationships affect children?

<https://newsela.com/read/teen-tracking/id/1682/>

<https://newsela.com/read/harsh-parents/id/2198/>