

Checklist for Educators

First 30 to 60 Days

- Register for an educator account or log in to see what's new.
- Create classes and add your students, with Newsela or through your district's chosen integrations, like [Google](#), [Clever](#), [Schoology](#), or [Canvas](#).
- Find relevant content for your classroom using search or browse.
- Save the content and instructional resources that align to your instructional priorities and standards.
- Plan for how Newsela fits into your units and your instructional model: [in-person](#), [hybrid](#), or [entirely online](#).
- [Assign](#) an article or text set to your class, including instructions for which activities you'd like students to complete during and after reading.

Middle of the Year

- Want to be a Newsela leader? Start the [Newsela Certified Educator](#) course.
- Leverage our [distance learning resources and lesson sparks](#) to shift instruction in-person or distance learning.
- Monitor student work and engagement by checking your [Binder](#).
- Check out the [Educator Center](#) for professional learning webinars or our Community to collaborate with other educators.
- Conference with your students about their reading successes and set goals for growth.
- Share insights about student reading with administrators and caregivers throughout the year.

End of the Year

- Celebrate student reading by awarding students who became experts in a topic or improved volume of text read.
- Plan for next school year using the [Newsela resources](#) you've curated this year. Remember to check back for new articles, since they're added daily.
- [Archive your classroom](#) to prepare for the upcoming school year.
- Maintain student engagement throughout the summer by sharing Newsela texts before the end of the year.

