**RASG HEBREW ACADEMY 8TH GRADE SUMMER** **READING ASSIGNMENT**

**All incoming 8th grade Accelerated English students are required to read the following two books.**

***The Chosen*- Chaim Potok**

***The Revealers -* Doug Wilhelm**

WRITTEN ASSIGNMENT

For **either** *The Chosen* or *The Revealers*, write a five-paragraph essay addressing **one theme** developed in the novel. Be sure to have a strong thesis in which you introduce the theme and then 3 strong body paragraphs in which you support the development of the theme. You need a solid conclusion as well.

YOU MUST PAY ATTENTION TO PROPER MECHANICS (spelling, capitalization, punctuation). REMEMBER the four elements of strong writing- FODS- Focus, Organization, Development, Style.

This assignment must be completed by the first day of school so that you can submit them to Google Classroom when you START 8th Grade. You will be discussing your summer reading books during the first weeks of school and will have multiple assignments covering the material.