**Race to Reach the South Pole: Scott vs. Amundsen** *Ready Instruction, page 22, AIS 7*

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 South Pole Scott Amundsen

1. Using context clues, define the following:

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| confident | adjective |  |
| recruit | verb |  |
| veteran | adjective  |  |
| unsettling | adjective |  |
| disillusioned | adjective |  |

1. Using the chart, convert the temperatures from Fahrenheit to Celsius:

212ᵒF = \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ᵒC

 68ᵒF = \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ᵒC

32ᵒF = \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ᵒC

 -4ᵒF = \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ᵒC

-40ᵒF = \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ᵒC

1. Record your observations about how each explorer prepared for this journey:

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| Scott | Amundsen |
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1. After taking notes in your book, write a short response explaining why Amundsen succeeded. Begin with a thesis or topic sentence. Be sure to include at least three detailed sentences with textual evidence to support your thesis.

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Watch 2 minute Photostory project on the race to the South Pole. <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1ozVa4oELIA>

Watch 2 minute reenactment of a challenge faced by Amundson’s team <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=p3QHIBDOcwU>

**Enrichment Activity for Reading Rewards:**

Watch a 10 minute video on Amundson’s journey. Write at least one paragraph about it. Remember, a paragraph must including a topic sentence (in the introduction it is the thesis statement) and three detailed supporting sentences.

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kW5p7ANwAU4>