Silent Conversation/ Written Conversation:

Read the quote and reflect below.
What does it mean to you?



"The single story creates stereotypes, and the problem with stereotypes is not that they are untrue, but that they are incomplete. They make one story become the only story."

-Chimamanda Adichie

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READER PROFILES

Identity	Choice Texts (I wanted to read)	Obligation Texts- Personal (I felt obligated to read)	Obligation Texts- Others (Someone else obligated me to read; assigned; required)

LITERACY PROFILES: Expanding our identity to include writing and listening. Choose one identity above to extend.

Identity	Writing	Listening

Adapted from Doug Buehl's Developing Readers in the Academic Disciplines (p.15-16)

Towers of Literacy: Step 1

Personal Disciplinary Literacy Profile: Which disciplines are you most confident and accomplished in as a reader, and which are you least? Place an **x** in the corresponding boxes.

	Literary Fiction	Math	Physical Science (physics, chemistry, earth science)	Life Science (biology, zoology, botany)	History	Social Studies	Technical (computers or technology)	Health & Fitness	Humanities (art, music, foreign language)
Highly Confident									
Generally Competent									
Can Get By									
Sometimes Struggles									
Often Struggles									
Avoids at All Costs									

Towers of Disciplinary Literacy Think-Pair-Share Reflection Guide

hat conclusions can you draw based on where you marked those Xs?	
nink about how you perceived your competence in each discipline?	
hat impacted where you put that X?	
nink about your students. What is going to impact their Xs on this chart and where they el their strengths lie in the disciplines.	
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