

MDUSD Supplementary Literature and Nonfiction Reading with Categories

Grade 6

~~2022-23~~

2023-24

The list below is a comprehensive list of reviewed and approved titles. The list will be updated as the new titles gain approval and are added to the list or as titles are removed through the revision process. **The goal of these lists are to provide a balance of perspectives and narratives that reflect the diversity of our MDUSD educational community.**

~~Year One Guidance:~~ During the ~~2022-23~~ school year, Teachers are ~~strongly encouraged to~~ **shall** select at minimum one title from Categories **1, 2 or and 3** for teaching purposes. Teachers may select books beyond the minimum requirement from any listed category.

~~Year Two:~~ The Supplemental Reading Materials Revision Committee will meet **yearly to keep the list and guidance updated. Communication will be sent out to ELA department chairs for distribution as needed throughout the year.**

**Items/titles listed in color are new and are being proposed as additions for potential board approval. Titles in black were last reviewed and approved in 2010.*

Category 1 Representative of traditional canonical, traditionally dominant, and/or long established narratives	Category 2 Representative of female gender diversity, gender diversity, specifically female and LGBTQAI+ authors/ female perspectives	Category 3 Representative of multicultural and diverse authors/ experiences
Adventures of Ulysses Lightning Thief, The Ms. Bixby's Last Day Boy of the Painted Cave Hatchet Detectives in Togas The Lion, The Witch, and the Wardrobe Mrs. Frisby and the Rats of NIMH The Janitor's Boy Wringer Hoot Maniac Magee	Dreamer, The Fever 1793 From the Desk of Zoe Washington Home of the Brave Pax Walk Two Moons Same Sun Here Homeless Bird by Gloria Whelan The View From Saturday Ghosts	Best at It, The Bud, Not Buddy Dreamer, The First Rule of Punk, The From the Desk of Zoe Washington Long Walk to Water, A Seedfolks Taking Sides Harbor Me Same Sun Here Ghost

<p>Island Kensuke's Kingdom Everest Book 1: The Contest Peak Where the Red Fern Grows The Misfits Tuck Everlasting A Wrinkle in Time Henry Huggins From the Mixed-Up Files of Mrs. Basil E. Frankweiler My Side of the Mountain Holes The Jacket The Warden's Daughter Star Girl</p>	<p>Al Capone Does My Shirts On My Honor A Place in the Sun Maroo of the Winter Caves The Giver One for the Murphys The Lions of Little Rock The Hundred Dresses Raymie Nightingale Rules Every Soul a Star The Witch Boy A Boy Called Bat The Tale of Despereaux The Westing Game On My Honor Attack of the Black Rectangles</p>	<p>As Brave as You New Kid Class Act The Watsons Go To Birmingham The Mighty Miss Malone The Circuit Ghost Boys Save Me a Seat Amina's Voice One Crazy Summer Inside Out and Back Again Out of My Mind Number the Stars Garvey's Choice The Gift Giver Wonder</p>
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