

## **Literature and Language Arts**

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# LITERATURE AND LANGUAGE ARTS

## Curriculum Materials Center

This is a selected list of curriculum materials that can be used for teaching literature and language arts in the K-12 classroom. Internet resources can be found at the Education and Curriculum Resource webpage, <http://www.wpunj.edu/library/currmats>

### Textbooks

*Prentice Hall literature.* (2005). Englewood, NJ: Prentice-Hall.

**Call Number: Curr.Mats. Text 800 Pre 2005 Gr. 6-12**

*Prentice Hall writing and grammar: Communication in action.* (2004). Upper Saddle River, NJ: Prentice-Hall.

**Call Number: Curr.Mats. Text 420 Pre 2004 Gr. 6-12**

*Scholastic spelling.* (1998). New York: Scholastic.

**Call Number: Curr.Mats. Text 421 Sch 1998 Gr. 1-6**

*Signatures.* (1999). Orlando, FL: Harcourt Brace.

**Call Number: Curr.Mats. Text 428.6 Har 1999 Gr. K-6**

### Teacher Resources, Grades K-12

Allen, H. L. (1999). *Reading skills competency tests: Competency tests for basic reading skills.* West Nyack, NY: Center for Applied Research in Education.

**Call Number: Curr.Mats. LB1050.75 .R43 A45 1999 Vols. 1-8**

Bear, D. R. (2000). *Words their way: Word study for phonics, vocabulary, and spelling instruction.* Upper Saddle River, NJ: Merrill.

**Call Number: Curr.Mats. LB1050.44 .B43 2000**

Brandvik, M. L. (1994). *English teacher's survival guide: Ready-to-use techniques & materials for grades 7-12.* West Nyack, NY: Center for Applied Research in Education.

**Call Number: Curr.Mats. LB1631 .B762 1994**

Frank, C. B. (2006). *Applications of reading strategies within the classroom: Explanations, models, and teacher templates for content areas in grades 3-12.* Boston: Pearson Allyn and Bacon.

**Call Number: Curr.Mats. LB1050.455 .F72 2006**

- Fry, E. B. (2001). *Dr. Fry's informal reading assessment, K-8: Highly effective for measuring progress, planning instruction, determining areas of difficulty*. Westminster, CA: Teacher Created Materials.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. LB1050.46 .F878 2001**
- Goodman, Y. M. (1996). *Reading strategies: Focus on comprehension*. Katonah, NY: R.C. Owen Publishers.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. LB1050.45 .G66 1996**
- Gorman, M. (2003). *Getting graphic: Using graphic novels to promote literacy with preteens and teens*. Worthington, OH: Linworth Pub.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. PN6710 .G68 2003**
- Hall, S. (1990). *Using picture storybooks to teach literary devices: Recommended books for children and young adults*. Phoenix, AZ: Oryx Press.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. Z1037 .H23 1990 Vols. 1-2**
- Knowles, E. & Smith, M. (1997). *The reading connection: Bringing parents, teachers, and librarians together*. Englewood, CO: Libraries Unlimited.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. LB1050.2 .K66 1997**
- Newman, M. D. (2004). *CyberLit: Online connections to children's literature for the primary grades*. Lanham, MD: Scarecrow Press.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. Z1037 .N47 2004**
- Pearson, M. B. (2005). *Big ideas in small packages: Using picture books with older readers*. Worthington, OH: Linworth Pub.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. Z1037 .A1 P39 2005**
- Stephens, C.C. (2000). *Coretta Scott King Award books: Using great literature with children and young adults*. Englewood, CO: Libraries Unlimited.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. PS153 .N5 S74 2000**
- Walker, C. (2004). *Teaching reading strategies in the school library*. Westport, CT: Libraries Unlimited.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. Z675 .S3 W193 2004**

## **Activity Books, Grades PreK-3**

- Beaty, J. (1997). *Building bridges with multicultural picture books: For children 3-5*. Upper Saddle River, NJ: Merrill.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. LC1099 .B43 1997**
- Butzow, C. M. (2000). *Science through children's literature: An integrated approach*. Englewood, CO: Teacher Ideas Press.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. LB1585 .B85 2000**
- Campbell, D. (2000). *Word walls activities*. Westminster, CA: Teacher Created Materials.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. LB1576 .C314 2000**
- Davis, R. W. (1999). *Big books for little readers*. Lanham, MD: Scarecrow Press.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. Z688 .B52 D38 1999**
- Evans, C. W. (2001). *Math links: Teaching the NCTM 2000 standards through children's literature*. Englewood, CO: Teacher Ideas Press.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. QA135.6 .E84 2001**
- Liatsos, S. (1995). *Poems to count on: 32 terrific poems and activities to help teach math concepts*. New York: Scholastic.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. QA135.5 .L53 1995**
- Moomaw, S. (2001). *More than letters: Literacy activities for preschool, kindergarten, and first grade*. St. Paul, MN: Redleaf Press.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. LB1139.5 .L35 M66 2001**
- Nelsen, M. R. (1999). *Peak with books: An early childhood resource for balanced literacy*. Thousand Oaks, CA: Corwin Press.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. Z1037 .A1 N347 1999**
- Raines, S. (1992). *Story stretchers for the primary grades: Activities to expand children's favorite books*. Mt. Ranier, MD: Gryphon House.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. LB1527 .R35 1992**
- Wagstaff, J. M. (1994). *Phonics that work!: New strategies for the reading/writing classroom*. New York: Scholastic.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. LB1573.3 .W35 1994**
- Zgone, Y. (2000). *Sounds in action: Phonological awareness activities and assessments*.

Peterborough, NH: Crystal Springs Books.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. LB1576 .Z566 2000**

## **Activity Books, Grades K-6**

Beeghly, D. G. (2002). *Litlinks: Activities for connected learning in elementary classrooms*. Boston: McGraw Hill.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. PN1008.8 .B4 2002**

Bromley, K. D. (1996). *Webbing with literature: Creating story maps with children's books*. Boston: Allyn and Bacon.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. LB1575 .B73 1996**

Butzow, C. M. (2005). *The American hero in children's literature: A standards-based approach*. Westport, CT: Teacher Ideas Press.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. PS490 .B87 2005**

Butzow, C. M. (2002). *The world of work through children's literature: An integrated approach*. Greenwood Village, CO: Teacher Ideas Press.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. LC1037.5 .B88 2002**

Calkins, L. (2002). *A field guide to the classroom library*. Portsmouth, NH: Heineman.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. LB1573 .C183 2002 Vols. A-G**

Considine, D.M. (1994). *Imagine that: Developing critical thinking and critical viewing through children's literature*. Englewood, CO: Teacher Ideas Press.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. PN1009 .A1 C647 1994**

Englebaugh, D. (2003). *Integrating art and language arts through children's literature*. Westport, CT: Teacher Ideas Press.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. N362 .E542 2003**

Fiderer, A. (1999). *40 rubrics & checklists: To assess reading and writing*. New York: Scholastic Professional Books.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. LB1576 .F5 1999**

Fiedt, I. M. (2002). *Tiger lilies, toadstools, and thunderbolts: Engaging K-8 students with poetry*. Newark, DE: International Reading Association.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. LB1575 .T54 2002**

Fredericks, A. D. (2000). *More social studies through children's literature: An integrated*

- approach.*** Englewood, CO: Teacher Ideas Press.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. LB1584 .F659 2000**
- Glandon, S. (2000). *Caldecott connections to science.* Englewood, CO: Libraries Unlimited.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. LB1585.3 .G53 2000**
- Glandon, S. (2000). *Caldecott connections to social studies.*  
 Englewood, CO: Libraries Unlimited.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. LB1584 .G48 2000**
- Heilman, A. W. (2006). *Phonics in proper perspective.* Upper Saddle River, NJ:  
 Pearson/Merrill/Prentice Hall.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. LB1573.3 .H44 2006**
- Hornburg, V. Z. (2005). *On the wing of a whitebird: A Tomie DePaola resource book.*  
 Westport, CT: Teacher Ideas Press.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. PS3554 .E11474 Z57 2005**
- Huber, M. C. (2001). *Literature circles: Using student interaction to improve reading comprehension.* Huntington Beach, CA: Creative Teaching Press.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. LB1573.7 .H82 2001**
- Jacobson, J. (1999). *The big book of reproducible graphic organizers: 50 great templates to help kids get more out of reading, writing, social studies and more.* New York: Scholastic Professional Books.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. LB1576 .J3 1999**
- Jonson, K. F. (2006). *60 strategies for improving reading comprehension in grades K-8.* Thousand Oaks, CA: Corwin Press.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. LB1573.7 .J66 2006**
- Miller, W.H. (1997). *Reading & writing remediation kit: Ready-to-use strategies & activities to build content reading & writing.*  
 Englewood Cliffs, NJ: Center for Applied Research in Education.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. LB1576 .M52 1997**
- Norton, D. E. (2003). *Language arts activities for children.*  
 Upper Saddle River, NJ: Prentice Hall.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. LB1576 .N844 2003**
- Pavelka, P. (1995, 1997). *Making the connection: Learning skills through literature.*

Peterborough, NH: Crystal Springs Books.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. LB1573.33 .P38 1995 (K-2)**  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. LB1573.33 .P38 1997 (3-6)**

Perry, P. J. (1998). *Exploring the world of sports: Linking fiction to nonfiction*.  
 Phoenix, AZ: Oryx Press.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. LB1575 .P467 1998**

Petovello, L. R. (1994). *The spirit that moves us: A literature-based resource guide on teaching about the Holocaust and human rights*.  
 Palermo, ME: Holocaust Human Rights Center of Maine.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. D804.33 .P47 1994 Vol. 1 (K-4)**  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. D804.33 .P47 1994 Vol. 2 (5-8)**

Potts, C. (1997). *Poetry time with Dr. Seuss rhyme*. Fort Atkinson, WI: Alleyside Press.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. LB1576 .P684 1997**

Roberts, P. (1998). *Multicultural friendship stories and activities for children ages 5-14*.  
 Lanham, MD: Scarecrow Press.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. LC1099 .R623 1998**

Waring, C.C. (1995). *Developing independent readers: Strategy-oriented reading activities for learners with special needs*. Nyack, NY: Center for Applied Research in Education.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. LB1050.5 .W37 1995**

Whitin D. J. (2004). *New visions for linking literature and mathematics*. Urbana, IL: National Council of Teachers of English; Reston, VA: National Council for Teachers of Mathematics.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. QA153.6 .W49 2004**

Yopp, H. K. (2006). *Literature-based reading activities*. Boston: Allyn and Bacon.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. LB1573 .Y67 2006**

## **Activity Books, Grades 4-8**

Butzow, C. M. (2000). *Science through children's literature: An integrated approach*.  
 (2<sup>nd</sup> ed.) Englewood, CO: Teacher Ideas Press.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. LB1585 .B85 2000**

Keane, N. J. (2002). *Teaching social studies through literature, grades 6-8*. Worthington, OH: Linworth Learning.

**Call Number: Curr.Mats. LB1575 .K43 2002**

Krieger, E. (1997). *Developing reading and writing through author awareness: Grades 4-8*. Boston: Allyn and Bacon.

**Call Number: Curr.Mats. LB1575 .K75 1997**

Polette, N. (2002). *Literature lures: Using picture books and novels to motivate middle school readers*. Greenwood Village, CO: Teacher Ideas Press.

**Call Number: Curr.Mats. LB2575 .P65 2002**

Roberts, P. (1997). *Literature-based history activities for children, grades 4-8*. Boston: Allyn and Bacon.

**Call Number: Curr.Mats LB1582 .U6 R63 1997**

## **Activity Books, Grades 7-12**

Campbell, H. (1997). *Teaching language arts with the Internet: Internet lesson plans and classroom activities*. Lancaster, PA: Classroom Connect.

**Call Number: Curr.Mats. LB1576.7 .C36 1997**

Devos, G. (1996). *Tales, rumors, and gossip: Exploring contemporary folk literature in grades 7-12*. Englewood, CO: Libraries Unlimited.

**Call Number: Curr.Mats. GR105.3 .D4 1996**

McCarthy, T. (1999). *Teaching the stories and poems of Edgar Allan Poe*. New York: Scholastic.

**Call Number: Curr.Mats. PS2605 .M3 1999**

McTavish, S. (2001). *Ready, set, English!: 225 ready-to-use starter activities for grades 6-12*. Paramus, NJ: Center for Applied Research in Education.

**Call Number: Curr.Mats. LB1631 .M396 2001**

Means, B. (1998). *Teaching writing in middle school: Tips, tricks, and techniques*. Englewood, CO: Teacher Ideas Press.

**Call Number: Curr.Mats. LB1631 .M399 1998**

Muschla, G. R. (1994). *English teacher's great books activities kit: 60 ready-to-use packets featuring classic, popular, and current literature*. West Nyack, NY: Center for Applied Research in Education.

**Call Number: Curr.Mats. PR35 .M87 1994**

Pike-Baky, M. (2005). *Prompted to write: Building on-demand writing skills, grades 6-12*. San Francisco: Jossey-Bass.

**Call Number: Curr.Mats. LB1631 .P55 2005**

Shipley, R. G. (1995). *Teaching guides for 50 young adult novels*. New York: Neal-Schuman Publishers.

**Call Number: Curr.Mats. PS374 .Y6 S55 1995**

*Teaching literature in middle school: Fiction*. (1996). Urbana, IL: National Council of Teachers of English.

**Call Number: Curr.Mats. PN59 .T43 1996**

Worthington, J. E. (2000). *More novels and plays: Thirty creative teaching guides for grades 6-12*. Englewood, CO: Teacher Ideas Press.

**Call Number: Curr.Mats. PS41 .W67 2000**

## **Reference and Selection Aids** (Available in CMC Reference Room).

Children's Book Council. (1996). *Children's books. Awards and prizes*. (10<sup>th</sup> ed.). New York: Children's Book Council.

**Call Number: Curr.Mats. Ref. PN1009 .A1 C49 1996**

Freeman, J. (1995). *More books kids will sit still for: A read aloud guide*. New York: Bowker.

**Call Number: Curr.Mats. Ref. Z1047 .F848 1995**

Gillespie, J. T. (2002). *Best books for children: Preschool through grade 6*. (7<sup>th</sup> ed.). Westport, CT: Greenwood.

**Call Number: Curr.Mats. Ref. Z1037 .G48 2002**

Gillespie, J. T. (Ed.). (2000). *Best books for young teen readers, grades 7 to 10*. New Providence, NJ: R.R. Bowker.

**Call Number: Curr.Mats. Ref. Z1037 .B55 2000**

Huck, C. S. (2001). *Children's literature in the elementary school*. (7<sup>th</sup> ed.). Madison, WI: Brown and Benchmark.

**Call Number: Curr.Mats. Ref. LB1575.5 .U5 H79 2001**

- LiBretto, E. V. (2002). *High/low handbook: Best books and web sites for reluctant teen readers*. (4<sup>th</sup> ed.). Westport, CT: Libraries Unlimited.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. Ref. Z1033 .H53 L53 2002**
- Lima, C. (2001). *A to Zoo: Subject access to children's picture books*. (6<sup>th</sup> ed.). Westport, CT: Greenwood.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. Ref. Z1037 .L715. 2001**
- Nilsen, A. P. (2001). *Literature for today's young adults*. (6th ed.). New York: Longman.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. Ref. Z1037 .A1 D578 2001**
- Samuels, B. & Beers, G. K. (Eds.). (1996). *Your reading: An annotated booklist for middle school and junior high*. Urbana, IL: National Council of Teachers of English.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. Ref. Z1037 .Y68 1996**
- Smith, H. M. (Ed.). (2004). *Coretta Scott King Awards*. Worthington, OH: Linworth Pub.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. Ref. Z1037 .A2 C67 2004**
- Something about the author*. (1971 -). Detroit, MI: Gale Research.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. Ref. PN451 .S6 Vols. 1 –**
- Stan, S. (2002). *The world through children's books*. Lanham, MD: Scarecrow Press.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. Ref. Z1037 .W954 2002**
- Thomas, R. L. (2004). *Popular series fiction for K-6 readers: A reading and selection guide*. Westport, CT: Libraries Unlimited.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. Ref. Z1037 .T4654 2004**
- Thomas, R. L. (2005). *Popular series fiction for middle school and teen readers: A reading and selection guide*. Westport, CT: Libraries Unlimited.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. Ref. Z1037 .T4655 2005**
- Zarian, B. B. (2004). *Around the world with historical fiction and folktales: Highly recommended and award-winning books, grades K-8*. Lanham, MD: Scarecrow Press.  
**Call Number: Curr.Mats. Ref. Z1037 .A2 Z37 2004**

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