

6–8 RECOMMENDED TEXTS & OTHER RESOURCES (SECOND EDITION)

Grade 6

Grade	Module	Title	Author (Last Name, First Name)	Publisher	ISBN or UPC	Text Type	Lexile®	Pub Date
6	1	<i>The Monsters and Creatures of Greek Mythology</i>	Nardo, Don	Capstone	9780756544812	Literary	970	2011
6	1	<i>The Heroes and Mortals of Greek Mythology</i>	Nardo, Don	Capstone	9780756544805	Literary	990	2011
6	1	<i>Percy Jackson’s Greek Gods</i>	Riordan, Rick	Disney Press	9781484712375	Literary	790	2014
6	1	<i>Percy Jackson’s Greek Heroes</i>	Riordan, Rick	Disney Press	9781484776438	Literary	710	2015
6	1	<i>Poseidon: Earth Shaker</i>	O’Connor, George	First Second	9781596437388	Literary	800	2013
6	1	<i>Zeus, King of the Gods</i>	O’Connor, George	First Second	9781596434318	Literary	640	2010
6	1	<i>Artemis: Wild Goddess of the Hunt</i>	O’Connor, George	First Second	9781626725225	Literary		2017
6	1	<i>Athena: Grey-Eyed Goddess</i>	O’Connor, George	First Second	9781596434325	Literary	GN720	2010
6	1	<i>Apollo: The Brilliant One</i>	O’Connor, George	First Second	9781626720152	Literary		2016
6	1	<i>Mythology: Timeless Tales of Gods and Heroes</i>	Hamilton, Edith	Grand Central	9780446574754	Literary	1040	2011
6	1	<i>The Beautiful Stories of Life: Six Greek Myths, Retold</i>	Rylant, Cynthia	Houghton Mifflin Harcourt	9780152061845	Literary	890	2009
6	1	<i>Hercules: The Twelve Labors</i>	Storrie, Paul D.	Lerner	9780822564850	Literary	GN540L	2007
6	1	<i>Odysseus: Escaping Poseidon’s Curse</i>	Jolley, Dan	Lerner	9780822585152	Literary	GN640L	2008
6	1	<i>The McElderry Book of Greek Myths</i>	Kimmel, Eric A.	McElderry Books	9781416915348	Literary		2008
6	1	<i>Treasury of Greek Mythology: Classic Stories of Gods, Goddesses, Heroes, & Monsters</i>	Napoli, Donna Jo	National Geographic	9781426308444	Literary	860	2011
6	1	<i>Beast Keeper #1 (Beasts of Olympus)</i>	Coats, Lucy	Penguin Young Readers	9780448461939	Literary	840	2015
6	1	<i>Echo Echo: Verso Poems about Greek Myths</i>	Singer, Marilyn	Penguin Young Readers	9780803739925	Poetry	670	2016

Grade	Module	Title	Author (Last Name, First Name)	Publisher	ISBN or UPC	Text Type	Lexile®	Pub Date
6	1	<i>The Wanderings of Odysseus: The Story of the Odyssey</i>	Sutcliff, Rosemary	Random House Children's	9780553494822	Literary	1220	2005
6	1	<i>Greek Gods and Heroes</i>	Graves, Robert	Random House Children's	9780440932215	Literary	990	1960
6	1	<i>Heroes, Gods, and Monsters of the Greek Myths</i>	Evslin, Bernard	Random House Children's	9780553259209	Literary	800	1966
6	1	<i>D'Aulaires Book of Greek Myths</i>	D'Aulaire, Ingri and Edgar Parin D'Aulaire	Random House Children's	9780440406945	Literary	1070	1962
6	1	<i>Who Let the Gods Out?</i>	Evans, Maz	Scholastic	9781338065565	Literary		2017
6	1	<i>Have a Hot Time, Hades!</i>	McMullan, Kate	Stone Arch Books	9781434234377	Literary	610	2002
6	1	<i>Mythologica: An Encyclopedia of Gods, Monsters and Mortals from Ancient Greece</i>	Kershaw, Stephen P.	Wide Eyed Editions	9781786031938	Literary		2019
6	2	<i>Wind Energy</i>	Higgins, Melissa	ABDO Publishing	9781617834691	Informational	1250	2013
6	2	<i>Hedy Lamarr and a Secret Communication System</i>	Robbins, Trina	Capstone	9780736896412	Informational	GN660	2006
6	2	<i>The Wind at Work: An Activity Guide to Windmills (Second Edition)</i>	Woelfle, Gretchen	Chicago Review Press	9781613741009	Informational	1030	2013
6	2	<i>Inventions: A Visual Encyclopedia</i>	DK Publishing	DK Publishing	9781465458384	Informational		2018
6	2	<i>Wind Power: 20 Projects to Make with Paper</i>	Dobson, Clive	Firefly Books	9781554077496	Informational		2010
6	2	<i>The Electric War: Edison, Tesla, Westinghouse, and the Race to Light the World</i>	Winchell, Mike	Henry Holt	9781250120168	Informational		2019
6	2	<i>The Wright Brothers: How They Invented the Airplane</i>	Freedman, Russell	Holiday House	9780823410828	Informational	1160	1991
6	2	<i>Black Pioneers of Science and Invention</i>	Haber, Louis	Houghton Mifflin Harcourt	9780152085667	Informational	1230	1992
6	2	<i>The Way Things Work Now</i>	Macaulay, David	Houghton Mifflin Harcourt	9780544824386	Informational		2016

Grade	Module	Title	Author (Last Name, First Name)	Publisher	ISBN or UPC	Text Type	Lexile®	Pub Date
6	2	<i>Girls Think of Everything: Stories of Ingenious Inventions by Women</i>	Thimmesh, Catherine	Houghton Mifflin Harcourt	9781328772534	Informational		2018
6	2	<i>Temple Grandin: How the Girl Who Loved Cows Embraced Autism and Changed the World</i>	Montgomery, Sy	Houghton Mifflin Harcourt	9780544339095	Informational	960	2012
6	2	<i>Engineered!: Engineering Design at Work</i>	Hunt, Shannon	Kids Can Press	9781771385602	Informational	1110	2017
6	2	<i>The Story of Car Engineer Soichiro Honda</i>	Weston, Mark	Lee & Low	9781620147900	Informational		2018
6	2	<i>The Unstoppable Garrett Morgan: Inventor, Entrepreneur, Hero</i>	DiCicco, Joan	Lee & Low	9781620145647	Literary	980	2019
6	2	<i>Super Soaker Inventor Lonnie Johnson</i>	Schwartz, Heather E.	Lerner	9781512456325	Informational	780	2017
6	2	<i>The Kid Who Invented the Popsicle, and Other Surprising Stories about Inventions</i>	Wulfson, Don L.	Penguin Young Readers	9780141302041	Informational	1070	1999
6	2	<i>Calling All Minds: How to Think and Create Like an Inventor</i>	Grandin, Temple	Penguin Young Readers	9781524738228	Informational	1060	2018
6	2	<i>Mistakes That Worked: The World's Familiar Inventions and How They Came to Be</i>	Jones, Charlotte Foltz	Random House Children's	9780399552021	Informational	1040	2016
6	2	<i>The Fourteenth Goldfish</i>	Holm, Jennifer L.	Random House Children's	9780375871146	Literary	550	2016
6	2	<i>The Boy Who Invented TV: The Story of Philo Farnsworth</i>	Krull, Kathleen	Random House Children's	9780385755573	Informational	860	2009
6	2	<i>Steve Jobs: The Man Who Thought Different</i>	Blumenthal, Karen	Square Fish	9781250014450	Informational	1110	2012
6	2	<i>Brainstorm!: The Stories of Twenty American Kid Inventors</i>	Tucker, Tom	Square Fish	9780374409289	Informational	1070	1998
6	2	<i>Energy Island: How One Community Harnessed the Wind and Changed Their World</i>	Drummond, Allan	Square Fish	9781250056764	Informational	770L	2015
6	2	<i>Inventors, Makers, Barrier Breakers</i>	Noyce, Pendred	Tumblehome Learning	9781943431434	Informational	1030	2018

Grade	Module	Title	Author (Last Name, First Name)	Publisher	ISBN or UPC	Text Type	Lexile®	Pub Date
6	2	<i>Black Stars: African American Women Scientists and Inventors</i>	Sullivan, Otha Richard	Wiley	9781118466391	Informational		2012
6	3	<i>Native Elders: Sharing Their Wisdom (Native Trailblazers)</i>	Sigafus, Kim	7th Generation	9780977918362	Informational	1050	2014
6	3	<i>My Name Is Not Easy</i>	Edwardson, Debby Dahl	Amazon Publishing	9781477816295	Literary		2011
6	3	<i>Fatty Legs</i>	Jordan-Fenton, Christy and Margaret Pokiak- Fenton	Annick Press	9781773213507	Informational		2010
6	3	<i>Dreaming in Indian: Contemporary Native American Voices</i>	Charleyboy, Lisa and Mary Beth Leatherdale (Editors)	Annick Press	9781554516865	Informational	1040	2016
6	3	<i>Urban Tribes: Native Americans in the City</i>	Charleyboy, Lisa and Mary Beth Leatherdale (Editors)	Annick Press	9781554517503	Informational		2015
6	3	<i>When I Was Eight</i>	Jordan-Fenton, Christy and Margaret Pokiak- Fenton	Annick Press	9781554514908	Informational		2013
6	3	<i>A Stranger at Home: A True Story</i>	Jordan-Fenton, Christy and Margaret Pokiak- Fenton	Annick Press	9781554513611	Informational		2011
6	3	<i>An Indigenous Peoples' History of the United States for Young People</i>	Dunbar-Ortiz, Roxanne, adapted by Jean Mendoza and Debbie Reese	Beacon Press	9780807049396	Informational		2019
6	3	<i>Black Elk Speaks (Theatrical Adaptation)</i>	Black Elk, John G. Neihardt	Dramatic Publishing	9780871296153	Literary		1996
6	3	<i>Toronto at Dreamer's Rock: Education Is Our Right; Two One-Act Plays</i>	Taylor, Drew Hayden	Fitzhenry & Whiteside	9781897252703	Literary		2012

Grade	Module	Title	Author (Last Name, First Name)	Publisher	ISBN or UPC	Text Type	Lexile®	Pub Date
6	3	<i>Shi-shi-etko</i>	Campbell, Nicola I.	Groundwood Books	9780888996596	Literary	860	2005
6	3	<i>Shin-chi's Canoe</i>	Campbell, Nicola I.	Groundwood Books	9780888998576	Literary	810	2008
6	3	<i>My Name Is Seepetza</i>	Sterling, Shirley	Groundwood Books	9780888991652	Literary	720	1998
6	3	<i>Bowman's Store: A Journey to Myself</i>	Bruchac, Joseph	Lee & Low	9781584300274	Literary		2001
6	3	<i>Rattlesnake Mesa: Stories from a Native American Childhood</i>	Weber, EdNah New Rider	Lee & Low	9781600608742	Literary	760	2004
6	3	<i>Indian No More</i>	McManis, Charlene Willing and Traci Sorrell	Lee & Low	9781620148396	Literary		2019
6	3	<i>The People Shall Continue</i>	Ortiz, Simon J.	Lee & Low	9780892391257	Informational	660	2017
6	3	<i>Everything You Wanted to Know about Indians but Were Afraid to Ask</i>	Treuer, Anton	Minnesota Historical Society Press	9780873518611	Informational		2012
6	3	<i>Jim Thorpe: Original All-American</i>	Bruchac, Joseph	Penguin Young Readers	9780142412336	Informational	950	2008
6	3	<i>Sweetgrass Basket</i>	Carvell, Marlene	Penguin Young Readers	9780525475477	Poetry	1000	2005
6	3	<i>If I Ever Get Out of Here</i>	Gansworth, Eric L.	Scholastic	9780545417310	Literary	870	2015
6	3	<i>I Am Not a Number</i>	Dupuis, Jenny Kay and Kathy Kacer	Second Story	9781772600995	Literary	640	2016
6	3	<i>Do All Indians Live in Tipis?: Questions and Answers from the National Museum of the American Indian (Second Edition)</i>	National Museum of the American Indian	Smithsonian Books	9781588346193	Informational		2018
6	4	<i>Mae Carol Jemison: Astronaut and Educator (Women in Science)</i>	Ploscarieu, Iemima	ABDO Publishing	9781532110450	Informational		2017
6	4	<i>Rocket to the Moon!: Big Ideas That Changed the World #1</i>	Brown, Don	Abrams	9781419734045	Informational	940	2019
6	4	<i>T-Minus: The Race to the Moon</i>	Ottaviani, Jim	Aladdin	9781416949602	Informational		2009
6	4	<i>Reaching for the Moon: The Autobiography of NASA Mathematician Katherine Johnson</i>	Johnson, Katherine G.	Atheneum	9781534440838	Informational	1040	2019

Grade	Module	Title	Author (Last Name, First Name)	Publisher	ISBN or UPC	Text Type	Lexile®	Pub Date
6	4	<i>Almost Astronauts: 13 Women Who Dared to Dream</i>	Stone, Tanya Lee	Candlewick	9780763645021	Informational	980	2009
6	4	<i>Earthrise: My Adventures as an Apollo 14 Astronaut</i>	Mitchell, Edgar D.	Chicago Review Press	9781613749012	Informational	1120	2014
6	4	<i>Women in Space: 23 Stories of First Flights, Scientific Missions, and Gravity-Breaking Adventures</i>	Gibson, Karen Bush	Chicago Review Press	9781641603133	Informational	1080	2014
6	4	<i>Super Space Encyclopedia</i>	DK Publishing	DK Publishing	9781465481719	Informational		2019
6	4	<i>Above and Beyond: NASA's Journey to Tomorrow</i>	Rhuday-Perkovich, Olugbemisola	Feiwel & Friends	9781250308467	Informational	1190	2018
6	4	<i>Hidden No More: African American Women in STEM Careers</i>	Kennon, Caroline	Gale Group	9781534562950	Informational		2018
6	4	<i>Chasing Space (Young Readers' Edition)</i>	Melvin, Leland	HarperCollins	9780062665935	Informational		2018
6	4	<i>American Moonshot: John F. Kennedy and the Great Space Race (Young Readers' Edition)</i>	Brinkley, Douglas	HarperCollins	9780062660299	Informational		2019
6	4	<i>One Crazy Summer</i>	Williams-Garcia, Rita	HarperCollins	9780060760908	Literary	750	2011
6	4	<i>Path to the Stars: My Journey from Girl Scout to Rocket Scientist</i>	Acevedo, Sylvia	Houghton Mifflin Harcourt	9780358206934	Informational	960	2018
6	4	<i>Team Moon: How 400,000 People Landed Apollo 11 on the Moon</i>	Thimmesh, Catherine	Houghton Mifflin Harcourt	9780544582392	Informational		2015
6	4	<i>Astronaut Ellen Ochoa</i>	Schwartz, Heather E.	Lerner	9781512456271	Informational	840	2017
6	4	<i>Astrophysics for Young People in a Hurry</i>	Tyson, Neil deGrasse	Norton Young Readers	9780393356502	Informational		2019
6	4	<i>Countdown: 2979 Days to the Moon</i>	Slade, Suzanne	Peachtree	9781682630136	Poetry	940	2018
6	4	<i>Disaster Strikes!: The Most Dangerous Space Missions of All Time</i>	Kluger, Jeffrey	Penguin Young Readers	9781984812759	Informational	1190	2019
6	4	<i>To the Moon!: The True Story of the American Heroes on the Apollo 8 Spaceship</i>	Kluger, Jeffrey	Penguin Young Readers	9781524741037	Informational	1180	2018

Grade	Module	Title	Author (Last Name, First Name)	Publisher	ISBN or UPC	Text Type	Lexile®	Pub Date
6	4	<i>Endurance: My Year in Space and How I Got There</i> (Young Readers Edition)	Kelly, Scott	Random House Children's	9781524764272	Informational	1070	2018
6	4	<i>Destination Moon: The Remarkable and Improbable Voyage of Apollo 11</i>	Maurer, Richard	Roaring Brook Press	9781626727458	Informational		2019
6	4	<i>Eyes on the Stars</i> (animated StoryCorps reminiscence of astronaut Ronald McNair by his brother Carl)	StoryCorps; The Rauch Brothers, Directors	StoryCorps	https://storycorps.org/animation/eyes-on-the-stars/	Multimedia		2012
6	4	<i>The Race to Space</i>	Gifford, Clive	words & pictures	9781786038906	Informational		2019

6–8 RECOMMENDED TEXTS & OTHER RESOURCES (SECOND EDITION)

Grade 7

Grade	Module	Title	Author (Last Name, First Name)	Publisher	ISBN or UPC	Text Type	Lexile®	Pub Date
7	1	<i>The Good Braider</i>	Farish, Terry	Amazon Publishing	9781477816288	Literary		2014
7	1	<i>The Milk of Birds</i>	Whitman, Sylvia	Atheneum	9781442446830	Literary	780	2013
7	1	<i>Lost Girl Found</i>	Bassoff, Leah and Laura Deluca	Groundwood Books	9781773061955	Literary		2014
7	1	<i>How Dare the Sun Rise: Memoirs of a War Child</i>	Uwiringiyimana, Sandra and Abigail Pesta	HarperCollins	9780062470157	Informational		2018
7	1	<i>One Well: The Story of Water on Earth</i>	Strauss, Rochelle	Kids Can Press	9781553379546	Literary	960	2007
7	1	<i>Now Is the Time for Running</i>	Williams, Michael	Little, Brown Young Readers	9780316077880	Literary		2013
7	1	<i>The Red Pencil</i>	Pinkney, Andrea Davis	Little, Brown Young Readers	9780316247825	Literary	620	2014
7	1	<i>Lost Boy, Lost Girl: Escaping Civil War in Sudan</i>	Dau, John Bul	National Geographic	9781426307089	Informational	900	2010
7	1	<i>Outcasts United: The Story of a Refugee Soccer Team That Changed a Town (Young Readers Edition)</i>	St. John, Warren	Random House Children's	9780385741958	Informational	980	2012
7	1	<i>A Hare in the Elephant's Trunk</i>	Coates, Jan L.	Red Deer Press	9780889954519	Literary		2010
7	1	<i>Home of Brave</i>	Applegate, Katherine	Square Fish	9780312535636	Literary		2007
7	1	<i>Fierce and True: Plays for Teen Audiences</i>	Children's Theatre Company	University of Minnesota Press	9780816673117	Literary		2010
7	2	<i>Small Steps: The Year I Got Polio</i>	Kehret, Peg	Albert Whitman & Company	9780807574584	Informational		1996
7	2	<i>Deadly</i>	Chibbaro, Julie	Atheneum	9780689857386	Literary	930	2012
7	2	<i>When Plague Strikes: The Black Death, Smallpox, AIDS</i>	Giblin, James Cross	HarperCollins	9780064461955	Informational		1997

Grade	Module	Title	Author (Last Name, First Name)	Publisher	ISBN or UPC	Text Type	Lexile®	Pub Date
7	2	<i>Fatal Fever: Tracking Down Typhoid Mary</i>	Jarrow, Gail	Highlights Press	9781620915974	Informational	1010	2015
7	2	<i>Bubonic Panic: When Plague Invaded America</i>	Jarrow, Gail	Highlights Press	9781620917381	Informational		2016
7	2	<i>More Deadly Than War: The Hidden History of the Spanish Flu and the First World War</i>	Davis, Kenneth C.	Holt Young Readers	9781250145123	Informational	1170	2018
7	2	<i>An American Plague: The True and Terrifying Story of the Yellow Fever Epidemic of 1793</i>	Murphy, Jim	Houghton Mifflin Harcourt	9780395776087	Informational	1130	2003
7	2	<i>Fever Year: The Killer Flu of 1918</i>	Brown, Don	Houghton Mifflin Harcourt	9780544837409	Informational	1020	2019
7	2	<i>A Death-Struck Year</i>	Lucier, Makiia	Houghton Mifflin Harcourt	9780544541184	Literary		2014
7	2	<i>Secret of the Yellow Death: A True Story of Medical Sleuthing</i>	Jurmain, Suzanne	Houghton Mifflin Harcourt	9780547746241	Informational	1010	2013
7	2	<i>Invincible Microbe: Tuberculosis and the Never-Ending Search for a Cure</i>	Murphy, Jim and Alison Blank	Houghton Mifflin Harcourt	97805444455948	Informational		2015
7	2	<i>The Birchbark House</i>	Erdrich, Louise	Hyperion	9780786814541	Literary	970	2002
7	2	<i>The Ebola Epidemic: The Fight, The Future</i>	Goldsmith, Connie	Lerner	9781467792448	Informational	1160	2016
7	2	<i>Pandemic: How Climate, the Environment, and Superbugs Increase the Risk</i>	Goldsmith, Connie	Lerner	9781512452150	Informational		2018
7	2	<i>Epidemics and Pandemics: Real Tales of Deadly Diseases</i>	Cummings, Judy Dodge	Nomad Press	9781619306257	Informational	940	2018
7	2	<i>The Great Trouble: A Mystery of London, the Blue Death, and a Boy Called Eel</i>	Hopkinson, Deborah	Random House Children's	9780375843082	Literary	660	2015
7	2	<i>Very, Very, Very Dreadful: The Influenza Pandemic of 1918</i>	Marrin, Albert	Random House Children's	9781101931462	Informational	1040	2018

Grade	Module	Title	Author (Last Name, First Name)	Publisher	ISBN or UPC	Text Type	Lexile®	Pub Date
7	2	<i>Fever 1793</i>	Anderson, Laurie Halse	Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers	9780689848919	Literary		2002
7	3	<i>Augusta Savage: Sculptor of the Harlem Renaissance</i>	Etinde-Crompton, Charlotte	Enslow	9781978505360	Informational		2019
7	3	<i>The Great Migration: An American Story</i>	Lawrence, Jacob	HarperCollins	9780064434287	Informational	830	1995
7	3	<i>Finding Langston</i>	Cline-Ransome, Lesa	Holiday House	9780823445820	Literary	760	2018
7	3	<i>Jazz</i>	Myers, Walter Dean	Holiday House	9780823421732	Poetry		2008
7	3	<i>Zora!: The Life of Zora Neale Hurston</i>	Fradin, Dennis Brindell and Judith Bloom Fradin	Houghton Mifflin Harcourt	9780358097464	Informational		2019
7	3	<i>I See the Rhythm</i>	Igus, Toyomi	Lee & Low	9780892392124	Literary		1998
7	3	<i>Harlem Stomp!: A Cultural History of the Harlem Renaissance</i>	Hill, Laban Carrick	Little, Brown Young Readers	9780316034241	Informational	1270	2009
7	3	<i>The Harlem Renaissance: An African American Cultural Movement</i>	Orr, Tamara B.	Lucent Books	9781534564237	Informational		2018
7	3	<i>The Portable Harlem Renaissance Reader</i>	Lewis, David Levering	Penguin	9780140170368	Informational		1995
7	3	<i>Langston Hughes (Poetry for Young People)</i>	Roessel, David and Andrew Rampersad (Eds.)	Sterling	9781454903284	Poetry		2013
7	3	<i>Black Stars of the Harlem Renaissance: African Americans Who Lived Their Dreams</i>	Haskins, Jim (Ed.)	Wiley	9780471211525	Informational		2002
7	4	<i>The Great Pacific Garbage Patch</i>	Perdew, Laura	ABDO Publishing	9781532110238	Informational		2017
7	4	<i>Junk Raft: An Ocean Voyage and a Rising Tide of Activism to Fight Plastic Pollution</i>	Eriksen, Marcus	Beacon Press	9780807061725	Informational		2018
7	4	<i>Eyes Wide Open: Going behind the Environmental Headlines</i>	Fleischman, Paul	Candlewick	9780763675455	Informational		2014
7	4	<i>Plastic Pollution</i>	Knight, Geof	Capstone	9781432960476	Informational		2012

Grade	Module	Title	Author (Last Name, First Name)	Publisher	ISBN or UPC	Text Type	Lexile®	Pub Date
7	4	<i>The Plastic Problem</i>	Salt, Rachel	Firefly Books	9780228102311	Informational		2019
7	4	<i>Going Blue: A Teen Guide to Saving Our Oceans, Lakes, Rivers, & Wetlands</i>	Kaye, Cathryn Berger and Philippe Cousteau	Free Spirit	9781575423487	Informational		2010
7	4	<i>Tracking Trash: Flotsam, Jetsam, and the Science of Ocean Motion</i>	Burns, Loree Griffin	Houghton Mifflin Harcourt	9780547328607	Informational		2007
7	4	<i>Plastic, Ahoy!: Investigating the Great Pacific Garbage Patch</i>	Newman, Patricia	Lerner	9781467712835	Informational	900	2014
7	4	<i>Human Footprint: Everything You Will Eat, Use, Wear, Buy, and Throw Out in Your Lifetime</i>	Kirk, Ellen	National Geographic	9781426307676	Informational	890	2011
7	4	<i>This Book Stinks!: Gross Garbage, Rotten Rubbish, and the Science of Trash</i>	Flynn, Sarah Wassner	National Geographic	9781426327308	Informational		2017
7	4	<i>Trash Talk: Moving Toward a Zero-Waste World</i>	Mulder, Michelle	Orca Book Publishers	9781459806924	Informational	1050	2015
7	4	<i>Moby-Duck: The True Story of 28,800 Bath Toys Lost at Sea and of the Beachcombers, Oceanographers, Environmentalists, and Fools, Including the Author, Who Went in Search of Them</i>	Hohn, Donovan	Penguin	9780143120506	Informational		2012
7	4	<i>The New Ocean: The Fate of Life in a Changing Sea</i>	Barnard, Bryn	Random House Children's	9780375870491	Informational	1070	2017
7	4	<i>World without Fish</i>	Kurlansky, Mark	Workman	9780761185000	Informational	1160	2011

6–8 RECOMMENDED TEXTS & OTHER RESOURCES (SECOND EDITION)

Grade 8

Grade	Module	Title	Author (Last Name, First Name)	Publisher	ISBN or UPC	Text Type	Lexile®	Pub Date
8	1	<i>Tales Our Abuelitas Told</i>	Ada, Alma Flor and F. Isabel Campoy	Atheneum	9780689825835	Literary	850	2006
8	1	<i>Momentos Mágicos/Magic Moments</i>	Loya, Olga	August House	9780874834970	Literary		1997
8	1	<i>The Emerald Lizard</i>	DeSpain, Pleasant	August House	9780874835526	Literary	730	1999
8	1	<i>Mexican-American Folklore</i>	West, John O.	August House	9780874830590	Literary		2005
8	1	<i>Whiskers, Tails, and Wings</i>	Goldman, Judy	Charlesbridge	9781580893732	Literary	930	2013
8	1	<i>Feathered Serpent, Dark Heart of Sky</i>	Bowles, David	Cinco Puntos	9781941026724	Literary		2018
8	1	<i>La Llorona/The Weeping Woman: An Hispanic Legend Told in Spanish and English</i>	Hayes, Joe	Cinco Puntos	9780938317395	Literary		2004
8	1	<i>Paola Santiago and the River of Tears</i>	Mejia, Tehlor Kay	Disney Press	9781368049177	Literary		2020
8	1	<i>Aztec, Inca, and Maya</i>	Baquedano, Elizabeth	DK Publishing	9780756673208	Informational		1993
8	1	“The Box”	Vargas, Iliana	Fireside Magazine	https:// firesidefiction. com/the-box	Literary		2019
8	1	“Chickens”	Castro, Raquel	Fireside Magazine	https:// firesidefiction. com/chickens	Literary		2019
8	1	<i>A Pocket Dictionary of Aztec and Mayan Gods and Goddesses</i>	Bezanilla, Clara	Getty Publications	9781606060087	Informational		2000
8	1	<i>Love Sugar Magic: A Dash of Trouble</i>	Meriano, Anna	HarperCollins	9780062498472	Literary		2018
8	1	<i>Love Sugar Magic: A Sprinkle of Spirits</i>	Meriano, Anna	HarperCollins	9780062498526	Literary		2019
8	1	<i>Latin American Folktales</i>	Bierhorst, John	Knopf Doubleday	9780375714399	Literary		2003
8	1	<i>The Latin American Story Finder: A Guide to 470 Tales from Mexico, Central America and South America, Listing Subjects and Sources</i>	Elswit, Sharon Barcan	McFarland & Company	9780786478958	Literary		2015
8	1	<i>Maya Gods and Monsters: Supernatural Stories from the Underworld and Beyond</i>	Karasik, Carol	Thrums Books	9780997216851	Literary		2017

Grade	Module	Title	Author (Last Name, First Name)	Publisher	ISBN or UPC	Text Type	Lexile®	Pub Date
8	1	<i>The Dragon Slayer: Folktales from Latin America (A TOON Graphic)</i>	Hernandez, Jaime	TOON Books	9781943145294	Literary	570	2018
8	1	<i>La Llorona: The Crying Woman</i>	Anaya, Rudolfo	University of New Mexico Press	9780826344601	Literary		2011
8	1	<i>Curse of the ChupaCabra</i>	Anaya, Rudolfo	University of New Mexico Press	9780826341150	Literary		2006
8	2	<i>The Story of Food: An Illustrated History of Everything We Eat</i>	DK Publishing	DK Publishing	9781465473363	Informational		2018
8	2	<i>Relish: My Life in the Kitchen</i>	Knisley, Lucy	First Second	9781596436237	Informational		2013
8	2	<i>Eat This!: How Fast Food Marketing Gets You to Buy Junk (And How To Fight Back)</i>	Curtis, Andrea	Fitzhenry & Whiteside	9780889955325	Informational		2018
8	2	<i>Chew on This: Everything You Don't Want to Know about Fast Food</i>	Schlosser, Eric and Wilson, Charles	Houghton Mifflin Harcourt	9780618593941	Informational	1110	2007
8	2	<i>The Story of Seeds: From Mendel's Garden to Your Plate, and How There's More of Less to Eat around the World</i>	Castaldo, Nancy F.	Houghton Mifflin Harcourt	9780544320239	Informational	1110	2016
8	2	<i>Sugar Changed the World: A Story of Magic, Spice, Slavery, Freedom, and Science</i>	Aronson, Marc	Houghton Mifflin Harcourt	9780544458247	Informational		2010
8	2	<i>Food: The New Gold</i>	Gay, Kathlyn	Lerner	9780761346074	Informational		2012
8	2	<i>The Color of Food: Stories of Race, Resilience, and Farming</i>	Bowens, Natasha	New Society Publishers	9780865717893	Informational		2015
8	2	<i>What the World Eats</i>	D'Aluisio, Faith and Peter Menzel	Random House Children's	9781582462462	Informational		2008
8	2	<i>Your Food Is Fooling You: How Your Brain Is Hijacked by Sugar, Fat, and Salt</i>	Kessler, David A.	Roaring Brook Press	9781596438316	Informational	830	2012
8	3	<i>The Boy Who Dared</i>	Bartoletti, Susan Campbell	Scholastic	9780439680141	Literary	760	2008
8	3	<i>The Boy on the Wooden Box: How the Impossible Became Possible . . . on Schindler's List</i>	Leyson, Leon	Atheneum	9781442497825	Informational	1000	2013

Grade	Module	Title	Author (Last Name, First Name)	Publisher	ISBN or UPC	Text Type	Lexile®	Pub Date
8	3	<i>Beyond Courage: The Untold Story of Jewish Resistance during the Holocaust</i>	Rappaport, Doreen	Candlewick	9780763669287	Informational	1030	2012
8	3	<i>The War within These Walls</i>	Sax, Aline	Eerdmans	9780802854285	Literary		2013
8	3	<i>Eva's Story</i>	Schloss, Eva	Eerdmans	9780802855312	Literary		2019
8	3	<i>Night</i>	Wiesel, Elie	Farrar, Straus & Giroux	9780374500016	Informational		1960
8	3	<i>Four Perfect Pebbles: A True Story of the Holocaust</i>	Perl, Lila and Marion Blumenthal Lazan	HarperCollins	9780062489968	Informational		2016
8	3	<i>Understanding Comics: The Invisible Art</i>	McCloud, Scott	HarperCollins	9780060976255	Informational		1993
8	3	<i>We Will Not Be Silent: The White Rose Student Resistance Movement That Defied Adolf Hitler</i>	Freedman, Russell	Houghton Mifflin Harcourt	9780544223790	Informational	640	2016
8	3	<i>The Other Victims: First-Person Stories of Non-Jews Persecuted by the Nazis</i>	Friedman, Ina R.	Houghton Mifflin Harcourt	9780395745151	Informational	780	1990
8	3	<i>I Never Saw Another Butterfly: Children's Drawings and Poems from the Terezin Concentration Camp, 1942–1944</i>	Volavkova, Hana (Ed.)	Knopf Doubleday	9780805210156	Poetry		1962
8	3	<i>Maus II: A Survivor's Tale: And Here My Troubles Began</i>	Spiegelman, Art	Knopf Doubleday	9780679729778	Literary		1991
8	3	<i>Passage to Freedom: The Sugihara Story</i>	Mochizuki, Ken	Lee & Low	9781584301578	Literary	AD610	1997
8	3	<i>The Diary of a Young Girl</i>	Frank, Anne	Random House	9780553296983	Literary	1020	1952
8	3	<i>The Book Thief</i>	Zusak, Markus	Random House Children's	9780375842207	Literary	730	2005
8	3	<i>In My Hands: Memories of a Holocaust Rescuer</i>	Opdyke, Irene Gut	Random House Children's	9780553538847	Informational		2016
8	3	<i>Hana's Suitcase: The Quest to Solve a Holocaust Mystery</i>	Levine, Karen	Random House Children's	9781101933497	Informational	730	2012
8	3	<i>What the Night Sings</i>	Stamper, Vesper	Random House Children's	9781524700386	Literary	720	2018

Grade	Module	Title	Author (Last Name, First Name)	Publisher	ISBN or UPC	Text Type	Lexile®	Pub Date
8	3	<i>Prisoner B-3087</i>	Gratz, Alan	Scholastic	9780545459013	Literary	760	2013
8	3	<i>Hitler Youth: Growing Up in Hitler's Shadow</i>	Bartoletti, Susan Campbell	Scholastic	9781338309843	Informational	1050	2005
8	3	<i>Survivors: True Stories of Children in the Holocaust</i>	Zullo, Alan and Mara Bovsun	Scholastic	9780439669962	Informational	970	2004
8	3	<i>Survivors Club: The True Story of a Very Young Prisoner of Auschwitz</i>	Bornstein, Michael and Debbie Bornstein Holinstat	Square Fish	9781250118752	Informational	890	2017
8	3	<i>We Are Witnesses: Five Diaries of Teenagers Who Died in the Holocaust</i>	Boas, Jacob	Square Fish	9780312535674	Informational	970	2009
8	3	<i>The Librarian of Auschwitz</i>	Iturbe, Antonio	Square Fish	9781250258038	Literary		2017
8	4	<i>Weedflower</i>	Kadohata, Cynthia	Atheneum	9781416975663	Literary	750	2009
8	4	<i>Four-Four-Two</i>	Hughes, Dean	Atheneum	9781481462532	Literary	820	2016
8	4	<i>Within These Lines</i>	Morrill, Stephanie	Blink	9780310765219	Literary		2019
8	4	<i>Imprisoned: The Betrayal of Japanese Americans during World War II</i>	Sandler, Martin W.	Bloomsbury	9781547604692	Informational	1240	2013
8	4	<i>Gaijin: American Prisoner of War</i>	Faulkner, Matt	Disney Press	9781368054164	Literary		2014
8	4	<i>Fred Korematsu Speaks Up</i>	Atkins, Laura and Stan Yogi	Heyday	9781597143684	Informational		2016
8	4	<i>Children of Manzanar</i>	Lindquist, Heather C. (Ed.)	Heyday	9781597141604	Informational		2012
8	4	<i>Journey to Topaz</i>	Uchida, Yoshiko	Heyday	9781890771911	Literary	970	2005
8	4	<i>Enemy Child: The Story of Norman Mineta, a Boy Imprisoned in a Japanese American Internment Camp during World War II</i>	Warren, Andrea	Holiday House	9780823441518	Informational	1030	2019
8	4	<i>Fish for Jimmy: Inspired by One Family's Experience in a Japanese American Internment Camp</i>	Yamasaki, Katie	Holiday House	9780823444311	Literary	AD880	2013

Grade	Module	Title	Author (Last Name, First Name)	Publisher	ISBN or UPC	Text Type	Lexile®	Pub Date
8	4	<i>Thin Wood Walls</i>	Patneau, David	Houghton Mifflin Harcourt	9780618809158	Literary	620	2008
8	4	<i>We Are Not Free</i>	Chee, Traci	Houghton Mifflin Harcourt	9780358131434	Literary		2020
8	4	<i>Baseball Saved Us</i>	Mochizuki, Ken	Lee & Low	9781880000199	Literary	AD550	1993
8	4	<i>A Place Where Sunflowers Grow</i>	Lee-Tai, Amy	Lee & Low	9780892392742	Literary	AD730	2006
8	4	<i>The War Outside</i>	Hesse, Monica	Little, Brown Young Readers	9780316316712	Literary	710	2018
8	4	<i>Internment</i>	Ahmed, Samira	Little, Brown Young Readers	9780316522700	Literary		2019
8	4	<i>Uprooted: The Japanese American Experience during World War II</i>	Marrin, Albert	Random House Children's	9780553509366	Informational	1050	2016
8	4	<i>Sylvia & Aki</i>	Conkling, Winifred	Random House Children's	9781582463452	Literary	760	2011
8	4	<i>Dear Miss Breed: True Stories of the Japanese American Incarceration during World War II and a Librarian Who Made a Difference</i>	Oppenheim, Joanne	Scholastic	9780439569927	Informational	1040	2005
8	4	<i>Paper Wishes</i>	Sepahban, Lois	Square Fish	9781250104144	Literary	550	2016
8	4	<i>They Called Us Enemy</i>	Takei, George	Top Shelf Productions	9781603094504	Literary		2019
8	4	<i>Citizen 13660</i>	Okubo, Mine	University of Washington Press	9780295993546	Literary	920	1946