

## MDUSD Supplementary Literature and Nonfiction Reading with Categories

Grade 9

2022-23

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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.

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

The Supplemental Reading Materials Revision Committee will meet at least once per year to keep the list and guidance updated.

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

<b>Category 1</b> Representative of traditional and long established narratives	<b>Category 2</b> Representative of female authors/female perspectives	<b>Category 3</b> Representative of multicultural and diverse authors/experiences
David Copperfield Day No Pigs Would Die, A Great Tales of Action and Adventure Greek Gods and Heroes Heroes, Monsters, and other Worlds from Russian Mythology Human Comedy, The *Light in the Forest, The Martian Chronicles, The Most Dangerous Game, The Of Mice and Men (9,10) Red Pony, The Reflections on a Gift of Watermelon Pickle Romeo and Juliet Some Haystacks Don't Even Have Any Needle & Other Complete Modern Poems	Speak Year Without Michael, The 57 Bus, The: A True Story of Two Teenagers and the Crime That Changed Their Lives Children of the River Farewell to Manzanar: A True Story of Japanese American Experience During and After the World War II Internment Patch of Blue Poet X Summer of My German Soldier Thousand Pieces of Gold To Kill a Mockingbird (9-10) Absolutely True Diary of a Part-Time Indian, The	Speak Year Without Michael, The 57 Bus, The: A True Story of Two Teenagers and the Crime That Changed Their Lives Children of the River Farewell to Manzanar: A True Story of Japanese American Experience During and After the World War II Internment Patch of Blue Poet X Summer of My German Soldier Thousand Pieces of Gold Absolutely True Diary of a Part-Time Indian, The

Ten Top Stories

Three Comedies of American Family Life

Treasure Island

Twelve Angry Men

Twenty Great American Short Stories

West Side Story

Zero Makes Me Hungry: A Collection of Poems