

# Appendix: Literature List

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## Parks:

### Unit Literature:

- ❖ *The Littles Go Exploring*, by John Peterson
- ❖ *Our Great Big Backyard*, by Laura Bush and Jenna Bush Hager
- ❖ *Grand Canyon National Park*, by M.C. Hall
- ❖ *Buffalo Music*, by Tracey E. Fern
- ❖ *Who Pooped in the Park?* by Gary D. Robson

### Additional Literature:

- ❖ *The Camping Trip That Changed America; Theodore Roosevelt, John Muir, and our National Parks*, by Barb Rosenstock
- ❖ *Yellowstone National Park*, by M.C. Hall
- ❖ *Sequoia and Kings Canyon National Parks*, by Nancy Dickmann
- ❖ *Mount Rainier National Park*, by Sharlene and Ted Nelson
- ❖ *Hawaii Volcanoes National Park*, by M.C. Hall

## Marsupials:

### Unit Literature:

- ❖ *Action Jackson*, by Jan Greenberg and Sandra Jordan
- ❖ *Appleblossom the Posum*, by Holly Goldberg Sloan
- ❖ *McGillycuddy Could!* by Pamela Duncan Edwards
- ❖ *Diary of a Wombat*, by Jackie French
- ❖ *Marsupial Sue*, by John Lithgow

### Additional Literature:

- ❖ *Epossumondas Plays Possum*, by Coleen Salley
- ❖ *Marsupial Sue Presents The Runaway Pancake*, by John Lithgow
- ❖ *Winnie-the-Pooh (chapter VII, "Kanga and Baby Roo Come to the Forest")*, by A.A. Milne

## Northeast States:

### Unit Literature:

- ❖ *George Washington Crosses the Delaware, Would You Risk The Revolution?* by Elaine Landau
- ❖ *Who Was Milton Hershey?* by James Buckley Jr.
- ❖ *Powerful Place Value*, by Lisa Arias
- ❖ *Celebrating Pennsylvania*, by Jane Kurtz
- ❖ *The Gettysburg Address*, by Abraham Lincoln
- ❖ *The Boy Who Saved The Town*, by Brenda Seabrooke

### Additional Literature:

- ❖ *Our 50 United States, A Family Adventure Across America*, by Lynne Cheney
- ❖ *Our 50 United States and Other U.S. Lands*, by the editors of Time for Kids with Renee Skelton and Jaime Joyce
- ❖ *The Colony of Delaware*, by Jake Miller
- ❖ *Crossing the Delaware and Valley Forge, Two Wild Winters with Washington*, by John Micklos, Jr.
- ❖ *Exploring the States, Delaware The First State*, by Emily Schnobrich
- ❖ *Exploring the States, Pennsylvania The Keystone State*, by Amy Rechner
- ❖ *Exploring the States, Maryland The Old Line State*, by Patrick Perish
- ❖ *William Penn, A Life of Tolerance*, by Jennifer Boothroyd
- ❖ *The Battle of Gettysburg, Would You Lead The Fight?* by Elaine Landau

## Rocks:

### Unit Literature:

- ❖ *Misty of Chincoteague*, by Marguerite Henry
- ❖ *Rhoda's Rock Hunt*, by Molly Beth Griffin
- ❖ *Anna's Art Adventure*, by Bjorn Sortland
- ❖ *Rocks*, by Sally M. Walker
- ❖ *Let's Rock, Science Adventures with Rudie the Origami Dinosaur*, by Eric Braun
- ❖ *If You Find a Rock*, by Peggy Christian
- ❖ *Everybody Needs a Rock*, by Byrd Baylor

### Additional Literature:

- ❖ *Science Matters, Rocks*, by Melanie Ostopowich
- ❖ *Nature Walk, Rocks*, by Rebecca Stromstad Glaser
- ❖ *Famous Rocks*, by Ellen Lawrence
- ❖ *If Rocks Could Sing*, by Leslie McGuirk
- ❖ *What Are Rocks Made Of?* by Ellen Lawrence

## Mountains:

### Unit Literature:

- ❖ *Misty of Chincoteague*, by Marguerite Henry
- ❖ *Mountains*, by Chris Oxlade
- ❖ *On Top Of Old Smoky*, retold by Blake Hoena
- ❖ *Three Pigs, One Wolf, and Seven Magic Shapes*, by Grace Maccarone
- ❖ *Exploring Mountains, A Benjamin Blog and His Inquisitive Dog Investigation*, by Anita Ganeri

### Additional Literature:

- ❖ *How Do Mountains Form?* by Terry Allan Hicks
- ❖ *About Habitats: Mountains*, by Cathryn Sill

## Susan B. Anthony:

### Unit Literature:

- ❖ *Who Was Susan B. Anthony?* by Pam Pollack and Meg Belviso
- ❖ *Radical Red*, by James Duffy
- ❖ *Didn't We Have Fun?* by Hilda Robinson and Jeff Kunkel

### Additional Literature:

- ❖ *Susan B. Anthony*, by Stephanie Sammartino McPherson
- ❖ *Susan B. Anthony: Fighter for Women's Rights*, by Deborah Hopkinson
- ❖ *Susan B. Anthony*, by Alexandra Wallner

## Reptiles:

### Unit Literature:

- ❖ *Akimbo and the Snakes*, by Alexander McCall Smith
- ❖ *Reptiles, A Question and Answer Book*, by Isabel Martin
- ❖ *Zack's Alligator and the First Snow*, by Shirley Mozelle
- ❖ *Art & Max*, by David Wiesner
- ❖ *Nate the Great and the Tardy Tortoise*, by Marjorie Weinman Sharmat and Craig Sharmat
- ❖ *Reptiles Are My Life*, by Megan McDonald
- ❖ *Boa's Bad Birthday*, by Jeanne Willis and Tony Ross
- ❖ *The Dangerous Snake and Reptile Club*, by Daniel San Souci

#### Additional Literature:

- ❖ *Reptiles, Cold-Blooded Creatures*, by Meredith Costain
- ❖ *Reptiles, Scaly-Skinned Animals*, by Laura Purdie Salas
- ❖ *Reptiles*, by Ann O. Squire
- ❖ *Cesar Takes A Break*, by Susan Collins Thoms
- ❖ *The Chameleon That Saved Noah's Ark*, by Yale Molchadsky
- ❖ *Solomon Crocodile*, by Catherine Rayner
- ❖ *I'd Really Like to Eat a Child*, by Sylviane Donnio
- ❖ *There's an Alligator Under My Bed*, by Mercer Mayer
- ❖ *A Crazy Day with Cobras*, by Mary Pope Osborne

### Landmarks:

#### Unit Literature:

- ❖ *The Niagara Falls Mystery*, by Gertrude Chandler Warner
- ❖ *Mount Rushmore*, by Judith Jango-Cohen
- ❖ *Flat Stanley's Worldwide Adventures 1, The Mount Rushmore Calamity*, by Jeff Brown
- ❖ *The Hoover Dam*, by Jeffrey Zuehlke
- ❖ *Crossing Niagara, The Death-Defying Tightrope Adventures of the Great Blondin*, by Matt Tavares
- ❖ *How Does a Waterfall Become Electricity?* by Mike Graf
- ❖ *Amazing Places*, Poems Selected by Lee Bennett Hopkins
- ❖ *The Washington Monument*, by Muriel L. Dubois
- ❖ *This Bridge Will Not Be Gray*, by Dave Eggers

#### Additional Literature:

- ❖ *The Golden Gate Bridge*, by Jeffrey Zuehlke
- ❖ *Celebrating Florida*, by Marion Dane Bauer
- ❖ *The Statue of Liberty*, by Kathleen W. Deady
- ❖ *Washington, D.C.*, by Blake Hoena
- ❖ *Mirette & Bellini Cross Niagara Falls*, by Emily Arnold McCully
- ❖ *Where Is Mount Rushmore?* by True Kelley

### Rainforests:

#### Unit Literature:

- ❖ *Race the Wild, Rain Forest Relay*, by Kristin Earhart
- ❖ *Rain Forest Food Chains*, by Angela Royston
- ❖ *Over in the Jungle, A Rainforest Rhyme*, by Marianne Berkes
- ❖ *Anansi and the Talking Melon*, retold by Eric A. Kimmel
- ❖ *Exploring Rain Forests*, by Anita Ganeri

#### Additional Literature:

- ❖ *First Animal Encyclopedia, Rainforests*, by Anita Ganeri
- ❖ *Green Giants: Rainforests of the Pacific Northwest*, by Tom Parkin

### Pioneers:

#### Unit Literature:

- ❖ *Roughing It on the Oregon Trail*, by Diane Stanley
- ❖ *Ranger in Time, Rescue on the Oregon Trail*, by Kate Messner
- ❖ *Life In The West*, by Teresa Domnauer
- ❖ *The Oregon Trail*, by Mel Friedman

#### Additional Literature:

- ❖ *Life On The Oregon Trail*, by Sally Senzell Isaacs
- ❖ *The Donner Party*, by Scott P. Werther
- ❖ *The Santa Fe Trail*, by Jean F. Blashfield
- ❖ *Little House on the Prairie*, by Laura Ingalls Wilder
- ❖ *Pioneers, A Library of Congress Book*, by Martin W. Sandler

## Carnivores:

### Unit Literature:

- ❖ *Otis Spofford*, by Beverly Cleary
- ❖ *My Heart Is Like a Zoo*, by Michael Hall
- ❖ *What If You Had Animal Teeth!?* by Sandra Markle
- ❖ *Carnivores*, by Aaron Reynolds
- ❖ *Forest Food Chains*, by Bobbie Kalman
- ❖ *Tigers*, by Ann O. Squire

### Additional Literature:

- ❖ *Tooth & Claw, The Wild World of Big Predators*, by Jim Arnosky
- ❖ *River Food Chains*, by Angela Royston
- ❖ *Animals Eating: How Animals Chomp, Chew, Slurp and Swallow*, by Pamela Hickman
- ❖ *Jaguars*, by Jennifer L. Marks
- ❖ *Lions*, by Derek Zobel
- ❖ *Wolves*, by Emily Green
- ❖ *Zella, Zack, and Zodiac*, by Bill Peet

## Africa:

### Unit Literature:

- ❖ *Savanna Showdown*, by Kristin Earhart
- ❖ *Africa*, by Mel Friedman
- ❖ *Beautiful Blackbird*, by Ashley Bryan
- ❖ *African Animals*, by Martha E.H. Rustad
- ❖ *Living In South Africa*, by Chloe Perkins
- ❖ *Mufaro's Beautiful Daughters, An African Tale*, by John Steptoe
- ❖ *African Music For Children*, CD by World Music Network
- ❖ *The African Safari Discovery, Flat Stanley's Worldwide Adventures*, by Jeff Brown

### Additional Literature:

- ❖ *Natumi Takes the Lead, The True Story of an Orphan Elephant Who Finds Family*, by Gerry Ellis
- ❖ *Savanna Showdown*, by Kristin Earhart
- ❖ *When Africa Was Home*, by Karen Lynn Williams
- ❖ *How Many Spots Does a Leopard Have, An African Folktale*, retold by M.J. York
- ❖ *Next Stop- Zanzibar Road*, by Niki Daly
- ❖ *Endangered Rhinoceros*, by Bobbie Kalman
- ❖ *Ananse and the Lizard, A West African Tale*, retold by Pat Cummings
- ❖ *Africa*, by Cheryl Striveildi
- ❖ *Boundless Grace*, by Mary Hoffman

## Eyes:

### Unit Literature:

- ❖ *Who Is Stevie Wonder?* by Jim Gigliotti
- ❖ *Dorothea's Eyes*, by Barb Rosenstock
- ❖ *Arthur's Eyes*, by Marc Brown
- ❖ *Guide Dogs*, by Melissa McDaniel
- ❖ *Growing Up in Lancaster County, "A Happy Heart"*, by Wanda E Brunstetter

### Additional Literature:

- ❖ *Eyes*, by Shannon Caster
- ❖ *Seeing-Eye Dogs*, by Jenny Fretland VanVoorst
- ❖ *Ray Charles*, by Sharon Bell Mathis
- ❖ *Who Was Helen Keller*, by Gare Thompson
- ❖ *Edward's Eyes*, by Patricia MacLachlan
- ❖ *Some Kids Are Blind*, by Lola M. Schaefer

## Magnets:

### Unit Literature:

- ❖ *The Case of the Best Pet Ever*, by James Preller
- ❖ *Step-By-Step Experiments With Magnets*, by Gina Hagler
- ❖ *Magnets Pulling Together, Pushing Apart*, by Natalie M. Rosinsky
- ❖ *Magnets*, by Ellen Lawrence

### Additional Literature:

- ❖ *Science Experiments with Magnets*, by Alex Kuskowski
- ❖ *Magnets*, by Karen Latchana Kenney
- ❖ *Experiments with Magnets*, by Dale-Marie Bryan

## Cowboys:

- \* Due to the historical timeframe of the content, some of the authors refer to Native Americans as Indians.

### Unit Literature:

- ❖ *Who Was Annie Oakley?* by Stephanie Spinner
- ❖ *Cowpokes*, by Caroline Stutson
- ❖ *Perimeter, Area, and Volume; A Monster Book of Dimensions*, by David A. Adler
- ❖ *Pecos Bill*, a tall tale retold by Steven Kellogg
- ❖ *The Three Little Javelinas*, by Susan Lowell
- ❖ *Tall Tales of the Wild West (And a Few Short Ones), A Humorous Collection of Cowboy Poems and Songs*, by Eric Ode
- ❖ *Cowboy Playground CD*, by Putumayo World Music

### Additional Literature:

- ❖ *The Cowboy ABC*, by Chris Demarest
- ❖ *Jess And The Stinky Cowboys*, by Janice Lee Smith
- ❖ *The Gingerbread Cowboy*, by Janet Squires
- ❖ *Pecos Bill And Slue-Foot Sue*, retold by Virginia Schomp
- ❖ *Pecos Bill*, adapted by Stephen Krensky
- ❖ *Gullible Gus*, by Maxine Rose Schur
- ❖ *Celebrating Texas*, by Marion Dane Bauer
- ❖ *A Cowboy Named Ernestine*, by Nicole Rube
- ❖ *Armadillo Rodeo*, by Jan Brett
- ❖ *Classic Western Stories*, compiled by Cooper Edens

## Butterflies:

### Unit Literature:

- ❖ *Horrible Harry And The Dungeon*, by Suzy Kline
- ❖ *Butterflies on Carmen Street*, by Monica Brown
- ❖ *The Lamb And The Butterfly*, by Arnold Sundgaard
- ❖ *Owly & Wormy, Friends All Aflutter!* by Andy Runton
- ❖ *Butterflies*, by Seymour Simon
- ❖ *Jake Gander Storyville Detective, The Case Of The Greedy Granny*, by George McClements
- ❖ *Hurry and the Monarch*, by Antoine O'Flatharta

### Additional Literature:

- ❖ *Velma Gratch & The Way Cool Butterfly*, by Alan Madison
- ❖ *Butterfly Tree*, by Sandra Markel
- ❖ *Hedgehugs and the Hattiepillar*, by Steve Wilson and Lucy Tapper
- ❖ *Butterfly Butterfly*, by Petr Horacek
- ❖ *How Does a Caterpillar Become A Butterfly?* by Melissa Stewart
- ❖ *Butterflies*, by Nic Bishop
- ❖ *Caterpillar to Butterfly*, by Lisa M. Herrington
- ❖ *Bonjour, Butterfly*, by Jane O'Connor

## Missionaries:

### Unit Literature:

- ❖ *Ten Boys Who Changed The World*, by Irene Howat
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- ❖ *Lily, The Girl Who Could See*, by Sally Oxley and Tim Ladwig
- ❖ *The Eric Liddell Story, The Torchlighters Heroes of the Faith*, DVD by Christian History Institute

### Additional Literature:

- ❖ *Mother Teresa, A Life of Caring*, by Robin Nelson
- ❖ *Mother Teresa, Helper of the Poor*, by Kristen Woronoff

## Harriet Tubman:

### Unit Literature:

- ❖ *Harriet Tubman*, by Will Mara
- ❖ *Minty, A Story of Young Harriet Tubman*, by Alan Schroeder
- ❖ *How Much Can a Bare Bear Bear? What Are Homonyms and Homophones?* by Brian P. Cleary
- ❖ *Moses, When Harriet Tubman Led Her People to Freedom*, by Carole Boston Weatherford
- ❖ *(I Am) Harriet Tubman*, by Grace Norwich

### Additional Literature:

- ❖ *Harriet Tubman, The Life Of An African-American Abolitionist*, by Rob Shone and Anita Ganeri
- ❖ *Almost To Freedom*, by Vaunda Micheaux Nelson
- ❖ *Life on the Underground Railroad*, by Sally Senzell Isaacs