

Wrapped Up in Books

Session I

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Objectives

Highlight best books of 2022 and anticipated titles of 2023

Discuss and connect with colleagues around reading

Flow

Discussion

Books



Why do you read?



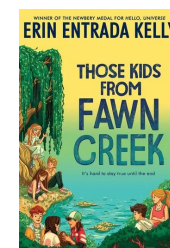
As Long As the Lemon Trees Grow

Zoulfa Katouh



Anatomy: A Love Story

Dana Schwartz



Those Kids from Fawn Creek

Erin Entrada Kelly



Jennifer Chan is Not Alone

Tae Keller



How do you develop a reading identity?



The Getaway

Lamar Giles



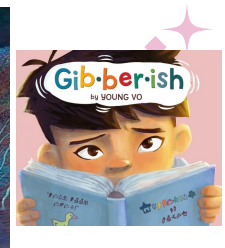
Abuela, Don't Forget Me

Rex Ogle



Aviva vs. the Dybbuk

Mari Lowe



Gib-ber-ish

Young Vo



Why do we judge what others are reading?



Tokyo Dreaming

Emiko Jean



Nothing More to Tell

Karen McManus



Different Kinds of Fruit

Kyle Lukoff

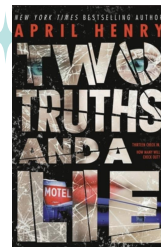


Miss Quinces

Kat Fajardo

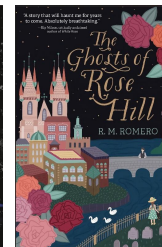


What issues affect your reading?



Two Truths and a Lie

April Henry



The Ghosts of Rose Hill

R.M. Romero



Fangirl

Rainbow Rowell



Endlessly Ever After

Laurel Snyder & Dan Santat





Are you ready for a challenge?



Hollow

Watters,
Boyer-White, Nelle



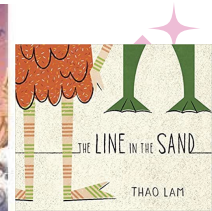
A Thousand Steps into Night

Traci Chee



The Last Mapmaker

Christina
Soontornvat



The Line in the Sand

Thao Lam



Final thoughts



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Discussion on curriculum connections and collection development

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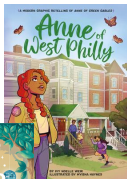
Books



Discussion



Action



Inspire students

Empower their interests & hobbies

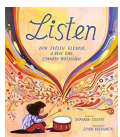
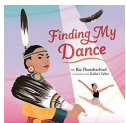
Connect the new and the old



Inspire students

Music, Dance, Baking

Fiction



Inspire students

Music, Dance, Baking

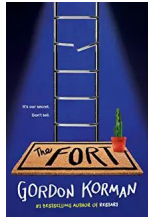
Nonfiction-ish



Attention spans

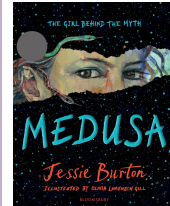
Short stories in and out of the classroom

Audiobooks



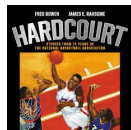
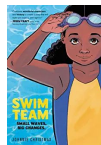
Attention spans

Essays and POV



Ride the wave

Mythology and murder
Netflix/uluime adaptations
What's old is new- BookTok



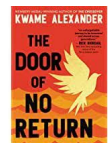
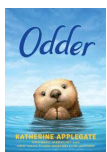
Score!

Swimming, Cheer, Basketball,
Wrestling, Soccer



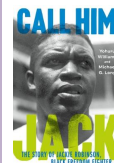
Curriculum Connections

Always be ready
Know your staff and look for
opportunities



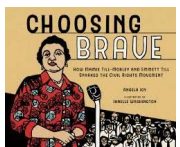
Verse & Poetry

Historical fiction
Environmental messages

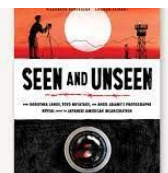


Rewriting history

Compliment the curriculum
Hidden histories and untold stories



Rewriting history



Making connections

Themed displays, reading guides,
newsletters, and celebrations
Show off your interests



Making connections




Your input or questions?

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This or that?



Mix, Freeze, Pair

Listen to the music and move around

When the music stops, find a partner next to you

Discuss this or that, then we repeat!

**First career
OR
second career
librarian?**

**Tea
OR
coffee?**

**Glasses
OR
no glasses?**

**Pen
OR
pencil?**

**Running
OR
walking?**

**Morning lark
OR
night owl?**

**Librarian
OR
School media
specialist?**

Home
OR
away?

Digital
OR
print?

Upstate
OR
downstate?

Extras

Black and white
cookie or halfmoon?

Socks or slippers?

Call or text?

Fall or spring?

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Objectives

Share opportunities to expand reading inclusion in all aspects of school and community

Provide inspired list of activities to implement or adapt for your library

Flow

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Committees

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Events

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Activities

1 Clubs

Summer Professional Reading Groups & other PD

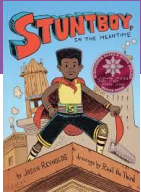
Japanese Culture Club

Meet the Illustrator/Author Monday

First Chapter Fridays

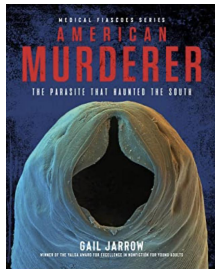
Pastries and Prose

Global Read Aloud

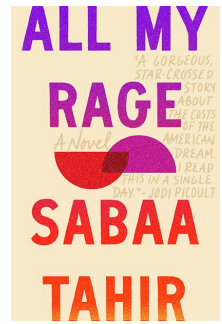


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Committees

YALSA Book Award
and Selection
Committees



Review



Mock
Geisel Committee
with
Grade 1



Sydney Taylor
Award

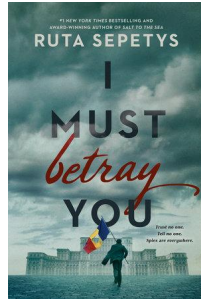


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Events

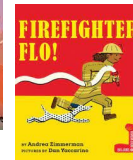
Webinars



Author Visits

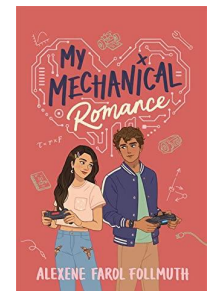


Author Visits



4 Activities

#ReadLikeAFalcon



Advanced Reader
Copies / Galleys



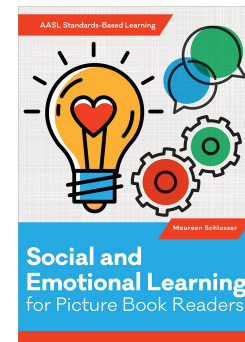
Publishers



SEL



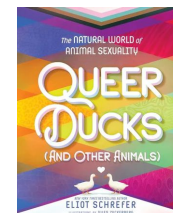
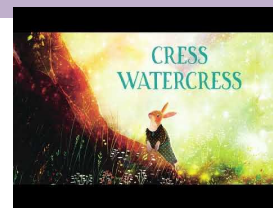
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Summer reading,
social media &
celebrations





Summer Academy
Late Night TV





Local Creators



What do you do?



“Even in the chaos of everyday life, moments of gratitude remind us to hold on to the good things.”



Brit Morin



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