

**Textbook Readings
English Department
Hebron Middle School (6814)**

MS School Wide

Actively Learn

No Red Ink

6th Grade English/LA Lab – Andrea Pastrick

Pop! (Karen Kilpatrick)

Holes (Louis Sachar)

The Lightning Thief (Rick Riordan)

Maniac Magee (Jerry Spinelli)

Freak the Mighty (Rodman Philbrick)

The BFG (Roald Dahl)

Tangerine (Edward Bloor)

Call It Courage (Armstrong Sperry)

Baseball in April (Gary Soto)

Journal of a Teenage Genius (Helen V. Griffith)

Hello, My Name Is Scrambled Eggs (Jamie Gilson)

6th Grade Honors English – Andrea Pastrick

Pop! (Karen Kilpatrick)

The Westing Game (Ellen Raskin)

The Giver (Lois Lowry)

Tangerine (Edward Bloor)

Dragonwings (Laurence Yep)

Baseball in April (Gary Soto)

James and the Giant Peach (Roald Dahl)

The Big Wave (Pearl S. Buck)

The Princess in the Pigpen (Jane Resh Thomas)

6th Grade Reading Block

Hatchet Gary Paulsen-Bonick

Close Reading: A Guide For Students-Bonick

The Beatles- Bonick

Should Phones Be Allowed in School– Actively Learn Bonick

How Old Should Kids Be to Get Phones? Actively Learn- Bonick

“Why grown-ups still need fairy tales” - Marguerite Johnson

The Giant's Wife -Aaron Shephard -

Three Billy Goats and the Gruff - Elizabeth Massie

Theme Practice With Aesop's Fables -Aesop

Skeeter Saves the World -Aaron Shepard

Skeeter and the Weasels - Aaron Shepard

King o' the Cats - Aaron Shephard
Spiky Locks and the Three—No, Wait, Count Again—Ten Bears - Elizabeth Massie
Eleanor's New 'Do - Elizabeth Massie
Three Not-So-Little Pigs, Two Average-Sized Wolves, One Humongous Problem -Elizabeth Massie
Jack and the Bean Sock - Elizabeth Massie
Little Fred Hiding Hood -Elizabeth Massie
A Wrinkle in Time Madeleine L'Engle

7th Grade English/ 7th Grade Resource English – Donna Bonick/ Stephany Lockett

The Highway Man
The Cremation of Sam McGee
The Monkey's Paw
The Legend of Sleepy Hollow
Icarus and Daedalus, Demeter and Persephone, Sun and Moon in a Box, How the Snake Got it's Poison,
Cinderella's- The Algonquin Cinderella, Chriserella, Yeh-Shen
Rikki-tikki-tavi
Mongoose on the Loose
How to Recognize Venomous Snakes
Hopi Snake Ceremonies
Where the Red Fern Grows Wilson Rawls
Hatchet Gary Paulsen
The River Gary Paulsen
"Is the Cafeteria Ruining Your Life?" Scholastic Magazine
A Christmas Carol: Scrooge and Marley Isreal Horovitz
How the Grinch Stole Christmas Dr. Seuss
The Watsons Go to Birmingham-1963 Christopher Paul Curtis
A Mason-Dixon Memory Clifton Davis
The Adventures of Tom Sawyer Mark Twain
My Life on the Mississippi Mark Twain
The Outsiders S.E. Hinton
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Students Cannot Learn and Text
Heart Attack First Aid
Does Birth Order Affect Your Personality?
Johnnycake from "The Outsiders
Do you really get sick from being cold?
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"The Gift of Magi" O. Henry
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Is Hunting Moral? A Philosopher Unpacks the Question
Why Do Old People Hate New Music?
Genetic Disorders
Sausage Nose
The Third Wish
The Dinner Party
History of the Pledge of Allegiance

A Long Walk to Water-World Geo
 Surviving the Angel of Death -World Geo
 Each Kindness by, Jaqualine Woodson
 The Road Not Taken by Robert Frost
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 The Call of the Wild Jack London
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"The Tell Tale Heart" by Edgar Allan Poe
"A Retrieved Reformation" by O. Henry
"Trifles" by Susan Glaspell
"The Adventure of the Speckled Band" by Sir Arthur Conan Doyle
"Harrison Bergeron" by Kurt Vonnegut
"There Will Come Soft Rains" by Ray Bradbury
"Up the Slide" by Jack London
"The Drummer Boy of Shiloh" - Ray Bradbury
"Soldier Boy" - Gary Paulsen Heart of a Soldier
Excerpts from The Red Badge of Courage
"Harriet Tubman: A Guide to Freedom" Ann Petry
"Paul Revere's Ride" by Henry Wadsworth Longfellow
"The Concord Hymn" by Ralph Waldo Emerson
"I am the People, the Mob" - Carl Sandburg
"The Star Spangled Banner" - Francis Scott Key
"Piano" - D.H. Lawrence
"Out Where the West Begins" - Arthur Chapman
""The New Colossus" Emma Lazarus
"Sweet Betsy from Pike"
"O'Captain, My Captain" - Walt Whitman
"The Defence of the Alamo"
My Brother Sam is Dead by J.L. Collier and Christopher Collier
Animal Farm George Orwell
Across Five Aprils by Irene Hunt
What Makes a Good Museum Exhibit?
10 Tips for Museum Design Success - DesignShop
Moundbuilders: Indians of the Midwest
"Benedict Arnold: A Traitor, but Once a Patriot"
- "Hamilton vs. Jefferson"
The Declaration of Independence
The U.S. Constitution
The Articles of Confederation -
"Conformity" - commonlit.org -
Incidents in the life of the slave girl" Harriet Ann Jacobs

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"A Horseman in the Sky" - Ambrose Bierce
"Occurrence at Owl Creek Bridge" - Ambrose Bierce
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