

Grade Five Literature and Read Alouds

At Innova Academy we endeavour to expose students to a wide range of literature, chosen for its excellent writing style, engaging stories, and elevated ideas. Students read from a variety of genre including myths, legends, fables, general fiction, historical fiction, poetry, biography, and informative non-fiction. In addition to guided and independent reading, teachers read aloud to their class on a regular basis. This provides the opportunity for students to listen to stories above their reading level, hear good oral reading modeled, and develop the discipline of attentiveness to oral speech.

Below is a sample list of literature from which your child's teacher will draw. It is not meant to be exhaustive, but rather to give you a sense of our grade five literature program.

Literature

Classics for Young Readers, Vol. 5A and 5B – K12

Myths of Ancient Greece and Rome – K12

White Fang - London

Prince Caspian – Lewis

American Lives and Legends – K12

Sarah Plain and Tall – MacLachlan

I Didn't Know That – K12

My Side of the Mountain – George

Just So Stories – Kipling

Voyage of the Dawn Treader – Lewis

Where the Red Fern Grows – Rawls

Classic Poetry - Rosen

Treasure Island – Stevenson

Louis Braille - Davidson

Oliver Twist – abridged

Call it Courage – Sperry

The Golden Goblet – McGraw

The Pharaohs of Ancient Egypt - Payne

The Mystery of the Roman Ransom – Winterfeld

Archimedes and the Door of Science – Bendick

The Book of Three - Alexander

Tuck Everlasting, - Babbitt

The Cricket in Times Square - Selden

Mrs. Frisby and the Rats of NIMH - O'Brien

The Hundred Dresses - Estes

Shiloh - Reynolds Naylor

Theras and His Town – Snedeker

Twice Freed – St. John

God's Adventurer: Hudson Taylor - Thompson

Read Aloud

Peril and Peace: Chronicles of the Ancient Church
- Withrow

A Christmas Carol - Dickens

Banner in the Sky – Ullman

Mara, Daughter of the Nile – McGraw

God King – Williamson

Flame Over Tara – Pollard

Beyond the Desert Gate – Ray

The Cat of Bubastes A Tale of Ancient Egypt -
Henty

The Children's Homer – Colum

Shadow Hawk – Norton

The Bronze Bow – Speare

Between the Forest and the Hills - Lawrence

Torches of Joy – Dekker