

**Conejo Valley Unified School District
Curriculum, Instruction and Assessment
Middle School Core Literature**

GRADE	TITLE	AUTHOR
TEACHERS WILL TEACH 1 OF THE FOLLOWING:		
6	Adventures of Ulysses	Bernard Evslin
6	Tuck Everlasting	Natalie Babbitt
6	Wonder	R.J. Palacio
AND 1 OR MORE OF THE FOLLOWING:		
6	Adventures of Ulysses	Bernard Evslin
6	Dar and the Spear Thrower	Marjorie Cowley
6	Golden Goblet	Eloise McGraw
6	Lightning Thief	Rick Riordan
6	Maroo of the Winter Caves	Ann Turnbull
6	Mrs. Frisby and the Rats of NIMH	Robert C. O'Brien
6	Phantom Tollbooth	Norton Juster
6	Tuck Everlasting	Natalie Babbitt
6	Wonder	R.J. Palacio
TEACHERS WILL TEACH 1 OF THE FOLLOWING:		
7	Catherine, Called Birdy	Karen Cushman
7	Christmas Carol	Charles Dickens
7	Giver	Lois Lowry
AND 1 OR MORE OF THE FOLLOWING:		
7	Catherine, Called Birdy	Karen Cushman
7	Christmas Carol	Charles Dickens
7	Crispin	Avi
7	Giver	Lois Lowry
7	Hobbit	J.R.R. Tolkien
7	King's Shadow	Elizabeth Alder
7	Mango-Shaped Space	Wendy Mass
7	Martian Chronicles	Ray Bradbury
7	Midwife's Apprentice	Karen Cushman
7	Proud Taste for Scarlet and Miniver	Elaine Konigsburg
7	Where the Red Fern Grows	Wilson Rawls
TEACHERS WILL TEACH 1 OF THE FOLLOWING:		
8	Animal Farm	George Orwell
8	Night	Elie Wiesel
8	Outsiders	S.E. Hinton
AND 1 OR MORE OF THE FOLLOWING:		
8	Adventures of Tom Sawyer	Mark Twain
8	Alchemist	Paulo Coelho
8	Animal Farm	George Orwell
8	Book Thief	Markus Zusak
8	Boy in Striped Pajamas	John Boyne
8	Boy Who Harnessed the Wind	Kamkwamba and Mealer
8	Farewell to Manzanar	Jeanne Wakatsuki Houston
8	Glory Field	Walter Dean Myers
8	House of Scorpion	Nancy Farmer
8	Johnny Tremain	Esther Forbes
8	Night	Elie Wiesel
8	Outsiders	S.E. Hinton
8	Pearl	John Steinbeck