



Thomas Edison Charter Academy

TECA Dual Language 5th-8th Grade Spanish Literature Plan Overview

Novels to be Read for Each Grade:

5th	6th	7th	8th
<p>El Color de mis Palabras Lynn Joseph Rec Grades: 5-8 General Theme: Life in DR for 12 yo girl Caldecott Honor Book</p>	<p>Cajas de Carton Francisco Jimenez Rec Grades: 5-7 General Theme: Farmworker Life in CA</p>	<p>Senderos Fronterizos Francisco Jimenez Rec Grades: 5-9 General Theme: Deportation</p>	<p>Mas Alla de Mi Francisco Jimenez Rec Grades: 7-9 General Theme: Continuing Education</p>
<p>Esperanza Rising Pam Munoz Ryan Reading Level: V Rec Grades: 6-8 General Theme: Life in a new Country/Immigration Pura Belpre Award; Scholastic Gold</p>	<p>Yo, Naomi Leon Pam Munoz Ryan Reading Level: V Rec Grades: 6-8 General Theme: Difficult Adolescence Pura Belpre Award; Scholastic Gold</p>	<p>El Sonador Pam Munoz Ryan Reading Level: V Rec Grades: 4-7 General Theme: Childhood of Pablo Neruda Pura Belpre Award</p>	<p>La Casa en Mango Street Sandra Cisneros Reading Level: W Re Grades: 9-12 General Theme: Coming of age</p>
<p>De Como Tia Lola Vino a Visitar/Quedarse Julia Alvarez Reading Level: R Rec Grades: 3-5 General Theme: Dominican family dynamics</p>			<p>Ciudad de las Bestias Isabel Allende Rec Grades: 7+ (or other Allende book?) General Theme: Journey of a teen into the Jungle</p>

Other possibilities:

4th grade- Soy Maria Isabel
Reading Level: N
Rec Grades: 3-6

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