

**Common Core State Standards:  
Informational “Text Exemplars” (History-Social Studies)**

Elementary	Middle	High
<p><b>Primary Grades</b></p> <p>St. George, Judith. <i>So You Want to Be President?</i></p> <p>Ruffin, Frances E. <i>Martin Luther King and the March on Washington</i></p> <p>Floca, Brian. <i>Moonshot: The Flight of Apollo 11</i></p> <p><b>Upper Grades</b></p> <p>Carlisle, Madelyn Wood. <i>Let’s Investigate Marvelously Meaningful Maps</i></p> <p>Otfinoski, Steve. <i>The Kid’s Guide to Money: Earning It, Saving It, Spending It, Growing It, Sharing It</i></p> <p>Hakim, Joy. <i>A History of US</i></p> <p>Kavash, E. Barrie. “Ancient Mound Builders”</p> <p>Nelson, Kadir. <i>We Are the Ship: The Story of Negro League Baseball</i></p> <p>Buckmaster, Henrietta. “Underground Railroad”</p>	<p>Adams, John. “Letter on Thomas Jefferson”</p> <p>Douglass, Frederick. <i>Narrative of the Life of Frederick Douglass an American Slave, Written by Himself</i></p> <p>Petry, Ann. <i>Harriet Tubman: Conductor on the Underground Railroad</i></p> <p>Churchill, Winston. “Blood, Toil, Tears and Sweat: Address to Parliament on May 13th, 1940”</p> <p>United States. <i>Preamble and First Amendment to the United States Constitution</i></p> <p>Isaacson, Phillip. <i>A Short Walk through the Pyramids and through the World of Art</i></p> <p>Murphy, Jim. <i>The Great Fire</i></p> <p>Greenberg, Jan, and Sandra Jordan. <i>Vincent Van Gogh: Portrait of an Artist</i></p> <p>Partridge, Elizabeth. <i>This Land Was Made for You and Me: The Life and Songs of Woody Guthrie</i></p> <p>Monk, Linda R. <i>Words We Live By: Your Annotated Guide to the Constitution</i></p> <p>Freedman, Russell. <i>Freedom Walkers: The Story of the Montgomery Bus Boycott</i></p>	<p>Henry, Patrick. “Speech to the Second Virginia Convention”</p> <p>Washington, George. “Farewell Address”</p> <p>Lincoln, Abraham. “Gettysburg Address”</p> <p>Lincoln, Abraham. “Second Inaugural Address”</p> <p>Roosevelt, Franklin Delano. “State of the Union Address”</p> <p>Hand, Learned. “I Am an American Day Address”</p> <p>Smith, Margaret Chase. “Remarks to the Senate in Support of a Declaration of Conscience”</p> <p>King, Jr., Martin Luther. “Letter from Birmingham Jail”</p> <p>King, Jr., Martin Luther. “I Have a Dream: Address Delivered at the March on Washington, D.C., for Civil Rights on August 28, 1963”</p> <p>Wiesel, Elie. “Hope, Despair and Memory”</p> <p>Brown, Dee. <i>Bury My Heart at Wounded Knee: An Indian History of the American West</i></p>