

Literary Lists As Amended by the COFB on 6/23/2026

Figure: 19 TAC §128.10(f)(1) Required Literary Works List – Kindergarten

This list of literary works is required as described in administrative rule 19 TAC §128.10.

Grade	English Title	Author	ISBN	Spanish Title	Author	ISBN	Designated Read Aloud
Kinder	April Rain Song	Langston Hughes		Canción de la lluvia de abril	Langston Hughes		Read Aloud
Kinder	The Bald Eagle	Norman Pearl	978-1404826458	El águila de Estados Unidos	Dona Herweck Rice	978-1493829651	Read Aloud
Kinder	The Berenstain Bears and the Golden Rule	Stan Berenstain	978-0310712473	Los Osos Berenstain y La Regla de Oro	Stan Berenstain	978-0829758849	Read Aloud
Kinder	Blueberries for Sal	Robert McCloskey	978-0670175918	Arándanos para Sal	Robert McCloskey	978-8484703662	Read Aloud
Kinder	The Cat in the Hat	Dr. Seuss	978-0394800011	The Cat in the Hat/El Gato Ensombreado (Bilingual English-Spanish Edition)	Dr. Suess	978-0553524437	Read Aloud
Kinder	Chicka Chicka Boom Boom	Bill Martin Jr. and John Archambault	978-0689835681	Chica Chica Bum Bum	Bill Martin Jr. and John Archambault	978-0439434515	Read Aloud
Kinder	Cinderella/Cenicienta	Francesca Boada (adapted by)	978-0811830904	Cinderella/Cenicienta	Francesca Boada (adapted by)	978-0811830904	Read Aloud

Kinder	Classic Nursery Rhymes (selected excerpts: Baa Baa Black Sheep, Hickory Dickery Dock, Humpty Dumpty, Jack and Jill, Little Boy Blue, Little Miss Muffet, Mary Had a Little Lamb, Old King Cole, One Two Buckle My Shoe)	Nicola Baxter (compiler)	978-1843228370	La Madre Goose: Nursery Rhymes for los niños (selected excerpts: Maria Had A Little Oveja, Baa Baa Black Oveja, This Little Cerdo Went to Market, Three Little Gatitos, Peter, Peter, Calabaza, Maria, Maria Without Alegria, Little Miss Amarilla, Young Juan Ramon, Monday's Niño, One Potato, Dos Potatoes)	Susan Middleton Elya	978-0399251573	Read Aloud
Kinder	George Washington and the Cherry Tree (excerpt from The Children's Book of Virtues)	William J. Bennett (editor)	978-0684813530	George Washington y el cerezo (excerpt from El libro de las virtudes para niños)	William J. Bennett (editor)	978-8440665089	Read Aloud
Kinder	Goldilocks and the Three Bears	Jim Aylesworth	978-0439395458	Ricitos de oro y los tres osos	Candice Ransom	978-0769638157	Read Aloud
Kinder	The Grasshopper and the Ants	Jerry Pinkney (retold from Aesop)	978-0316400817	La cigarra y la hormiga y otras fábulas	Estudio PE S.A.C.	978-6070786365	Read Aloud
Kinder	How Grandmother Spider Brought Fire (A Choctaw Story) (Excerpt from A Year Full of Stories: 52 Folktales and Legends from Around the World)	Angela McAllister	978-1847808684	Cómo la abuela araña trajo fuego (excerpt from Historias para todo el año)	Angela McAllister	978-8467590814	
Kinder	The Keeping Quilt	Patricia Polacco	978-0689844478	La colcha de los recuerdos	Patricia Polacco	978-1880507544	Read Aloud
Kinder	L is for Lone Star: A Texas Alphabet	Carol Crane	978-1585360192	¡Todos al Rodeo! A Vaquero Alphabet Book	María Alma González Pérez	978-0982242278	Read Aloud
Kinder	The Little Red Hen (excerpt from The Children's Book of Virtues)	William J. Bennett (editor)	978-0684813530	La gallinita roja (excerpt from El libro de las virtudes para niños)	William J. Bennett (editor)	978-8440665089	Read Aloud

Kinder	The Lion and the Mouse (excerpt from The Children's Book of Virtues)	William J. Bennett (editor)	978-0684813530	El león y el ratón (excerpt from El libro de las virtudes para niños)	William J. Bennett (editor)	978-8440665089	Read Aloud
Kinder	Luna Loves Art	Joseph Coelho	978-1684640461	A Luna le encanta el museo	Joseph Coelho and Fiona Lumbers	978-6075573175	Read Aloud
Kinder	A Picture Book of George Washington	David A. Adler	978-0823440597	George Washington: A Bilingual Biography for Kids / Una biografía bilingüe para niños (Bilingual Biographies)	Claudia Alonso	978-1960304384	Read Aloud
Kinder	A Picture Book of Thomas Alva Edison	David A. Adler	978-0823414147	Thomas Edison: La revolución de la luz (selected excerpts: Que se haga la luz, Iluminar el camino, Ver la luz)	Nick Cimarusti	978-1087644523	Read Aloud
Kinder	The Runaway Bunny	Margaret Wise Brown	978-0064430180	El conejito andarín	Margaret Wise Brown	978-0060776947	Read Aloud
Kinder	The Snowy Day	Ezra Jack Keats	978-0670654000	The Snowy Day / Un día de nieve (English and Spanish Edition)	Ezra Jack Keats	978-1595192776	Read Aloud
Kinder	The Three Little Pigs / Los tres cerditos Bilingual Storybook	Patricia Seibert	978-0769638188	The Three Little Pigs/ Los tres cerditos Bilingual Storybook	Patricia Seibert	978-0769638188	Read Aloud
Kinder	The Tortoise and the Hare (excerpt from The Children's Book of Virtues)	William J. Bennett (editor)	978-0684813530	La liebra y la tortuga (excerpt from El libro de las virtudes para niños)	William J. Bennett (editor)	978-8440665089	Read Aloud
Kinder	The Very Hungry Caterpillar	Eric Carle	978-0399208539	The Very Hungry Caterpillar/La oruga muy hambrienta (Bilingual English-Spanish Edition)	Eric Carle	978-0399256042	Read Aloud
Kinder	You Are Special	Max Lucado	978-1433522673	Tú eres especial	Max Lucado	978-0789907523	Read Aloud

Figure: 19 TAC §128.10(f)(2) Required Literary Works List – First Grade

This list of literary works is required as described in administrative rule 19 TAC §128.10.

Grade	English Title	Author	ISBN	Spanish Title	Author	ISBN	Designated Read Aloud
Grade 1	Abe Lincoln: The Boy Who Loved Books	Kay Winters	978-1416912682	Soy Abraham Lincoln	Brad Meltzer	978-1543386028	Read Aloud
Grade 1	Abuela	Arthur Dorros	978-0140562255	Abuela	Arthur Dorros	978-0140562255	Read Aloud
Grade 1	Ada Twist, Scientist	Andrea Beaty	978-1419721373	Ada Magnífica, científica	Andrea Beaty	978-1644730348	Read Aloud
Grade 1	Amelia Bedelia's First Day of School	Herman Parish	978-0061544576	Amelia Bedelia	Peggy Parish	978-1880507759	Read Aloud
Grade 1	A Beautiful Day in the Neighborhood (selected excerpts: Won't You Be My Neighbor, I Like You As You Are, Children Can, Smile in Your Pocket, Take My Time, What Can You Hear?, I'd Like to Be Like Mom and Dad, Summer Rain, Are You Brave?, The King and the Ocean, Then Your Heart is Full of Love, The Truth Will Make You Free, You're Special, Perfect Day, I'm Proud of You)	Fred Rogers	978-1683693178	El Vecindario de Quinito	Ina Cumpiano	978-0892392292	Read Aloud
Grade 1	The Boy Who Cried Wolf (excerpt from The Children's Book of Virtues)	William J. Bennett (editor)	978-0684813530	¡Que viene el lobo! (excerpt from El libro de las virtudes para niños)	William J. Bennett (editor)	978-8440665089	Read Aloud

Grade 1	Classic Nursery Rhymes (selected excerpts: Jack Be Nimble, Peter Peter Pumpkin Eater, Simple Simon, Sing a Song of Sixpence, There Was an Old Woman, Twinkle Twinkle Little Star, Yankee Doodle)	Nicola Baxter	978-1843228370	La Madre Goose: Nursery Rhymes for los Niños (selected excerpts: Little Boy Azul, Old Madre Rosario, The Itsy Arañita, ¿What are las niñas made of?, ¿What are los niños made of?, Hey Diddle Diddle, Twinkle Twinkle Small Estrella, I see Luna)	Susan Middleton Elya	978-0399251573	Read Aloud
Grade 1	Curious About the White House	Kate Waters	978-0399541452	La Casa Blanca	R. J. Bailey	978-1620315064	Read Aloud
Grade 1	Daniel Boone (excerpt from A Book of Americans)	Stephen Vincent Benét and Rosemary Benét	978-1528700092	La Leyenda de Daniel Boone	Eric Blair	978-1404816565	Read Aloud
Grade 1	Danny and the Dinosaur	Syd Hoff	978-0064440028	Danielito y el Dinosaurio	Syd Hoff	978-1933032382	Read Aloud
Grade 1	Davy Crockett (English)	Emma E. Haldy	978-1634724937	Davy Crockett (Spanish)	Emma E. Haldy	978-1534133150	Read Aloud
Grade 1	The Fox and the Grapes (excerpt from Aesop's Fables: The Classic Edition)	Charles Santore and Aesop	978-1604338102	El zorro y las uvas (excerpt from Fábulas de Esopo)	Aesop (illustrated by Charles Santore)	978-1400349326	Read Aloud
Grade 1	Invitation (excerpt from Where the Sidewalk Ends)	Shel Silverstein	978-0060256678	Invitación (excerpt from Dónde el camino se corta)	Shel Silverstein	978-8440699626	Read Aloud
Grade 1	Jack and the Beanstalk	Thomas Nelson	978-1646431847	Jack and the Beanstalk, Grades PK - 3 Juan y los frijoles mágicos (Bilingual Book)	Carol Ottolenghi	978-0769638164	Read Aloud
Grade 1	Jonah and the Whale	Jonah 1:1-5, 10-17, 2:10					Read Aloud
Grade 1	The Legend of the Bluebonnet	Tomie dePaola	978-0698113596	La Leyenda de la flor "el conejo" una antigua leyenda de Texas	Tomie dePaola	978-0590480505	Read Aloud

Grade 1	The Life of Paul Revere	Maria Nelson	978-1433966576	La Vida de Paul Revere	Maria Nelson	978-1433966576	Read Aloud
Grade 1	The Little Engine That Could	Watty Piper	978-0448405209	La pequeña locomotora que sí pudo	Watty Piper	978-0448451091	Read Aloud
Grade 1	Madeline	Ludwig Bemelmans	978-0140564396	Madeline	Ludwig Bemelmans (translated by Ernesto LivonGrosman)	978-0140557619	Read Aloud
Grade 1	Medio Pollito/Half Chicken: A Folktale in Spanish and English	Alma Flor Ada	978-0440413608	Medio pollito/Half Chicken: A Folktale in Spanish and English	Alma Flor Ada	978-0440413608	Read Aloud
Grade 1	Now and Ben: The Modern Inventions of Benjamin Franklin	Gene Barretta	978-0312535698	Benjamin Franklin	Emma E. Haldy	978-1534133143	Read Aloud
Grade 1	A Picture Book of Frederick Douglass	David A. Adler	823412059	Frederick Douglass	Emma E. Haldy	978-1668964491	Read Aloud
Grade 1	Amazing Americans: Pocahontas	Sharon Coan	978-1433373534	Estadounidenses asombrosos: Pocahontas (Amazing Americans: Pocahontas)	Sharon Coan	978-1493804399	Read Aloud
Grade 1	Red Riding Hood	James Marshall	978-0140546934	Caperucita Roja	Teresa Mlawer	978-0988325333	Read Aloud
Grade 1	The Tale of Peter Rabbit	Beatrix Potter	978-0723247708	El cuento clásico de Pedrito, el conejo travieso (Little Apple Books) (Spanish Edition)	Beatrix Potter	978-1646430345	Read Aloud
Grade 1	The Ugly Duckling	Jerry Pinkney	978-0688159320	El patito feo	Arianna Candell	978-8494653193	Read Aloud
Grade 1	Wolf in Sheep's Clothing (excerpt from Aesop's Fables: The Classic Edition)	Charles Santore and Aesop	978-1604338102	El lobo con piel de oveja (excerpt from Fábulas de Esopo)	Aesop (illustrated by Charles Santore)	978-1400349326	Read Aloud

Figure: 19 TAC §128.10(f)(3) Required Literary Works List – Second Grade

This list of literary works is required as described in administrative rule 19 TAC §128.10.

Grade	English Title	Author	ISBN	Spanish Title	Author	ISBN	Designated Read Aloud
Grade 2	America Is...	Louise Borden	978-1416902867	Mi bandera	Ellen K Mitten	978-1634301299	Read Aloud
Grade 2	Beauty and the Beast	Marianna Mayer	978-0689711510	Beauty and the Beast / La Bella y la bestia	Joana Costa Knufinke (adapted by)	979-8225030117	Read Aloud
Grade 2	Bluebonnet at the Alamo	Mary Brooke Casad	978-1681793634	El Álamo	R. J. Bailey	978-1620315163	Read Aloud
Grade 2	The Courage of Sarah Noble	Alice Dalgliesh	978-0689715402	El coraje de Sara Noble	Alice Dalgliesh	978-8427934627	Read Aloud
Grade 2	David and Goliath (excerpt from The Children’s Book of Heroes)	William J. Bennett (editor)	978-0684834450	Una aventura gigantesca: David y Goliat	CBN	978-1629997810	Read Aloud
Grade 2	The Donkey in the Lion’s Skin (Excerpt from Aesop’s Fables: The Classic Edition)	Aesop (illustrated by Charles Santore)	978-1604338102	El burro con piel de oveja (excerpt from Fábulas de Esopo)	Aesop (illustrated by Charles Santore)	978-1400349326	Read Aloud
Grade 2	Falling Up (excerpt from Falling Up)	Shel Silverstein	978-0060248024	Cayendo hacia arriba (excerpt from Cayendo hacia arriba)	Shel Silverstein (translated by Alberto Jimenez Rioja)	978-1933032801	Read Aloud
Grade 2	James Madison: The 4th President	Josh Gregory	978-1642808216	James Madison y la formación de los Estados Unidos	Torrey Maloof	979-8330902071	Read Aloud

Grade 2	John Henry	Julius Lester	978-0140566222	John Henry	Christianne C. Jones	978-1404821743	Read Aloud
Grade 2	Johnny Appleseed	Steven Kellogg (retold and illustrated by)	978-0688140250	La historia de Johnny Appleseed	Aliki	978-0962516269	Read Aloud
Grade 2	The Legend of the Dipper (excerpt from the Children's Book of Virtues)	William J. Bennett (editor)	978-0684813530	La Leyenda de la Osa Mayor (excerpt from El Libro de virtudes para niños)	William J. Bennett (editor)	978-8440665089	Read Aloud
Grade 2	Paul Bunyan	Steven Kellogg (retold and illustrated by)	978-0688058005	Paul Bunyan: un cuento fantástico	Eric Blair	978-1404816572	Read Aloud
Grade 2	Moses: When Harriet Tubman Led Her People to Freedom	Carole Boston Weatherford	978-0786851751	¿Quién Fue Harriet Tubman? (selected excerpts: ¿Quién fue a Harriet Tubman?, La Conductora, La Moises de su gente)	Yona Zeldis McDonough	978-1631138508	Read Aloud
Grade 2	The Patchwork Quilt	Valerie Flournoy	978-0803700970	Braids / Trencitas	Kathleen Contreras	978-1933032276	Read Aloud
Grade 2	Sam: The Minuteman	Nathaniel Benchley	978-0060204808	La Revolución Estadounidense: La lucha por la libertad (selected excerpts: ¡La guerra está cerca!, Y así comienza, El momento decisivo)	Torrey Maloof	978-0743913607	Read Aloud
Grade 2	Stellaluna	Janell Cannon	978-0544874350	Stellaluna	Janell Cannon	978-8426131577	Read Aloud
Grade 2	Susan B. Anthony	Laura K. Murray	978-1977126603	Estadounidenses asombrosos: Susan B. Anthony	Stephanie Kuligowski	978-1493804948	Read Aloud
Grade 2	The Swing	Robert Louis Stevenson		El Columpio	Robert Louis Stephenson		Read Aloud

Grade 2	Teammates	Peter Golenbock	978-0152842864	Jackie Robinson: Un héroe en el campo de béisbol	Stephanie Macceca	978-1433325786	Read Aloud
Grade 2	The Thanksgiving Story	Alice Dalglish	978-0689710537	El Primer día de acción de gracias	G. Jackson	978-0439317337	Read Aloud
Grade 2	Try, Try Again (excerpt from The Children's Book of Virtues)	William J. Bennett (editor)	978-0684813530	Try, Try Again Spanish Version (excerpt from El libro de las virtudes para niños)	William J. Bennett (editor)	978-8440665089	Read Aloud
Grade 2	We the Kids: The Preamble of the Constitution of the United States	David Catrow	978-0142402764	El Preámbulo: el espíritu de Estados Unidos	Lorin Driggs	978-1087622804	Read Aloud
Grade 2	Winnie-the-Pooh (Chapter 1 "In Which We Are Introduced to Winnie-the-Pooh and Some Bees, and the Stories Begin" and Chapter 2 "In Which Pooh Goes Visiting and Gets Into a Tight Place")	A. A. Milne	978-0525555315	Winnie de Puh (Capítulo 1 "En el cual conocemos a Winnie de Puh y a unas abejas," Capítulo 2 "En el cual Pooh va de visita y se encuentra en un aprieto")	A. A. Milne	978-0525449867	Read Aloud

Figure: 19 TAC §128.10(f)(4) Required Literary Works List – Third Grade

This list of literary works is required as described in administrative rule 19 TAC [§128.10](#).

Grade	English Title	Author	ISBN	Spanish Title	Author	ISBN	Designated Read Aloud
Grade 3	Abraham Lincoln (excerpt from A Book of Americans)	Stephen Vincent Benét and Rosemary Benét	978-1528700092	Abraham Lincoln: 16th presidente de los Estados Unidos	Grace Hansen	978-1629703794	

Grade 3	Archimedes and the Door of Science (Chapter 1 "Who was Archimedes?," Chapter 4 "Archimedes and his Lever," Chapter 9 "Archimedes and Numbers")	Jeanne Bendick	978-1684222599	Arquímedes: Todo principio tiene un principio	Alvaro Marcos	978-8417137007	Read Aloud
Grade 3	Charlotte's Web	E. B. White	978-0064400558	La teleraña de Carlota	E. B. White	978-0060757403	
Grade 3	Enemy Pie	Derek Munson	978-0811827782	Pastel para enemigos	Derek Munson	978-8426133786	
Grade 3	The Fisherman and His Wife	Rachel Isadora	978-0399247712	El pescador y su mujer	Eric Blair (translated by Patricia Abello)	978-1404816305	
Grade 3	George Washington (excerpt from A Book of Americans)	Stephen Vincent Benét and Rosemary Benét	978-1528700092	George Washington	Donna Herweck	978-1433381324	
Grade 3	Icarus and Daedalus (excerpt from Classic Myths to Read Aloud: The Great Stories of Greek and Roman Mythology)	William F. Russell	978-0517570128	Ariadna y el Minotauro (excerpt from Héroes de la mitología griega)	Luisa Mattia	978-8412804669	Read Aloud
Grade 3	King Midas and the Golden Touch	Charlotte Craft	978-0060540630	El Rey Midas	Margarita Ruiz	978-8478648955	Read Aloud
Grade 3	ROAR! – Daniel and the Lion's Den – Children's Adapted Version	CBN	978-1629997407	Daniel y la fosa de leones	Vidalibros	978-1949206005	Read Aloud
Grade 3	Miss Rumphius	Barbara Cooney	978-0140505399	La Senorita Runfio	Barbara Cooney	978-0670868315	
Grade 3	Seeker of Knowledge: The Man Who Deciphered Egyptian Hieroglyphs	James Rumford	978-0618333455	Explora tu mundo : El antiguo Egipto	Penelope Arlon	978-0545695152	Read Aloud

Grade 3	Smart (excerpt from A Light in the Attic)	Shel Silverstein	978-0061905858	El más listo (excerpt from Cayendo hacia arriba)	Shel Silverstein (translated by Alberto Jimenez Rioja)	978-1933032801	
Grade 3	The Shepherd Boy and the Wolf (excerpt from Aesop's Fables)	Aesop (adapted and illustrated by Jerry Pinkney)	978-1587170003	El pastorcito mentiroso	Kathleen Bradley	978-1433392870	
Grade 3	Stone Soup	Marcia Brown	978-0689711039	Sopa de piedras	Marcia Brown	978-0962516245	
Grade 3	Benjamin Franklin (Life Stories/Biografías Bilingual Edition)	Gillian Gosman	978-1448832194	Benjamin Franklin (Life Stories / Biografías Bilingual Edition)	Gillian Gosman	978-1448832194	
Grade 3	Stuart Little	E.B. White	978-0064400565	Stuart Little (Spanish Edition)	E.B. White	978-1644739020	Read Aloud
Grade 3	Thomas Jefferson (excerpt from A Book of Americans)	Stephen Vincent Benét and Rosemary Benét	978-1528700092	Thomas Jefferson: Declarar nuestra libertad	Jane Dustman	978-1433325809	
Grade 3	Tomas and the Library Lady	Pat Mora	978-0375803499	Tomás y la señora de la biblioteca	Pat Mora	978-0679841739	
Grade 3	Too Many Tamales	Gary Soto	978-0698114128	Que montón de tamales	Gary Soto	978-0780769021	
Grade 3	The Town Mouse and the Country Mouse (excerpt from Aesop's Fables: The Classic Edition)	Aesop (illustrated by Charles Santore)	978-1604338102	El ratón de ciudad y el ratón de campo (excerpt from Fábulas de Esopo)	Aesop (illustrated)	978-1400349326	

Grade 3	What Do You Do with a Problem?	Kobi Yamada	978-1943200009	¿Qué haces con un problema?	Kobi Yamada	978-8416490523	
Grade 3	The Wind in the Willows (Chapters "The River Bank," "The Open Road," "The Wild Wood," and "Mr. Badger")	Kenneth Grahame	978-1402736964	El viento en las sauces	Kenneth Grahame	978-1987627930	

Figure: 19 TAC §128.10(f)(5) Required Literary Works List – Fourth Grade

This list of literary works is required as described in administrative rule 19 TAC [§128.10](#).

Grade	English Title	Author	ISBN	Spanish Title	Author	ISBN	Designated Read Aloud
Grade 4	The Ant and the Dove (excerpt from Aesop's Fables)	Aesop (adapted and illustrated by Jerry Pinkney)	978-1587170003	El saltamontes y la hormiga (excerpt from Fábulas de Aesop)	Charles Santore	978-1400349326	
Grade 4	The Boy Who Harnessed the Wind (Picture Book Edition)	William Kamkwamba and Bryan Mealer	979-8217111121	El niño que domó el viento (Prólogo Young Reader's Edition)	William Kamkwamba	978-1644732649	
Grade 4	Brave Irene	William Steig	978-0312564223	Irene, La Valiente	William Steig	978-0374436209	
Grade 4	Dreams	Langston Hughes		Sueños	Langston Hughes		
Grade 4	Number the Stars	Lois Lowry	978-0547577098	¿Quién cuenta las estrellas?	Lois Lowry	978-6070712579	

Grade 4	Robin Hood and the Golden Arrow (excerpt from Robin Hood and the Golden Arrow and Other Legends, pages 11-21)	Geraldine McCaughrean	978-1444002362	Robin Hood (excerpt from El gran libro de los héroes y los aventureros)	Valeria Davila	978-9873503818	
Grade 4	Sea Fever	John Masefield		Fiebre marina	John Masefield		
Grade 4	Stone Fox	John Reynolds Gardiner	978-0064401326	Stone Fox y la carrera de trineos	John Reynolds Gardiner	978-8427932630	
Grade 4	The Story of King Arthur and His Knights (Part 1 "The Winning of Kinghood" Chapters 1 and 2)	Howard Pyle (adapted by Tania Zamorsky)	978-1454945314	Not Available			Read Aloud
Grade 4	Sundiata: The Lion King of Mali	David Wisniewski	978-0395764817	Sunjata del imperio mandé	Ekiuwa Aire	978-1998041206	
Grade 4	Treasure Island (Classic Adventures)	Robert Louis Stevenson (adapted by Jacqueline Dembar Greene)	978-1946260260	La isla del tesoro	Sol y Lápiz	979-8280904040	
Grade 4	Who Was Leonardo Da Vinci? (Chapter 1 "Who Was Leonardo DaVinci?", Chapter 2 "The Unwanted Boy", Chapter 3 "The Art Studio" and Chapter 4 "The Wider World")	Roberta Edwards	978-0448443010	¿Quién fue Leonardo da Vinci? (Chapters 1 - 4)	Roberta Edwards	978-0448458571	
Grade 4	The Necessity of Humility (Luke 14:7-11)	New International Reader's Version: New Testament	978-0310445906	La necesidad de la humildad	Biblia Nueva Versión Internacional: El Nuevo Testamento	978-1535955102	Read Aloud

Figure: 19 TAC §128.10(f)(6) Required Literary Works List – Fifth Grade

This list of literary works is required as described in administrative rule 19 TAC §128.10.

Grade	English Title	Author	ISBN	Spanish Title	Author	ISBN
Grade 5	Adventures of Don Quixote (Dover Children's Thrift Classics)	Argentina Palacios	978-0486407913	Don Quixote de la mancha (Children's Version)	Miguel Cervantes and Sol Y Lápiz	979-8280669802
Grade 5	Casey at the Bat	Ernest Lawrence Thayer		La historia de Casey al bate	Benchmark	
Grade 5	The Colonization of Texas: Missions and Settlers	Stephanie Kuligowski	978-1433350443	La colonización de Texas: Misiones y colonos	Stephanie Kuligowski	978-1433372117
Grade 5	Declaration of Independence in Translation: What It Really Means?	Amy Jane Leavitt	978-1515762508	La Declaración de la Independencia	Jill K. Mulhall	978-1493816491
Grade 5	"Give Me Liberty or Give Me Death" (speech to the Second Virginia Convention)	Patrick Henry		¡dadme libertad o dadme la muerte! (Translation)	Patrick Henry	
Grade 5	Independence Bell – July 4, 1776	Anonymous		Los símbolos de Estados Unidos / Symbols of the United States	VHL	978-1543386325
Grade 5	The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe	C. S. Lewis	978-0064471046	El leon, la bruja y el ropero	C. S. Lewis	978-0060086619
Grade 5	The Mayflower Compact	William Brewster, William Bradford, Edward Winslow		El pacto del Mayflower	David Armentrout and Patricia Armentrout	978-1595156488

Grade 5	The Monkey as King (excerpts from Aesop's Fables)	Aesop (adapted and illustrated by Charles Santore)	978-1604338102	El mono como rey (excerpt from Fábulas de Esopo Spanish Edition)	Aesop (adapted and illustrated by Charles Santore)	978-1400349326
Grade 5	A More Perfect Union: The Story of Our Constitution	Betsy Maestro	978-0688101923	Una unión más perfecta: La historia de nuestra constitución	Betsy Maestro	978-1880507292
Grade 5	Moses (Exodus 3: The Burning Bush and Exodus 14: the Parting of the Red Sea)	New International Reader's Version (NIRV) Bible	978-0310445906	Moses (Exodus 3: La zarza ardiente and Exodus 14: El cruce del Mar Rojo)	Nueva version internacional biblia	978-1535955102
Grade 5	Paul Revere's Ride	Henry Wadsworth Longfellow		Not Available		
Grade 5	The Phantom Tollbooth	Norton Juster	978-0394820378	La caseta mágica	Norton Juster	978-1984897671
Grade 5	Sam Houston: A Fearless Statesman	Joanne Mattern	978-1433350498	Por qué Sam Houston es importante en Texas	Lynn Peppas	978-1725361126
Grade 5	Thomas Jefferson	Mike Venezia	978-0516226088	¿Quién fue Tomás Jefferson? (selected excerpts: Tom el alto, La Declaración, Secretario del estado y vicepresidente, Nuestro tercer presidente)	Dennis Brindell Fradin	978-1631138478
Grade 5	Who was Davy Crockett? (selected excerpts: Who was Davy Crockett?, A Pioneer Family, Young David, On His Own, Crockett Speaks Up, David Goes to Washington, The Alamo, Folk Hero)	Gail Herman	978-0448467047	Davy Crockett: Defensor de la frontera	J.T. Moriarty	978-0823941322

Figure: 19 TAC §128.30(f)(1) Required Literary Works List – Sixth Grade

This list of literary works is required as described in administrative rule 19 TAC §128.10.

Grade	English Title	Author	ISBN	Spanish Title	Author	ISBN
Grade 6	Across Five Aprils	Irene Hunt	978-0425182789	Not Available		
Grade 6	--- Abraham Lincoln, A Man of Faith and Courage: Stories of Our Most Admired President (Chapter 7 "The Road Back to God")	Joe Wheeler	978-1982116514	Not Available		
Grade 6	--- The Blue and The Gray	Francis Miles Finch		Not Available		
Grade 6	---General Order 108 to the "Soldiers of the Armies of the United States"	Ulysses S. Grant		Not Available		
Grade 6	└─ The Gettysburg Address	Abraham Lincoln		El discurso de Gettysburg	David Armentrout	978-1595156471
Grade 6	All Creatures Great and Small	James Herriot	978-1250057839	Todas las criaturas grandes y pequeñas: Aventuras y desventuras de un veterinario en la campiña inglesa (Volumenes 1 – 3)	James Herriot	978-8410025400 978-8410025851 978-8410323834
Grade 6	--- The Power of the Dog	Rudyard Kipling		Not Available		
Grade 6	--- A White Heron	Sarah Orne Jewett	978-1479462186	Una garza blanca	Sarah Orne Jewett	

Grade 6	Do Not Be Anxious (Book of Matthew, Chapter 6, Verses 25-34)	English Standard Version: New Testament	979-8874903398	No se preocupen (Book of Matthew, Chapter 6, Verses 25-34)	La Santa Biblia RVR: El Nuevo Testamento	978-1433579660
Grade 6	The Peace of the Wild Things	Wendell Berry		La paz de las cosas salvajes (Translation)	Wendell Berry	

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Figure: 19 TAC §110.10(f)(1) Required Literary Works List – Kindergarten

This list of literary works is required as described in administrative rule 19 TAC §110.10.

Grade	English Title	Author	ISBN	Designated Read Aloud
Kinder	April Rain Song	Langston Hughes		Read Aloud
Kinder	The Bald Eagle	Norman Pearl	978-1404826458	Read Aloud
Kinder	The Berenstain Bears and the Golden Rule	Stan Berenstain	978-0310712473	Read Aloud
Kinder	Blueberries for Sal	Robert McCloskey	978-0670175918	Read Aloud
Kinder	The Cat in the Hat	Dr. Seuss	978-0394800011	Read Aloud
Kinder	Chicka Chicka Boom Boom	Bill Martin Jr. and John Archambault	978-0689835681	Read Aloud
Kinder	Cinderella/Cenicienta	Francesca Boada (adapted by)	978-0811830904	Read Aloud

Kinder	Classic Nursery Rhymes (selected excerpts: Baa Baa Black Sheep, Hickory Dickery Dock, Humpty Dumpty, Jack and Jill, Little Boy Blue, Little Miss Muffet, Mary Had a Little Lamb, Old King Cole, One Two Buckle My Shoe)	Nicola Baxter (compiler)	978-1843228370	Read Aloud
Kinder	George Washington and the Cherry Tree (excerpt from The Children's Book of Virtues)	William J. Bennett (editor)	978-0684813530	Read Aloud
Kinder	Goldilocks and the Three Bears	Jim Aylesworth	978-0439395458	Read Aloud
Kinder	The Grasshopper and the Ants	Jerry Pinkney (retold from Aesop)	978-0316400817	Read Aloud
Kinder	How Grandmother Spider Brought Fire (A Choctaw Story) (Excerpt from A Year Full of Stories: 52 Folktales and Legends from Around the World)	Angela McAllister	978-1847808684	
Kinder	The Keeping Quilt	Patricia Polacco	978-0689844478	Read Aloud
Kinder	L is for Lone Star: A Texas Alphabet	Carol Crane	978-1585360192	Read Aloud
Kinder	The Little Red Hen (excerpt from The Children's Book of Virtues)	William J. Bennett (editor)	978-0684813530	Read Aloud

Kinder	The Lion and the Mouse (excerpt from The Children's Book of Virtues)	William J. Bennett (editor)	978-0684813530	Read Aloud
Kinder	Luna Loves Art	Joseph Coelho	978-1684640461	Read Aloud
Kinder	A Picture Book of George Washington	David A. Adler	978-0823440597	Read Aloud
Kinder	A Picture Book of Thomas Alva Edison	David A. Adler	978-0823414147	Read Aloud
Kinder	The Runaway Bunny	Margaret Wise Brown	978-0064430180	Read Aloud
Kinder	The Snowy Day	Ezra Jack Keats	978-0670654000	Read Aloud
Kinder	The Three Little Pigs / Los tres cerditos Bilingual Storybook	Patricia Seibert	978-0769638188	Read Aloud
Kinder	The Tortoise and the Hare (excerpt from The Children's Book of Virtues)	William J. Bennett (editor)	978-0684813530	Read Aloud
Kinder	The Very Hungry Caterpillar	Eric Carle	978-0399208539	Read Aloud
Kinder	You Are Special	Max Lucado	978-1433522673	Read Aloud

Figure: 19 TAC §110.10(f)(2) Required Literary Works List – First Grade

This list of literary works is required as described in administrative rule 19 TAC §110.10.

Grade	English Title	Author	ISBN	Designated Read Aloud
Grade 1	Abe Lincoln: The Boy Who Loved Books	Kay Winters	978-1416912682	Read Aloud
Grade 1	Abuela	Arthur Dorros	978-0140562255	Read Aloud
Grade 1	Ada Twist, Scientist	Andrea Beaty	978-1419721373	Read Aloud
Grade 1	Amelia Bedelia's First Day of School	Herman Parish	978-0061544576	Read Aloud
Grade 1	A Beautiful Day in the Neighborhood (selected excerpts: Won't You Be My Neighbor, I Like You As You Are, Children Can, Smile in Your Pocket, Take My Time, What Can You Hear?, I'd Like to Be Like Mom and Dad, Summer Rain, Are You Brave?, The King and the Ocean, Then Your Heart is Full of Love, The Truth Will Make You Free, You're Special, Perfect Day, I'm Proud of You)	Fred Rogers	978-1683693178	Read Aloud
Grade 1	The Boy Who Cried Wolf (excerpt from The Children's Book of Virtues)	William J. Bennett (editor)	978-0684813530	Read Aloud

Grade 1	Classic Nursery Rhymes (selected excerpts: Jack Be Nimble, Peter Peter Pumpkin Eater, Simple Simon, Sing a Song of Sixpence, There Was an Old Woman, Twinkle Twinkle Little Star, Yankee Doodle)	Nicola Baxter	978-1843228370	Read Aloud
Grade 1	Curious About the White House	Kate Waters	978-0399541452	Read Aloud
Grade 1	Daniel Boone (excerpt from A Book of Americans)	Stephen Vincent Benét and Rosemary Benét	978-1528700092	Read Aloud
Grade 1	Danny and the Dinosaur	Syd Hoff	978-0064440028	Read Aloud
Grade 1	Davy Crockett (English)	Emma E. Haldy	978-1634724937	Read Aloud
Grade 1	The Fox and the Grapes (excerpt from Aesop's Fables: The Classic Edition)	Charles Santore and Aesop	978-1604338102	Read Aloud
Grade 1	Invitation (excerpt from Where the Sidewalk Ends)	Shel Silverstein	978-0060256678	Read Aloud
Grade 1	Jack and the Beanstalk	Thomas Nelson	978-1646431847	Read Aloud
Grade 1	The Legend of the Bluebonnet	Tomie dePaola	978-0698113596	Read Aloud
Grade 1	The Life of Paul Revere	Maria Nelson	978-1433966576	Read Aloud

Grade 1	The Little Engine That Could	Watty Piper	978-0448405209	Read Aloud
Grade 1	Madeline	Ludwig Bemelmans	978-0140564396	Read Aloud
Grade 1	Medio Pollito/Half Chicken: A Folktale in Spanish and English	Alma Flor Ada	978-0440413608	Read Aloud
Grade 1	Now and Ben: The Modern Inventions of Benjamin Franklin	Gene Barretta	978-0312535698	Read Aloud
Grade 1	A Picture Book of Frederick Douglass	David A. Adler	823412059	Read Aloud
Grade 1	Amazing Americans: Pocahontas	Sharon Coan	978-1433373534	Read Aloud
Grade 1	Red Riding Hood	James Marshall	978-0140546934	Read Aloud
Grade 1	The Tale of Peter Rabbit	Beatrix Potter	978-0723247708	Read Aloud
Grade 1	The Ugly Duckling	Jerry Pinkney	978-0688159320	Read Aloud
Grade 1	Wolf in Sheep's Clothing (excerpt from Aesop's Fables: The Classic Edition)	Charles Santore and Aesop	978-1604338102	Read Aloud

Figure: 19 TAC §110.10(f)(3) Required Literary Works List – Second Grade

This list of literary works is required as described in administrative rule 19 TAC §110.10.

Grade	English Title	Author	ISBN	Designated Read Aloud
Grade 2	America Is...	Louise Borden	978-1416902867	Read Aloud
Grade 2	Beauty and the Beast	Marianna Mayer	978-0689711510	Read Aloud
Grade 2	Bluebonnet at the Alamo	Mary Brooke Casad	978-1681793634	Read Aloud
Grade 2	The Courage of Sarah Noble	Alice Dalglish	978-0689715402	Read Aloud
Grade 2	David and Goliath (excerpt from The Children’s Book of Heroes)	William J. Bennett (editor)	978-0684834450	Read Aloud
Grade 2	The Donkey in the Lion’s Skin (Excerpt from Aesop’s Fables: The Classic Edition)	Aesop (illustrated by Charles Santore)	978-1604338102	Read Aloud
Grade 2	Falling Up (excerpt from Falling Up)	Shel Silverstein	978-0060248024	Read Aloud
Grade 2	James Madison: The 4th President	Josh Gregory	978-1642808216	Read Aloud

Grade 2	John Henry	Julius Lester	978-014056622 2	Read Aloud
Grade 2	Johnny Appleseed	Steven Kellogg (retold and illustrated by)	978-068814025 0	Read Aloud
Grade 2	The Legend of the Dipper (excerpt from the Children's Book of Virtues)	William J. Bennett (editor)	978-068481353 0	Read Aloud
Grade 2	Paul Bunyan	Steven Kellogg (retold and illustrated by)	978-068805800 5	Read Aloud
Grade 2	Moses: When Harriet Tubman Led Her People to Freedom	Carole Boston Weatherford	978-078685175 1	Read Aloud
Grade 2	The Patchwork Quilt	Valerie Flournoy	978-080370097 0	Read Aloud
Grade 2	Sam: The Minuteman	Nathaniel Benchley	978-006020480 8	Read Aloud
Grade 2	Stellaluna	Janell Cannon	978-054487435 0	Read Aloud
Grade 2	Susan B. Anthony	Laura K. Murray	978-197712660 3	Read Aloud
Grade 2	The Swing	Robert Louis Stevenson		Read Aloud
Grade 2	Teammates	Peter Golenbock	978-015284286 4	Read Aloud

Grade 2	The Thanksgiving Story	Alice Dalgliesh	978-0689710537	Read Aloud
Grade 2	Try, Try Again (excerpt from The Children's Book of Virtues)	William J. Bennett (editor)	978-0684813530	Read Aloud
Grade 2	We the Kids: The Preamble of the Constitution of the United States	David Catrow	978-0142402764	Read Aloud
Grade 2	Winnie-the-Pooh (Chapter 1 "In Which We Are Introduced to Winnie-the-Pooh and Some Bees, and the Stories Begin" and Chapter 2 "In Which Pooh Goes Visiting and Gets Into a Tight Place")	A. A. Milne	978-0525555315	Read Aloud

Figure: 19 TAC §110.10(f)(4) Required Literary Works List – Third Grade

This list of literary works is required as described in administrative rule 19 TAC [§110.10](#).

Grade	English Title	Author	ISBN	Designated Read Aloud
Grade 3	Abraham Lincoln (excerpt from A Book of Americans)	Stephen Vincent Benét and Rosemary Benét	978-1528700092	

Grade 3	Archimedes and the Door of Science (Chapter 1 "Who was Archimedes?," Chapter 4 "Archimedes and his Lever," Chapter 9 "Archimedes and Numbers")	Jeanne Bendick	978-1684222599	Read Aloud
Grade 3	Charlotte's Web	E. B. White	978-0064400558	
Grade 3	Enemy Pie	Derek Munson	978-0811827782	
Grade 3	The Fisherman and His Wife	Rachel Isadora	978-0399247712	
Grade 3	George Washington (excerpt from A Book of Americans)	Stephen Vincent Benét and Rosemary Benét	978-1528700092	
Grade 3	Icarus and Daedalus (excerpt from Classic Myths to Read Aloud: The Great Stories of Greek and Roman Mythology)	William F. Russell	978-0517570128	Read Aloud
Grade 3	King Midas and the Golden Touch	Charlotte Craft	978-0060540630	Read Aloud
Grade 3	ROAR! – Daniel and the Lion's Den – Children's Adapted Version	CBN	978-1629997407	Read Aloud
Grade 3	Miss Rumphius	Barbara Cooney	978-0140505399	
Grade 3	Seeker of Knowledge: The Man Who Deciphered Egyptian Hieroglyphs	James Rumford	978-0618333455	Read Aloud

Grade 3	Smart (excerpt from A Light in the Attic)	Shel Silverstein	978-0061905858	
Grade 3	The Shepherd Boy and the Wolf (excerpt from Aesop's Fables)	Aesop (adapted and illustrated by Jerry Pinkney)	978-1587170003	
Grade 3	Stone Soup	Marcia Brown	978-0689711039	
Grade 3	Benjamin Franklin (Life Stories/Biografías Bilingual Edition)	Gillian Gosman	978-1448832194	
Grade 3	Stuart Little	E.B. White	978-0064400565	Read Aloud
Grade 3	Thomas Jefferson (excerpt from A Book of Americans)	Stephen Vincent Benét and Rosemary Benét	978-1528700092	
Grade 3	Tomas and the Library Lady	Pat Mora	978-0375803499	
Grade 3	Too Many Tamales	Gary Soto	978-0698114128	
Grade 3	The Town Mouse and the Country Mouse (excerpt from Aesop's Fables: The Classic Edition)	Aesop (illustrated Charles Santore)	978-1604338102	
Grade 3	What Do You Do with a Problem?	Kobi Yamada	978-1943200009	

Grade 3	The Wind in the Willows (Chapters "The River Bank," "The Open Road," "The Wild Wood," and "Mr. Badger")	Kenneth Grahame	978- 140273696 4	
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Figure: 19 TAC §110.10(f)(5) Required Literary Works List – Fourth Grade

This list of literary works is required as described in administrative rule 19 TAC §110.10.

Grade	English Title	Author	ISBN	Designated Read Aloud
Grade 4	The Ant and the Dove (excerpt from Aesop's Fables)	Aesop (adapted and illustrated by Jerry Pinkney)	978-1587170003	
Grade 4	The Boy Who Harnessed the Wind (Picture Book Edition)	William Kamkwamba and Bryan Mealer	979-8217111121	
Grade 4	Brave Irene	William Steig	978-0312564223	
Grade 4	Dreams	Langston Hughes		
Grade 4	Number the Stars	Lois Lowry	978-0547577098	
Grade 4	Robin Hood and the Golden Arrow (excerpt from Robin Hood and the Golden Arrow and Other Legends, pages 11-21)	Geraldine McCaughrean	978-1444002362	
Grade 4	Sea Fever	John Masefield		
Grade 4	Stone Fox	John Reynolds Gardiner	978-0064401326	

Grade 4	The Story of King Arthur and His Knights (Part 1 "The Winning of Kinghood" Chapters 1 and 2)	Howard Pyle (adapted by Tania Zamorsky)	978- 145494531 4	Read Aloud
Grade 4	Sundiata: The Lion King of Mali	David Wisniewski	978- 039576481 7	
Grade 4	Treasure Island (Classic Adventures)	Robert Louis Stevenson (adapted by Jacqueline Dembar Greene)	978- 194626026 0	
Grade 4	Who Was Leonardo Da Vinci? (Chapter 1 "Who Was Leonardo DaVinci?", Chapter 2 "The Unwanted Boy", Chapter 3 "The Art Studio" and Chapter 4 "The Wider World")	Roberta Edwards	978- 044844301 0	
Grade 4	The Necessity of Humility (Luke 14:7-11)	New International Reader's Version: New Testament	978- 031044590 6	Read Aloud

Figure: 19 TAC §110.10(f)(6) Required Literary Works List – Fifth Grade

This list of literary works is required as described in administrative rule 19 TAC §110.10.

Grade	English Title	Author	ISBN
Grade 5	Adventures of Don Quixote (Dover Children's Thrift Classics)	Argentina Palacios	978-0486407913
Grade 5	Casey at the Bat	Ernest Lawrence Thayer	
Grade 5	The Colonization of Texas: Missions and Settlers	Stephanie Kuligowski	978-1433350443
Grade 5	Declaration of Independence in Translation: What It Really Means?	Amy Jane Leavitt	978-1515762508
Grade 5	"Give Me Liberty or Give Me Death" (speech to the Second Virginia Convention)	Patrick Henry	
Grade 5	Independence Bell – July 4, 1776	Anonymous	
Grade 5	The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe	C. S. Lewis	978-0064471046
Grade 5	The Mayflower Compact	William Brewster, William Bradford, Edward Winslow	

Grade 5	The Monkey as King (excerpts from Aesop's Fables)	Aesop (adapted and illustrated by Charles Santore)	978-1604338102
Grade 5	A More Perfect Union: The Story of Our Constitution	Betsy Maestro	978-0688101923
Grade 5	Moses (Exodus 3: The Burning Bush and Exodus 14: the Parting of the Red Sea)	New International Reader's Version (NIRV) Bible	978-0310445906
Grade 5	Paul Revere's Ride	Henry Wadsworth Longfellow	
Grade 5	The Phantom Tollbooth	Norton Juster	978-0394820378
Grade 5	Sam Houston: A Fearless Statesman	Joanne Mattern	978-1433350498
Grade 5	Thomas Jefferson	Mike Venezia	978-0516226088
Grade 5	Who was Davy Crockett? (selected excerpts: Who was Davy Crockett?, A Pioneer Family, Young David, On His Own, Crockett Speaks Up, David Goes to Washington, The Alamo, Folk Hero)	Gail Herman	978-0448467047

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Grade 6	Across Five Aprils	Irene Hunt	978-0425182789
Grade 6	--- Abraham Lincoln, A Man of Faith and Courage: Stories of Our Most Admired President (Chapter 7 "The Road Back to God")	Joe Wheeler	978-1982116514
Grade 6	--- The Blue and The Gray	Francis Miles Finch	
Grade 6	---General Order 108 to the "Soldiers of the Armies of the United States"	Ulysses S. Grant	
Grade 6	└ The Gettysburg Address	Abraham Lincoln	
Grade 6	All Creatures Great and Small	James Herriot	978-1250057839
Grade 6	--- The Power of the Dog	Rudyard Kipling	
Grade 6	--- A White Heron	Sarah Orne Jewett	978-1479462186

Grade 6	Do Not Be Anxious (Book of Matthew, Chapter 6, Verses 25-34)	English Standard Version: New Testament	979-8874903398
Grade 6	The Peace of the Wild Things	Wendell Berry	