

Suggestions for authentic childrens' literature for cross-curricular work

1) Democracy and citizenship

a. 1-4:

- i. Zazi Ziwelene, Zindzi Mandela & Sean Qualls, *Grandad Mandela* (ill.)
- ii. Marcia Williams, *Archie's war* (ill.)
- iii. Francesca Sanna, *The journey* (ill.)
- iv. Ahmadreza Ahmadi & Eshan Abdollahi, *When I coloured in the world* (ill.)
- v. Nadine Kaadan, *Tomorrow* (ill.)
- vi. Jasmine Warga, *Other words for home*

b. 5-7:

- i. Alain Serres, Aurelia Fronty & Sarah Ardizzone, *I have the right to be a child* (ill.)
- ii. Alex Frith, Rosie Hore, Louie Stowell & Kellan Stover, *Politics for beginners* (ill.)
- iii. Chelsea Clinton & Alexandra Boiger, *She persisted around the world: 13 women who changed history* (ill.)
- iv. Michael Foreman, *War game* (ill.)
- v. Jamia Wilson & Andrea Pippins, *Young, gifted and black: Meet 52 black heroes from past and present* (ill.)
- vi. Ben Morley, *The silence seeker* (ill.)
- vii. Nelson Mandela, *Long walk to freedom* (ill.)
- viii. Ruby Bridges, *Scholastic Reader Level 2: Ruby Bridges Goes to School: My True Story*

2) Health and life skills

a. 1-4:

- i. Beth Cox, Natalie Costa & Vicky Barker, *Stretch your confidence* (ill.)
- ii. Mel Tregonning, *Small things* (ill.)
- iii. R. J. Palacio, *We're all wonders* (ill.)
- iv. Francesca Sanna, *Me and my fear* (ill.)
- v. Melanie Walsh, *Isaac and his amazing Asperger superpowers!* (ill.)
- vi. Julia Donaldson, *Freddie and the fairy*
- vii. Julia Donaldson, *Sharing a shell* (ill.)
- viii. Rachel Bright, *The squirrels who squabbled* (ill.)
- ix. Molly Potter, *How are you feeling today?* (ill.)

b. 5-7:

- i. Amanda Li & Amy Blackwell, *Rise up: Ordinary kids with extraordinary stories* (ill.)
- ii. Rachel Brian, *Respect: consent, boundaries and being in charge of you*
- iii. Raina Telgemeier, *Guts* (ill.)
- iv. Mary Hoffmann & Ros Asquith, *The great big body book* (ill.)
- v. Tove Jansson, *Who will comfort Toffle? A tale of Moomin Valley* (ill.)
- vi. R. J. Palacio, *Wonder*
- vii. Carol McCloud, *Have you filled your bucket today?* (ill.)
- viii. Mary Hoffmann & Ros Asquith, *The great big body book* (ill.)
- ix. Beth Cox, Natalie Costa & Vicky Barker, *Stretch your confidence* (ill.)
- x. Jamia Wilson & Andrea Pippins, *Young, gifted and black: Meet 52 black heroes from past and present* (ill.)
- xi. Alain Serres, Aurelia Fronty & Sarah Ardizzone, *I have the right to be a child* (ill.)