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ORIENTATION

During their first visits to the library media center each year, students need an orientation that covers five major areas:

- Learning rules and routines
- Locating areas and resources
- Practicing careful handling of materials
- Learning how to select a book to read
- Learning that the library media center is a good place to be

The library leadership team decides on the rules and routines. Rules should be brief and stated positively. They should be discussed, modeled, and reviewed until they are second nature. Routines should be clear and should allow for students to take as much responsibility for the circulation of the books as possible.

Teachers, with assistance from the Elementary Library Aide, teach and model for students the rules and routines. These and other concepts are introduced by sharing books with students to arouse their interest in reading and to set the stage for further instruction.

Teachers emphasize the responsibility that students acquire when they borrow an item from the library media center. They may show students a book that has been badly damaged to demonstrate proper care and handling. They may devise activities that get students actively involved in role playing routines or in going on scavenger or treasure hunts to discover where resources are located.

The key points for teachers to cover in orientation sessions are listed below:

Rules and Routines

1. How to enter.
2. Where to sit.
3. Review of behavior standards, stated positively.
4. Where to get and return shelf markers.
5. Checking books in.
6. Placing books for reshelving.
7. Using a shelf marker.
8. Checking books out.
9. Where to put books that are damaged or that need a new circulation card typed.
10. How to leave the shelves.
11. How to leave tables and chairs.
12. How to line up to leave.
13. Library media center access times.

Policies

1. Borrowing responsibilities.
2. How to reserve a book. (Optional)
3. Borrowing privileges.
4. Date due.
5. Policies regarding lost or damaged books.
6. Taking the library media center pledge. (Optional)

Careful Handling of Books and Other Resources

1. How to open a new book.
2. How to hold a book when reading.
3. How to turn pages carefully from the top.
4. How and when to use shelf markers.
5. How to carry a book.
6. How to protect books from damage on the trip to and from home and at school.
7. Ways to remember to return the books on time.
8. Why it matters that books are returned on time.

Locating and Selecting Resources

1. Reading signs and labels.
2. Noting bulletin boards and displays.
3. Exploring to discover the general locations of resources.
4. How to select a book.

Becoming a Frequent Library User

Students need to feel welcome in the school library media center whether they come on their own, with their parents, or with their class. The positive experiences and interactions that develop over time will nurture students and help them to become avid, capable readers, and self-motivated life-long learners.



LIBRARY BEHAVIOR

◆We have clean hands◆

◆We use quiet voices◆

◆We handle things with care◆

◆We follow directions◆

◆We put things back in place◆

SCHOOL LIBRARY MONTHLY ACTIVITY CALENDAR

Month	Event	Resources & Activities
August	Begin Orientations	Ready the library for classes. Prepare handouts – policies & procedures, orientation materials, class scheduling procedures, etc.
September	Back to School Night	Have handouts of policies and procedures available if the library will be open for visits.
	Library Card sign-up Month	Partner with the local public library to promote public library cards, visits and usage with every class visit and through the weekly bulletin. Have forms available in the library and/or give to teachers.
	Hispanic Heritage Month	www.educationworld.com/a_lesson/lesson/lesson203.shtml http://www.smithsonianeducation.org/educators/resource_library/hispanic_resources.html
	Constitution Day	www.constitutionday.com (Elem) www.archives.gov/education/lessons/constitution-day/
	Banned Books Week: Celebrate Freedom to Read (last week September)	Display challenged books-- <i>Captain Underpants</i> , <i>Harry Potter</i> , <i>Wrinkle in Time</i> —get materials, lists from ALA website www.ala.org/ala/issuesadvocacy/banned/bannedbooksweek/index.cfm
October	Hispanic Heritage Month continues through October 15	www.gale.cengage.com/free_resources/chh/ More great ideas!
	Teen Read Week	The theme for this year is Turn Dreams into Reality @ Your Library (Sec)
November	Picture Book Month	Display Caldecott & other pic books and why picture books are important
11	Veteran's Day	Display honoring heroes or the meaning of Veteran's Day
	Thanksgiving	Display books around this theme
December	Holidays	Display of related books. Promote donations for books for shelters, holiday gifts (Remember a book is a gift you can open again and again). Have a Book Fair with the theme "Get Wrapped up in Reading."

January 17	Martin Luther King Jr. 's Birthday	Displays, books from collection, posters of speeches,
February	ALA Youth Media Awards Black History Month Digital Learning Day	ALA's annual announcements of winners of the Newbery, Caldecott, CSK and other awards Create a photo gallery of contemporary prominent African American figures (from the Internet) with brief captions of their accomplishments. Use books from your collection to create a display. www.theteacherscorner.net/seasonal/black-history-month for additional ideas/activities Explore how digital learning can provide more students with more opportunities to get the skills they need for college, career and life (Sec)
March	Read Across America (Dr. Seuss' Birthday) Teen Tech Week Women's History Month Freedom of Information Day	www.nea.org/readacross/index.html Sponsor events in library; Read aloud favorite Dr. Seuss books—administrators, parents, faculty and students; hand out materials about the importance of reading everyday www.seussville.com/special/read.html for useful print outs and other handouts. Click on the red x at the top of the page for even more ideas. www.teentechweek.ning.com (Sec) Create a photo display of important women with their accomplishments or why they are notable posted below their pictures. www.holidayinsights.com/moreholidays/March/freeinfoday.htm Highlights library's mission of providing access.

April	National Poetry Month School Library Month National D.E.A.R. Day National Library Week Teen Literature Day El Dia de los libros	Create a display of favorite children's poets/books. Work with teachers to set up a day when teachers and students can come in and read aloud their favorite poem. Students may write their own poems and read them in the library to others. http://www.ala.org/aasl/slm http://www.dropeverythingandread.com/NationalDEARday.html www.ala.org/conferencesevents/celebrationweeks/natlibraryweek (Secondary)
May 5	Get Caught Reading Cinco de mayo Asian Pacific Heritage Month	www.getcaughtreading.com Roam school to "catch" students reading, with or without camera. Enter names in a drawing to win gift certificates from local bookstores or your next book fair. Encourage reading to ease the stress of testing. (Secondary) www.infoplease.com/spot/asianhistory1.html
June	Summer Vacation/Reading	Please see ILTSS website for suggested summer reading.



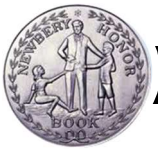
CALDECOTT MEDAL BOOKS

YEAR	BOOK, ILLUSTRATOR
2016	Finding Winnie: The True Story of the World's Most Famous Bear, Lindsay Mattick
2015	The Adventures of Beekle: The Unimaginary Friend, Dan Santat
2014	Locomotive, Brian Floca
2013	This Is Not My Hat, Jon Klassen
2012	A Ball for Daisy, Chris Raschka
2011	A Sick Day for Amos McGee, Erin E. Stead
2010	The Lion & the Mouse, Jerry Pinkney
2009	The House in the Night, Beth Krommes
2008	The Invention of Hugo Cabret, Brian Selznick
2007	Flotsam, David Wiesner
2006	The Hello, Goodbye Window, Chris Raschka
2005	Kitten's First Full Moon, Kevin Henkes
2004	The Man Who Walked Between the Towers, Mordicai Gerstein
2003	My Friend Rabbit, Eric Rohmann
2002	The Three Pigs, David Wiesner
2001	So You Want to be President?, David Small
2000	Joseph Had a Little Overcoat, Simms Taback
1999	Snowflake Bentley, Mary Azarian
1998	Rapunzel, Paul O. Zelinsky
1997	Golem, David Wisniewski
1996	Officer Buckle and Gloria, Peggy Rathmann
1995	Smoky Night, David Diaz
1994	Grandfather's Journey, Allen Say
1993	Mirette on the High Wire, Emily Arnold McCully
1992	Tuesday, David Wiesner
1991	Black and White, David Macaulay
1990	Lon Po Po: A Red-Riding Hood Story From China, Ed Young
1989	Song and Dance Man, Stephen Grammell
1988	Owl Moon, John Schoenherr
1987	Hey, Al, Richard Egielski
1986	The Polar Express, Chris Van Allsburg
1985	Saint George and the Dragon, Trina Schart Hyman
1984	The Glorious Flight: Across the Channel with Louis Bleriot, Alice and Martin Provensen
1983	Shadow, Marcia Brown
1982	Jumanji, Chris Van Allsburg
1981	Fables, Arnold Lobel
1980	Ox-Cart Man, Barbara Cooney
1979	The Girl Who Loved Wild Horses, Paul Goble
1978	Noah's Ark, Peter Spier
1977	Ashanti to Zulu: African Traditions, Leo and Diane Dillon
1976	Why Mosquitoes Buzz in People's Ears, Leo and Diane Dillon



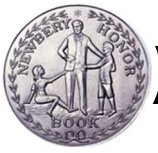
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YEAR	BOOK, ILLUSTRATOR
1975	Arrow to the Sun, Gerald McDermott
1974	Duffy and the Devil, Margot Zemach
1973	The Funny Little Woman, Blair Lent
1972	One Fine Day, Nonny Hogrogian
1971	A Story A Story, Gail E. Haley
1970	Sylvester and the Magic Pebble, William Steig
1969	The Fool of the World and the Flying Ship, Uri Shulevitz
1968	Drummer Hoff, Ed Emberley
1967	Sam, Bang, and Moonshine, Evaline Ness
1966	Always Room for One More, Nonny Hogrogian
1965	May I Bring a Friend?, Beni Montessor
1964	Where the Wild Things Are, Maurice Sendak
1963	The Snowy Day, Ezra Jack Keats
1962	Once a Mouse, Marcia Brown
1961	Baboushka and the Three Kings, Nicolas Sidjakov
1960	Nine Days to Christmas, Marie Hall Ets
1959	Chanticleer and the Fox, Barbara Cooney
1958	Time of Wonder, Robert McCloskey
1957	A Tree Is Nice, Marc Simont
1956	Frog Went A-Courtin', Feodor Rojankovsky
1955	Cinderella, or the Little Glass Slipper, Marcia Brown
1954	Madeline's Rescue, Ludwig Bemelmans
1953	The Biggest Bear, Lynd Ward
1952	Finders Keepers, Nicolas, pseud. (Nicholas Mordvinoff)
1951	The Egg Tree, Katherine Milhous
1950	Song of the Swallows, Leo Politi
1949	The Big Snow, Berta and Elmer Hader
1948	White Snow, Bright Snow, Roger Duvoisin
1947	The Little Island, Leonard Weisgard
1946	The Rooster Crows, Maude and Miska Petersham
1945	Prayer for a Child, Elizabeth Orton Jones
1944	Many Moons, Louis Slobodkin
1943	The Little House, Virginia Lee Burton
1942	Make Way for Ducklings, Robert McCloskey
1941	They Were Strong and Good, Robert Lawson
1940	Abraham Lincoln, Ingri and Edgar Parin d'Aulaire
1939	Mei Li, Thomas Handforth
1938	Animals of the Bible, Dorothy P. Lathrop



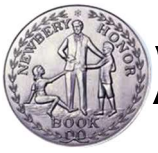
NEWBERY MEDAL BOOKS

Year	Book, Author
2016	<i>Last Stop on Market Street</i> , Matt de la Pena
2015	<i>Crossover</i> , Kwame Alexander (MS and HS)
2014	<i>Flora & Ulysses: The Illuminated Adventures</i> , Kate DiCamillo
2013	<i>The One and Only Ivan</i> , Katherine Applegate
2012	<i>Dead End in Norvelt</i> , Jack Gantos
2011	<i>Moon Over Manifest</i> , Clare Vanderpool
2010	<i>When You Reach Me</i> , Rebecca Stead
2009	<i>The Graveyard Book</i> , Neil Gaiman
2008	<i>Good Masters! Sweet Ladies! Voices From a Medieval Village</i> , Laura Amy Schlitz
2007	<i>The Higher Power of Lucky</i> , Susan Patron
2006	<i>Criss Cross</i> , Lynne Rae Perkins
2005	<i>Kira-Kira</i> , Cynthia Kadohata
2004	<i>The Tale of Despereaux</i> , Kate DiCamillo
2003	<i>Crispin: The Cross of Lead</i> , Avi
2002	<i>A Single Shard</i> , Linda Sue Park
2001	<i>A Year Down Yonder</i> , Richard Peck
2000	<i>Bud, Not Buddy</i> , Christopher Paul Curtis
1999	<i>Holes</i> , Louis Sachar
1998	<i>Out of the Dust</i> , Karen Hesse
1997	<i>The View From Saturday</i> , E. L. Konigsburg
1996	<i>The Midwife's Apprentice</i> , Karen Cushman
1995	<i>Walk Two Moons</i> , Sharon Creech
1994	<i>The Giver</i> , Lois Lowry
1993	<i>Missing May</i> , Cynthia Rylant
1992	<i>Shiloh</i> , Phyllis Reynolds Naylor
1991	<i>Maniac Magee</i> , Jerry Spinelli
1990	<i>Number the Stars</i> , Lois Lowry
1989	<i>Joyful Noise: Poems for Two Voices</i> , Paul Fleischman
1988	<i>Lincoln: A Photobiography</i> , Russell Freedman
1987	<i>The Whipping Boy</i> , Sid Fleischman
1986	<i>Sarah, Plain and Tall</i> , Patricia MacLachlan
1985	<i>The Hero and the Crown</i> , Robin McKinley
1984	<i>Dear Mr. Henshaw</i> , Beverly Cleary
1983	<i>Dacey's Song</i> , Cynthia Voigt
1982	<i>A Visit to William Blake's Inn: Poems for Innocent and Experienced Travelers</i> , Nancy Willard
1981	<i>Jacob Have I Loved</i> , Katherine Paterson
1980	<i>A Gathering of Days</i> , Joan Blos
1979	<i>The Westing Game</i> , Ellen Raskin
1978	<i>Bridge to Terabithia</i> , Katherine Paterson
1977	<i>Roll of Thunder, Hear My Cry</i> , Mildred D. Taylor
1976	<i>Grey King</i> , Susan Cooper



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1975	<i>M. C. Higgins the Great</i> , Virginia Hamilton
1974	<i>The Slave Dancer</i> , Paula Fox
1973	<i>Julie of the Wolves</i> , Jean George
1972	<i>Mrs. Frisby and the Rats of NIMH</i> , Robert C. O'Brien
1971	<i>The Summer of the Swans</i> , Betsy Byars
1970	<i>Souder</i> , William H. Armstrong
1969	<i>The High King</i> , Lloyd Alexander
1968	<i>From the Mixed-Up Files of Mrs. Basil E. Frankweiler</i> , E. L. Konigsburg
1967	<i>Up a Road Slowly</i> , Irene Hunt
1966	<i>I, Juan de Pareja</i> , Elizabeth Borton de Trevino
1965	<i>Shadow of a Bull</i> , Maja Wojciechowska
1964	<i>It's Like This, Cat</i> , Emily Cheney Neville
1963	<i>A Wrinkle in Time</i> , Madeleine L'Engle
1962	<i>The Bronze Bow</i> , Elizabeth George Speare
1961	<i>Island of the Blue Dolphins</i> , Scott O'Dell
1960	<i>Onion John</i> , Joseph Krumgold
1959	<i>The Witch of Blackbird Pond</i> , Elizabeth George Speare
1958	<i>Rifles for Watie</i> , Harold Keith
1957	<i>Miracles on Maple Hill</i> , Virginia Sorensen
1956	<i>Carry On, Mr. Bowditch</i> , Jean Lee Latham
1955	<i>The Wheel on the School</i> , Meindert DeJong
1954	<i>... And Now Miguel</i> , Joseph Krumgold
1953	<i>Secret of the Andes</i> , Ann Nolan Clark
1952	<i>Ginger Pye</i> , Eleanor Estes
1951	<i>Amos Fortune, Free Man</i> , Elizabeth Yates
1950	<i>The Door in the Wall</i> , Marguerite de Angeli
1949	<i>King of the Wind</i> , Marguerite Henry
1948	<i>Twenty-One Balloons</i> , William Pène Du Bois
1947	<i>Miss Hickory</i> , Carolyn S. Bailey
1946	<i>Strawberry Girl</i> , Lois Lenski
1945	<i>Rabbit Hill</i> , Robert Lawson
1944	<i>Johnny Tremain</i> , Esther Forbes
1943	<i>Adam of the Road</i> , Elizabeth Janet Gray
1942	<i>The Matchlock Gun</i> , Walter D. Edmonds
1941	<i>Call It Courage</i> , Armstrong Sperry
1940	<i>Daniel Boone</i> , James Daugherty
1939	<i>Thimble Summer</i> , Elizabeth Enright
1938	<i>The White Stag</i> , Kate Seredy
1937	<i>Roller Skates</i> , Ruth Sawyer
1936	<i>Caddie Woodlawn</i> , Carol Ryrie Brink
1935	<i>Dobry</i> , Monica Shannon
1934	<i>Invincible Louisa</i> , Cornelia Lynde Meigs



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1933	<i>Young Fu of the Upper Yangtze</i> , Elizabeth Foreman Lewis
1932	<i>Waterless Mountain</i> , Laura Adams Armer
1931	<i>The Cat Who Went to Heaven</i> , Elizabeth Coatsworth
1930	<i>Hitty, Her First Hundred Years</i> , Rachel Field
1929	<i>The Trumpeter of Krakow</i> , Eric P. Kelly
1928	<i>Gay-Neck</i> , Dhan Gopal Mukerji
1927	<i>Smoky, the Cowhorse</i> , Will James
1926	<i>Shen of the Sea</i> , Arthur Bowie Chrisman
1925	<i>Tales From Silver Lands</i> , Charles Joseph Finger
1924	<i>The Dark Frigate</i> , Charles Boardman Hawes
1923	<i>The Voyages of Dr. Dolittle</i> , Hugh Lofting
1922	<i>The Story of Mankind</i> , Hendrik Willem van Loon

LIBRARY VISIT SCHEDULE

Week: _____

TIME	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY

REMEMBER TO ALLOW TIME FOR SHELVING, NUTRITION/LUNCH AND BREAKS