Grade 5 Module 1

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| Title | Author And Illustrator | Text Type | Lexile Measure |
| **Lexile text measures band level (below 740L)** |
| *For Every Child: The Rights of the Child in Words and Pictures* | Caroline Castle (author) | Informational Text | 510 |
| *I Have the Right to Be a Child* | Alain Serres (author)Aurélia Fronty (illustrator)Helen Mixter (translator) | Informational Text | 420 |
| *The Color of Home* | Mary Hoffman (author), Karin Littlewood (illustrator) | Literature | 540 |
| *Title* | Author And Illustrator | Text Type | Lexile Measure |
| **Lexile text measures within band level (740–1010L)** |
| *Red Scarf Girl: A Memoir of the Cultural Revolution* | Ji-Li Jiang (author) | Biography | 780 |
| *Ryan and Jimmy: And the Well in Africa That Brought Them Together* | Herb Shoveller (author) | Literature | 810 |
| *Giant Steps to Change the World* | Spike Lee and Tanya Lewis Lee (authors), Sean Qualls (illustrator) | Informational Text | 870 |
| *Shannen and the Dream for a School* | Janet Wilson (author) | Informational Text | 840 |
| *Stand Up, Speak Out: A Book about Children's Rights* | Selda Altun (editor) | Informational Text | 850 |
| *The Girl from Chimel* | Rigoberta Menchú (author), Domi (illustrator) | Literature | 860 |
| *Our World of Water: Children and Water around the World* | Beatrice Hollyer (author) | Informational Text | 890 |
| *Out of War: True Stories from the Frontlines of the Children’s Movement for Peace in Colombia* | Sara Cameron (author) with UNICEF | Informational Text | 910 |
| *Kids on Strike!* | Susan Campbell Bartoletti (author) | Informational Text | 920 |
| *Gandhi* | Demi (author/illustrator) | Literature | 980 |
| *Human Rights Activist: Victory over Violence* | Ellen Rodger (author) | Informational Text | 1000 |
| *Title* | Author And Illustrator | Text Type | Lexile Measure |
| **Lexile text measures above band level (over 1010L)** |
| *This Child, Every Child: A Book about the World’s Children* | David J. Smith (author)Shelagh Armstrong (illustrator) | Informational Text | 1020 |
| *Free the Children: A Young Man Fights against Child Labor and Proves That Children Can Change the World* | Craig Kielburger (author) | Informational Text | 1020 |
| *We Are All Born Free: The Universal Declaration of Human Rights in Pictures* | Amnesty International (editor) | Informational Text |  |
| *Kids at Work: Lewis Hine and the Crusade against Child Labor* | Russell Freedman (author), Lewis Hine (photographer) | Informational Text | 1140 |
| www.unicef.org | UNICEF | Informational Text (Web site) |  |
| www.oxfam.ca | Oxfam | Informational Text (Web site) |  |
| www.unicef.org/crc/files/Rights\_overview.pdf | UNICEF | Informational Text |  |

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| **Lexile text measures band level (below 740L)** |
| *Meet Kit: An American Girl, 1934* | Valerie Tripp (author) | Literature | 590 |
| *Any Small Goodness: A Novel in the Barrio* | Tony Johnston (author) | Literature | 600 |
| *Angels in the Dust* | Margot Theis Raven (author), Roger Essley (illustrator) | Literature | 650 |
| *Number the Stars* | Lois Lowry (author) | Literature | 670 |
| *Title* | Author And Illustrator | Text Type | Lexile Measure |
| **Lexile text measures within band level (740–1010L)** |
| *The Mighty Miss Malone* | Christopher Paul Curtis (author) | Literature | 750 |
| *A Thousand Never Evers* | Shana Burg (author) | Literature | 830 |
| *Homesick: My Own Story* | Jean Fritz (author), Margot Tomes (illustrator) | Literature | 860 |
| *My Name Is Gabito: The Life of Gabriel García Márquez/Me llamo Gabito: la vida de Gabriel García Márquez* | Monica Brown (author), Raúl Colón (illustrator) | Literature | 910 |
| *Bud, Not Buddy* | Christopher Paul Curtis (author) | Literature | 950 |
| **Lexile text measures above band level (over 1010L)** |
| *The Great Depression* | Elaine Landau (author) | Informational text | 1010 |
| *Welcome to Kit’s World, 1934: Growing Up During America’s Great Depression* | Harriet Brown (author) | Literature | 1060 |
| *Children of the Dust Bowl: The True Story of the School at Weedpatch Camp* | Jerry Stanley (author) | Informational text | 1120 |
| *www.un.org/cyberschoolbus/humanrights/resources.asp*  | UNICEF | Informational text (Web site) | TK |
| *www.unicef.org/crc/index\_30160.html*  | UNICEF | Informational text (Web site) | TK |
| *For Every Child: The Rights of the Child in Words and Pictures* | Caroline Castle (author) | Literature | 1050 |
| *www.humaneeducation.org/sections/view/**childrens\_human\_rights* | Institute for Humane Education | Informational text (Web site) | TK |

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| **Lexile text measures band level (below 740L)** |
| *Climbing Out of the Great Depression* | Sean Price (author) | Informational text | 620 |
| *Ida Early Comes over the Mountain* | Robert Burch (author) | Literature | 720 |
| **Lexile text measures band level (740 - 1010L)** |
| *Giant Steps to Change the World* | Spike Lee and Tonya Lewis Lee (authors), Sean Qualls (illustrator) | Informational text | 870 |
| *Dancing Home* | Alma Flor Ada and Gabriel M. Zubizarreta (authors) | Literature | 960 |
| *Words to My Life’s Songs* | Ashley Bryan (author/illustrator), Bill McGuinness (photographer) | Literature | 970 |
| *Title* | Author And Illustrator | Text Type | Lexile Measure |
| **Lexile text measures above band level (over 1010L)** |
| *César: ¡Sí, se puede!/Yes, We Can!* | Carmen T. Bernier-Grand (author), David Diaz (illustrator) | Poetry | Not provided |
| *Elegy on the Death of César Chávez* | Rudolfo Anaya (author), Gaspar Enriquez (illustrator) | Poetry | Not provided |
| *If You Could Wear My Sneakers!* | Sheree Firch (author), Darcia Labrosse (illustrator) | Poetry | Not provided |
| *Hour of Freedom:* *American History in Poetry* | Milton Meltzer (compiler),Marc Nadel (illustrator) | Poetry | Not provided |
| *Poetry for Young People: Maya Angelou* | Edwin Graves Wilson, Ph.D. (editor), Jerome Lagarrigue (illustrator) | Poetry | Not provided |
| *Out of the Dust* | Karen Hesse (author) | Prose | Not provided |

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| Title | Author And Illustrator | Text Type | Lexile Measure |
| **Lexile text measures below band level (under 740L)** |
| *A Rainforest Habitat* | Molly Aloian and Bobby Kalman (authors) | Informational | 470 |
| *The Magic School Bus in the Rain Forest* | Scholastic Publishers | Informational | 5501 |
| *Rain Forests* | Nancy Smiler Levinson (author), Diane Dawson Hearn (illustrator) | Informational | 570 |
| *El Soñador* | Pam Muñoz Ryan | Literature | 650 |
| *The Great Kapok Tree: A Tale of the Amazon Rain Forest* | Lynne Cherry (author/illustrator) | Literature | 670 |
| *El gran capoquero: Un cuento de la selva Amazonica* | Lynne Cherry (author/illustrator), Alma Flor Ada (translator) | Literature | NP |
| *Tropical Rain Forests* | Peter Benoit (author) | Informational | 730 |
| *Title* | Author And Illustrator | Text Type | Lexile Measure |
| **Lexile text measures within band level (740–1010L)** |
| *Rain Forests: Garden of Green* | Laura Purdie Salas (author), Jeff Yesh (illustrator) | Informational | 770 |
| *Rain Forest Explorer* | Greg Pyers (author) | Informational | 830 |
| *One Day in the Tropical Rain Forest* | Jean Craighead George (author) | Informational | 880 |
| *Natures Green Umbrella: Tropical Rain Forests* | Gail Gibbons (author/illustrator) | Informational | 880 |
| *Hands of the Rain Forest: The Emberá People of Panama* | Rachel Crandell (author/photographer) | Informational | 890 |
| *Discover the Amazon: The World’s Largest Rainforest* | Lauri Berkenkamp (author), Blair Shedd (illustrator) | Informational | 900\* |
| *Tree of Life: The Incredible Biodiversity of Life on Earth* | Rochelle Strauss (author), Margot Thompson (illustrator) | Informational | 910 |
| *Protecting Earth’s Rain Forests* | Anne Welsbacher (author) | Informational | 920 |
| *Bats, Bugs and Biodiversity: Adventures in the Amazonian Rain Forest* | Susan E. Goodman (author), Michael J. Doolittle (photographer) | Informational | 920\* |
| *The Rainforest Grew All Around* | Susan K. Mitchell (author), Connie McLennan (illustrator) | Verse | 980 |
| *La Selva Creció y Creció* | Susan K. Mitchell (author), Connie McLennan (illustrator) | Verse | NP2 |
| *Title* | Author And Illustrator | Text Type | Lexile Measure |
| **Lexile text measures within Grade 6–8 band level (925–1185L)** |
| *The Dreamer* | Pam Muñoz Ryan | Literature | NP |
| *Chatter, Sing, Roar, Buzz: Poems about the Rain Forest* | Laura Purdie Salas (author) | Poetry | NP |
| *Biodiversity of Rain Forests* | Greg Pyers (author) | Informational | 1020\* |

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| **Lexile text measures below band level (under 740L)** |
| *Rain Forest Plants* | Pamela Dell (author) | Informational | 640 |
| *Rain Forest Animals* | Francine Galko (author) | Informational | 660 |
| **Lexile text measures within band level (740–1010L)** |
| *Morpha: A Rain Forest Story* | Michael Tennyson (author), Jennifer H. Yoswa (illustrator) | Literature | 750\* |
| *Encantado: Pink Dolphin of the Amazon* | Sy Montgomery (author), Dianne Taylor-Snow (photographer) | Informational | 870\* |
| *Up a Rainforest Tree* | Carole Telford and Rod Theodorou (authors) | Informational | 870 |
| *The Tarantula Scientist* | Sy Montgomery (author), Nic Bishop (photographer) | Informational | 890 |
| *Title* | Author And Illustrator | Text Type | Lexile Measure |
| **Lexile text measures within band level (740–1010L)** |
| *Rain Forest Animals* | Carolyn Franklin (author) | Informational | 960 |
| **Lexile text measures within Grade 6–8 band level (925–1185L)** |
| *Young Charles Darwin and the Voyage of the BEAGLE* | Ruth Ashby (author) | Informational | 1020 |
| *The Search for Cures from the Rainforest* | Carol Ballard (author) | Informational | 1075\* |
| *How Monkeys Make Chocolate: Unlocking the Mysteries of the Rainforest* | Adrian Forsyth (author) | Informational | 1120 |
| *The Case of the Monkeys That Fell from the Trees: And Other Mysteries in Tropical Nature* | Susan E. Quinlan (author) | Informational | 1210 |

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| Title | Author And Illustrator | Text Type | Lexile Measure |
| **Lexile text measures below band level (under 740L)** |
| *Insects* | Shelley Underwood (author) | Informational | 460 |
| *Ant Cities* | Arthur Dorros (author/illustrator) | Informational | 600 |
| *Centipedes* | Rebecca Rissman (author) | Informational | 630 |
| *Goliath Bird-Eating Tarantula: The World’s Biggest Spider* | Meish Goldish (author) | Informational | 710 |
| *Title* | Author And Illustrator | Text Type | Lexile Measure |
| **Lexile text measures within band level (740–1010L)** |
| *Bugs! Ants* | Kristin Petrie (author) | Informational | 760\* |
| *Bugs! Centipedes* | Kristin Petrie (author) | Informational | 780\* |
| *Secret of the Plant-Killing Ants and More!* | Ana María Rodríguez (author) | Informational | 800\* |
| *It’s a Butterfly’s Life* | Irene Kelly (author) | Informational | 800 |
| *Insects in Danger (World of Insects)* | Kathryn Smithyman (author) | Informational | 810 |
| *Goliath Bird-Eating Spiders and Other Extreme Bugs* | Deirdre A. Prischmann (author) | Informational | 830 |
| *Deadly Praying Mantis* | Meish Goldish (author) | Informational | 830 |
| *Bizarre Bugs* | Doug Wechsler (author) | Informational | 830\* |
| *Dirty Rotten Bugs? Arthropods Unite to Tell Their Side of the Story* | Gilles Bonotaux (author/illustrator) | Informational | 840\* |
| *Fabulous Fluttering Tropical Butterflies* | Dorothy Hinshaw Patent (author) | Informational | 860\* |
| *The Field Guide to Rain Forest Animals: Explore the Amazon Jungle* | Nancy Honovich (author) | Informational | 870\* |
| *Title* | Author And Illustrator | Text Type | Lexile Measure |
| *One Day in the Tropical Rainforest* | Jean Craighead George (author) | Literature | 880 |
| *Rain Forest* | Elinor Greenwood (author)DK Eye Wonder | Informational | 880\* |
| *Butterfly and Moths* | Nic Bishop (author) | Informational | 890 |
| *Life in the Rain Forests* | Lucy Baker (author) | Informational | 910\* |
| *Tree of Life: The Incredible Biodiversity of Life on Earth* | Rochelle Strauss (author) | Informational | 910 |
| *Butterflies* | Seymour Simon | Informational | 920\* |
| *What is an Arthropod?1* | Bobbie Kalman (author) | Informational | 930 |
| *The Life and Times of the Ant* | Charles Micucci (author) | Informational | 950 |
| *Title* | Author And Illustrator | Text Type | Lexile Measure |
| **Lexile text measures within Grade 6–8 band level (925–1185L)** |
| *A Butterfly Is Patient* | Dianna Hutts Aston (author) | Informational | 1040 |
| *Life in a Rain Forest* | Anne Welsbacher (author) | Informational | 1040\* |
| *DK Insect* | Laurence A. Mound (author) | Informational | 1050\* |
| *Paleo Bugs: Survival of the Creepiest* | Timothy Bradley (author/illustrator) | Informational | 1160 |
| *The Bug Scientists* | Donna M. Jackson (author) | Informational | 1200 |
| *The Case of the Monkeys* *That Fell From the Trees* | Susan Quinlan (author) | Informational | 1210 |
| *Rainforests* | Andrew Langley (author) | Informational | No Lexile |
| *World of Animals:* *Insects and Other Invertebrates* | Grolier (publisher)(10 volume set) | Informational | No Lexile |

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| Title | Author And Illustrator | Text Type | Lexile Measure |
| **Lexile text measures below band level (under 740L)** |
| *Inventions: Great Ideas and Where they Came From* | Sarah Houghton (author) | Informational | 540 |
| *Steve Jobs, Steve Wozniak and the Personal Computer* | Donald Lemke (author) | Informational | 600 |
| *Johann Gutenberg and the Printing Press* | Kay Melchisedech (author)Tod Smith (illustrator) | Informational GN | 620 |
| *Marie Curie and Radioactivity* | Connie Miller (author)Scott Larson and Mark Heike (illustrator) | Informational GN | 640 |
| *Title* | Author And Illustrator | Text Type | Lexile Measure |
| *Alexander Graham Bell and the Telephone* | Jennifer Fandel (author)Keith Tucker (illustrator) | Informational GN | 660 |
| *How to Think Like a Scientist: Answering Questions by the Scientific Method* | Stephen Kramer (author) | Informational | 680 |
| *Marvelous Mattie: How Margaret E. Knight Became and Inventor* | Emily Arnold McCully (author) | Biography | 720 |
| *In the Bag! Margaret Knight Wraps it Up* | Monica Kulling (author) | Biography | 725\* |
| *The Man who Invented Basketball: James Naismith and His Amazing Game* | Edwin Wyckogg (author) | Biography | 725\* |
| **Lexile text measures within band level (740L-1010L)** |
| *Jonas Salk and the Polio Vaccine* | Katherine Krone (author) | Informational GN | 760 |
| *The Scientific Method in the Read World* | L.E. Carmichael (author) | Informational | 770 |
| *Machines and Inventions* | Ian Graham (author) | Informational | 860 |
| *Now & Ben: The Modern Inventions of Benjamin Franklin* | Gene Baretta (author) | Informational | 910 |
| *Neo Leo: The Ageless Ideas of Leonardo daVinci* | Gene Baretta (author) | Informational | 930 |
| *A Wizard from the Start: The Incredible Boyhood &Amazing Inventions of Thomas Edison* | Don Brown (author) | Informational | 940 |
| *Title* | Author And Illustrator | Text Type | Lexile Measure |
| *Build a Better Mousetrap: Make Classic Inventions, Discover Your Problem Solving Genius and Take the Inventor’s Challenge* | Ruth Kassinger (author) | Informational | 950\* |
| *Bone detective : The Story of Forensic Anthropologist Diane France* | Lorraine Hopping (author) | Biography | 950 |
| *Natures Machines: The Story of Biomechanist Mimi Koehl* | Deborah Parks (author) | Biography | 950\* |
| *The Top Ten Inventions that Changed the World* | Chris Oxlade (author) | Informational | 960\* |
| *What’s the Big Idea? : Inventions that Changed Life on Earth Forever* | Helaine Becker (author) | Informational | 970\* |
| **Lexile text measures above band level (over 1010L)** |
| *Mistakes that Worked* | Charlotte Jones (author)John O’Brien (illustrator) | Informational | 1040 |
| *Robo World: The Story of Robot Designer Cynthia Breazel* | Jordan Brown (Author) | Biography | 1040 |
| *Gene Hunter: The Story of Neuropsychologist Nancy Wexler* | Adele Glimm (author) | Biography | 1040\* |
| *Michael Farady, Father of Electronics* | Charles Ludwig (author) | Informational | No LXL |
| *Incredible Inventions* | Lee Bennett Hopkins (compiled)Julia Sarcone-Roach (illustrator) | Poetry | NP |

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| Title | Author and Illustrator | Text Type | Lexile Measure |
| **Lexile measures in grades 2–3 band level (below 740L)** |
| *How Did That Get to My House? Television* | Gary Chmielewski (author) | Informational | 500\* |
| *Philo Farnsworth Invents TV* | Russell Roberts (author) | Biography | 525\* |
| *Who Invented Television? Philo Farnsworth* | Mary Kay Carson (author) | Informational | 525\* |
| *Title* | Author and Illustrator | Text Type | Lexile Measure |
| **Lexile measures within band level (740L–1010L)** |
| *The Teen Who Invented Television: Philo Farnsworth and His Awesome Invention* | Edwin Brit Wyckoff (author) | Informational | 750\* |
| *The Television* | Marc Tyler Nobleman (author) | Informational | 750\* |
| *Televisions* | Kristin Petrie (author) | Informational | 815\* |
| *TV’s Forgotten Hero: The Story of Philo Farnsworth* | Stephanie Sammartino McPherson (author) | Informational | 910 |
| *Philo T. Farnsworth: Visionary Inventor of Television* | Tim O’Shei (author) | Informational | 940\* |
| **Lexile measures above band level (over 1010L)** |
| *The Television* | Richard Spilsbury (author) | Informational | 1030 |
| *Television* | John Grabowski (author) | Informational | 1050\* |
| *Inventing the Television* | Joanne Richter (author) | Informational | 1050\* |
| *Television* | Steven Otfinoski (author) | Informational | 1100\* |

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| **Lexile measures in grades 2–3 band level (below 740L)** |
| *Garrett Morgan, Inventor* | Garnet Jackson (author) | Informational | 450\* |
| *First Flight: The Story of Tom Tate and the Wright Brothers* | George Shea (author)Don Bolognese (illustrator) | Informational | 460 |
| *Eli Whitney and the Cotton Gin* | Jessica Gunderson (author)Gerry Acerno, Rodney Ramos, and Charles Barnett III (illustrators) | Informational | 580 |
| *The Mystery at Kill Devil Hills* | Carole Marsh (author) | Literature | 670 |
| *Garrett Morgan, Innovative Inventor* | Carole Marsh (author) | Informational | 690 |
| *Title* | Author and Illustrator | Text Type | Lexile Measure |
| **Lexile measures within band level (740L–1010L)** |
| *To Fly: The Story of the Wright Brothers* | Wendie C. Old (author) | Informational | 780 |
| *Race for the Sky: The Kitty Hawk Diaries of Johnny Moore*  | Dan Gutman (author) | Literature | 880 |
| *What Color Is My World? The Lost History of the African American Inventor* | Kareem Abdul-Jabbar (author) | Informational | 910\* |
| *Girls Think of Everything* | Catherine Thimmesh (author) | Informational | 960 |
| *African American Scientists and Inventors* | Tish Davidson (author) | Informational | 970 |
| *Airborne: A Photobiography of Wilbur and Orville Wright* | Mary Collins (author) | Informational | 980\* |
| *Title* | Author and Illustrator | Text Type | Title |
| **Lexile measures above band level (over 1010L)** |
| *Inventing the Automobile* | Erinn Banting (author) | Informational | 1025\* |
| *Just Fine the Way They Are: From Dirt Roads to Railroads to Interstates* | Connie Wooldridge (author) | Informational | 1030 |
| *The Airplane* | Richard Spilsbury (author) | Informational | 1060 |
| *The Wright Brothers: How They Invented the Airplane* | Russell Freedman (author) | Informational | 1160 |
| *The Everything Guide to Writing Graphic Novels: From Superheroes to Manga—All You Need to Create and Sell Your Graphic Works* | Mark Ellis (author) | Informational | No LXL |

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| Title | Author and Illustrator | Text Type | Lexile Measure |
| **Lexile text measures below band level (below 740L)** |
| *The History of Baseball* | Diana Star Helmer and Thomas S. Owens (authors) | Informational | 410 |
| *Alphabet of Sports* | Barbie Heit Schwaeber (author), David Lowe (illustrator) | Informational | 500\* |
| *Colors of Sports* | Laura Purdie Salas (author) | Informational | 620 |
| *Soccer in North America* | Mike Kennedy (author) | Informational | 660\* |
| *Basketball: A History of Hoops* | Mark Stewart (author) | Informational | 710 |
| *Who Invented Basketball?: And Other Questions Kids Have about Sports* | Suzanne Slade (author), Cary Pillo (illustrator) | Informational | 680 |
| *Title* | Author and Illustrator | Text Type | Lexile Measure |
| **Lexile text measures within band level (740–1010L)** |
| *Sports in America: Decade by Decade* | Betty Comden, Adolph Green, and Carolyn Leigh (authors), Amy June Bates (illustrator) | Literature | 475\* |
| *The Curious, Captivating, Unusual History of Sports* | Lucia Raatma (author) | Informational | 870 |
| *Best Seat in the House: A Basketball Memoir* | Spike Lee (author) | Informational | 880 |
| *Sports: From Ancient Olympics to the Super Bowl* | Liz Miles (author) | Informational | 920 |
| *Sports (DK Eyewitness Book)* | Tim Hammond (author) | Informational | 1000\* |
| *Sports Technology* | Stewart Ross(author) | Informational | 1000\* |
| *Title* | Author and Illustrator | Text Type | Lexile Measure |
| **Lexile text measures above band level (over 1010L)** |
| *The Fastest Game on Two Feet: and Other Poems about How Sports Began* | Alice Low (author), John O’Brien (illustrator) | Poetry | NP |
| *Yes She Can!: Women’s Sports Pioneers* | Glenn Stout (author) | Informational | 1040 |
| *Heroes of Baseball: The Men Who Made It America’s Favorite Game* | Robert Lipsyte (author) | Informational | 1080 |
| *Rooting for the Home Team: Sports in the 1800s* | Zachary Chastain (author) | Informational | 1100 |
| *Sports and Society* | Scott Witmer (author) | Informational | 1130\* |
| *Let Me Play: The Story of Title IX, the Law That Changed the Future of Girls in America* | Karen Blumenthal (author) | Informational | 1140 |
| *Swifter, Higher, Stronger: A Photographic History of the Summer Olympics* | Sue Macy (author) | Informational | 1200 |
| *Total Sports* | Dorling Kindersley Publisher staff | Informational | No Lexile |

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| **Lexile text measures below band level (below 740L)** |
| *The History of Baseball* | Diana Star Helmer and Thomas S. Owens (authors) | Informational | 410 |
| *The Girl Who Struck out Babe Ruth* | Jean L. S. Patrick (author), Jeni Reeves (illustrator) | Informational | 410 |
| *Jackie Robinson: A Life of Determination* | Colleen A. Sexton (author) | Biography | 570\* |
| *Jackie Robinson: He Led the Way* | April Jones Prince (author) | Biography | 600\* |
| *Jackie Robinson: Breaking the Color Barrier* | Sean Price (author) | Biography | 640\* |
| *Who Was Jackie Robinson?* | Gail Herman (author), John O’Brien (illustrator) | Biography | 670 |
| *Jackie Robinson* | Stephanie Sammartino McPherson (author) | Biography | 730 |
| *Thank You, Jackie Robinson* | Barbara Cohen (author) | Biography | 730 |
| *Title* | Author and Illustrator | Text Type | Lexile Measure |
| **Lexile text measures within band level (740–1010L)** |
| *Jackie Robinson: Strong Inside and Out* | Editors of *TIME for Kids* with Denise Lewis Patrick (authors) | Biography | 760 |
| *Brothers at Bat: The True Story of an Amazing All-Brother Baseball Team* | Audrey Vernick (author), Steven Selerno (illustrator) | Informational | 780 |
| *Jackie Robinson: Hero and Athlete* | Suzanne Slade (author), Thomas Spense (illustrator) | Biography | 790 |
| *Testing the Ice: A True Story about Jackie Robinson* | Sharon Robinson (author), Kadir Nelson (illustrator) | Biography | 800 |
| *When Jackie Met Hank* | Cathy Goldberg Fishman (author), Mark Elliott (illustrator) | Informational | 850\* |
| *We Are the Ship: The Story of Negro League Baseball* | Kadir Nelson (author/illustrator) | Informational | 900 |
| *Stealing Home: Jackie Robinson against the Odds* | Robert Burleigh (author), Mike Wimmer (illustrator) | Biography | 910 |
| *Jackie Robinson: Baseball Great & Civil Rights Activist* | Charles E. Pederson (author) | Biography | 930 |
| *Title* | Author and Illustrator | Text Type | Lexile Measure |
| **Lexile text measures above band level (over 1010L)** |
| *Jackie’s Nine: Jackie Robinson’s Values to Live By*  | Sharon Robinson (author) | Biography | 1040 |
| *First Pitch: How Baseball Began* | John Thorn (author) | Informational | 1070 |
| *Jackie Robinson: Champion for Equality* | Michael Teitelbaum (author) | Biography | 1140 |
| *Stars in the Shadows: The Negro League All-Star Game of 1934* | Charles R. Smith Jr. (author), Frank Morrison (illustrator) | Informational | 1330 |

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| **Lexile text measures below band level (below 740L)** |
| *Roberto Clemente: A Life of Generosity* | Sheila Anderson (author) | Biography | 550 |
| *We’ll Never Forget You, Roberto Clemente* | Trudie Engel (author) | Biography | 680 |
| *Roberto Clemente: Baseball Legend* | Nick Healy (author) | Biography | 750\* |
| *Ladies First: Women Athletes Who Made a Difference* | Ken Rappoport (author) | Collective Biography | 760\* |
| *Title* | Author And Illustrator | Text Type | Lexile Measure |
| **Lexile text measures within band level (740–1010L)** |
| *Roberto Clemente: Pride of the Pittsburgh Pirates* | Jonah Winter (Author) | Biography | 800 |
| *Pride of Puerto Rico: The Life of**Roberto Clemente* | Paul Robert Walker (author) | Biography | 800 |
| *Nothing but Trouble: The Story of**Althea Gibson* | Sue Stauffacher (author) | Biography | 810 |
| *Roberto Clemente: Young Baseball Player* | Montrew Dunham (author) | Biography | 870 |
| *Playing to Win: The Story of**Althea Gibson* | Karen Deans (author) | Biography | 890 |
| *Roberto Clemente: Baseball’s**Humanitarian Hero* | Heron Marquez (author) | Biography | 930\* |
| *Roberto Clemente* | Susan Muaddi Darraj and Rob Maaddi (authors) | Biography | 950\* |
| **Lexile text measures above band level (over 1010L)** |
| *Roberto Clemente: Baseball Hall of Famer* | William W. Lace (author) | Biography | 1010\* |
| *Roberto Clemente: Baseball Player* | Jerry Roberts (author) | Biography | 1040\* |
| *Charging the Net: A History of Blacks in Tennis from Althea Gibson and Arthur Ashe to the William Sisters* | Cecil Harris and Larryette Kyle-DeBose (authors) | Informational | No Lexile (AD) |
| *Born to Win: The Authorized Biography of Althea Gibson* | Frances Clayton Gray and Yanick Rice Lamb (authors) | Biography | No Lexile (AD) |
| *Title* | Author And Illustrator | Text Type | Lexile Measure |
| **Weblinks** |
| *Althea Gibson Broke Barriers* | http://espn.go.com/sportscentury/ | Biography | 1040 |
| *Althea Gibson Won Again!* | http://www.americaslibrary.gov | 860 | 1070 |
| *Biography of Althea Gibson* | http://www.altheagibson.com | 960 | 1140 |

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| Title | Author and Illustrator | Text Type | Lexile Measure |
| **Lexile text measures below band level (under 740L)** |
| *Arctic Dreams* | Carole Gerber (author)Marty Husted (illustrator) | Literature | 420 |
| *Living in Polar Regions* | Tea Benduhn (author) | Informational | 600 |
| *Spotlight on Canada* | Bobbie Kalman (author) | Informational | 690 |
| *Living in the Arctic* | Neil Morris (author) | Informational | 710\* |
| *Title* | Author and Illustrator | Text Type | Lexile Measure |
| **Lexile text measures within band level (740L–1010L)** |
| *Caribou of the Arctic* | Sara Swan Miller (author) | Informational | 750\* |
| *Life on the Ice* | Susan E. Goodman (author)Michael J. Doolittle (illustrator) | Informational | 840\* |
| *Atlas of the Poles and Oceans* | Karen Foster (author) | Informational | 860 |
| *Frozen Land* | Jan Reynolds (author) | Informational | 860\* |
| *Arctic Peoples* | Robin S. Doak (author) | Informational | 930 |
| *Polar Worlds* | Rosalyn Wade (author) | Informational | 960\* |
| **Lexile text measures above band level (over 1010L)** |
| *Daily Life of the Inuit* | Pamela R. Stern (author) | Informational | nolxl |
| *I, Matthew Henson: Polar Explorer* | Carole Boston Weatherford (author)Eric Velasquez (illustrator) | Informational | 1070 |
| *The West Is Calling* | Sarah N. Harvey and Leslie Buffam (authors)Dianna Bonder (illustrator) | Poetry | NP |
| *The Earth under Sky Bear’s Feet* | Joseph Bruchac (author) | Poetry | NP |
| *The Elders Are Watching* | David Bouchard (author)Roy Henry Vickers (illustrator) | Poetry | NP |

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| Title | Author and Illustrator | Text Type | Lexile Measure |
| **Lexile text measures below band level (under 740L)** |
| *Using Coal, Oil, and Gas* | Sharon Katz Cooper (author) | Informational | 500\* |
| *National Geographic Readers: Rocks and Minerals* | Kathleen Weidner Zoehfeld (author) | Informational | 630\* |
| *Oil Spills! The Perils of Petroleum* | Jane Duden and Susan Walker (authors) | Informational | 660 |
| *Fossil Fuels* | Marcia Zappa (author) | Informational | 725\* |
| *Title* | Author and Illustrator | Text Type | Lexile Measure |
| **Lexile text measures within band level (740L–1010L)** |
| *Fossil Fuels* | Andrew Solway (author) | Informational | 790 |
| *Oil and Coal* | Nikole Brooks Bethea (author) | Informational | 820 |
| *Forestry* | Jane Drake and Ann Love (authors)Pat Cupples (illustrator) | Informational | 840 |
| *Minerals, Rocks, and Soil* | Barbara J. Davis (author) | Informational | 850 |
| *Life in a Forestry Community* | Lizann Flatt (author) | Informational | 870 |
| *Harmony Children’s Edition: A Vision for Our Future* | Prince of Wales Charles (author) | Informational | 900\* |
| **Lexile text measures above band level (over 1010L)** |
| *Northern Industries* | Heather C. Hudak (author) | Informational | 1025\* |
| *Scholastic Discover More: Rocks and Minerals* | Dan Green (author) | Informational | 1050 |
| *Energy in Crisis* | Catherine Chambers (author) | Informational | 1060 |
| *Is There a Future for Fossil Fuels?* | Ellen Rodger (author) | Informational | 1090 |

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| Title | Author and Illustrator | Text Type | Lexile Measure |
| **Lexile text measures below band level (under 740L)** |
| *The Polar Bear Son: An Inuit Tale* | Lydia Dabcovich (author) | Literature | 470 |
| *Arctic Stories* | Michael Kusugak (author)Vladyana Krykorka (illustrator) | Literature | 510\* |
| *Kamik: An Inuit Puppy Story* | Donald Uluadluak (author)Qin Leng (illustrator) | Literature | 660\* |
| *Earth Care: World Folktales to Talk About* | Margaret Read McDonald (author) | Literature | 690 |
| *Inuit* | Barbara A. Gray-Kanatiiosh (author)David Kanietakeron Fadden (illustrator) | Informational | 740\* |
| *Title* | Author and Illustrator | Text Type | Lexile Measure |
| **Lexile text measures within band level (740L–1010L)** |
| *Igloos and Inuit Life* | Louise Spilsbury (author) | Informational | 750 |
| *Under the Ice* | Rachel A. Qitsualik (author)Jae Korim (illustrator) | Literature | 800\* |
| *Ookpik: The Travels of a Snowy Owl* | Bruce Hiscock (author) | Literature | 810\* |
| *The Legend of the Fog* | Qaunaq Mikkigak and Joanne Schwartz (authors)Danny Christopher (illustrator) | Literature | 850\* |
| *The Inuit* | Brian Alexander and Cherry Alexander (authors) | Informational | 860\* |
| *The Inuit* | Kevin Cunningham and Peter Benoit (authors) | Informational | 910 |
| *Kaugjagjuk* | Marion Lewis (author)Kim Smith (illustrator) | Informational | 900\* |
| *Inuit History and Culture* | Helen Dwyer and Michael Burgan (authors) | Informational | 980\* |
| *Title* | Author and Illustrator | Text Type | Lexile Measure |
| **Lexile text measures above band level (over 1010L)** |
| *Stories of the Amautalik: Fantastic Beings from Inuit Myths and Legends* | Neil Christopher (author)Larry McDougall (illustrator)Louise Flaherty (translator) | Literature | nolxl |
| *Stones, Bones, and Stitches: Storytelling through Inuit Art* | Shelley Falconer andShawna White (authors) | Informational | nolxl |
| *Magic Words: From the Ancient Oral Tradition of the Inuit* | Mike Blanc (author)Edward Field (translator) | Poetry | NP |

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| Title | Author And Illustrator | Text Type | Lexile Measure |
| **Lexile text measures in Grade 2–3 band level (below 740L)** |
| *Tornadoes* | Mari Schuh (author) | Informational | 490 |
| *Floods* | Matt Doeden (author) | Informational | 500 |
| *Earthquakes* | Joelle Riley (author) | Informational | 560 |
| *Hurricanes!* | Marcie Aboff (author) | Informational | 600 |
| *Hurricane Fury* | Molly Blaisdell (author) | Informational | 600 |
| *Title* | Author And Illustrator | Text Type | Lexile Measure |
| **Lexile text measures in Grade 4–5 band level (740–1010L)** |
| *Tsunamis and Floods* | Jayne Keedle (author) | Informational | 810 |
| *The Worst Tornadoes of All Time* | Terri Dougherty (author) | Informational | 850 |
| *Surviving Earthquakes* | Michael Burgan (author) | Informational | 850 |
| *Chasing the World’s Most Dangerous Storms* | Clive Clifford (author) | Informational | 860 |
| *Hurricanes* | Seymour Simon (author) | Informational | 910 |
| *Tornadoes* | S.L. Hamilton (author) | Informational | 910\* |
| *Shattering Earthquakes* | Louise Spilsbury (author) | Informational | 930 |
| *Natural Disasters* | Nicolas Brasch (author) | Informational | 960 |
| *Saving Animals from Hurricanes* | Stephen Person (author) | Informational | 990 |
| **Lexile text measures within Grade 6–8 band level (1010–1185L)** |
| *Saving Animals After Floods* | Joyce Markovics (author) | Informational | 1030 |
| *Hurricanes* | Glenn Stout (author) | Informational | 1040 |
| *Forces of Nature: The Awesome Power of Volcanoes, Earthquakes, and Tornadoes* | Catherine O’Neill Grace (author) | Informational | 1080 |
| *Natural Disasters: Violent Weather* | Steve Parker (author) | Informational | 1140 |
| *Eyewitness: Natural Disasters* | Claire Watts (author) | Informational | No Lexile |

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| Title | Author And Illustrator | Text Type | Lexile Measure |
| **Lexile text measures below band level (under 740L)** |
| *Volunteering* | Amanda Rondeau (author) | Informational | 350\* |
| *Clara Barton: Angel of the Battlefield* | Tamara Hollingsworth (author) | Informational | 430 |
| *The Red Cross* | Anastasia Suen (author) | Informational | 580\* |
| *Disaster Relief* | Nick Hunter (author) | Informational | 730\* |
| *Title* | Author And Illustrator | Text Type | Lexile Measure |
| **Lexile text measures in Grade 4–5 band level (740–925L)** |
| *South Sudan* | Lisa Owings (author) | Informational | 750 |
| *Deserts: Surviving in the Sahara* | Michael Sandler (author) | Informational | 790\* |
| *Sudan in Our World* | Ali Brownlie Bojang (author) | Informational | 925\* |
| **Lexile text measures within band level (740–1010L)** |
| *Disaster Relief* | Nick Hunter (author) | Informational | 750\* |
| *Kids Care! 75 Ways to Make a Difference for People, Animals, & the Environment* | Rebecca Olien (author) | Informational | 750\* |
| *The Haitian Earthquake* | Peter Benoit (author) | Informational | 870 |
| *Hurricane Katrina* | Peter Benoit (author) | Informational | 880 |
| *Earthquake in Haiti* | Miriam Aronin (author) | Informational  | 910 |
| *Ways to Help after a Natural Disaster* | Laya Saul (author) | Informational | 1000\* |
| **Lexile text measures above band level (over 1010L)** |
| *Clara Barton: Civil War Hero and American Red Cross Founder* | Susan E. Hamen (author) | Informational | 1020\* |
| *The International Red Cross* | Sean Connolly (author) | Informational | 1020\* |
| *The World Health Organization* | Sean Connolly (author) | Informational | 1090\* |
| *Disaster Relief Workers* | Greg Roza (author) | Informational | 1160 |