

Great Books Schedule
Group C, Mrs. Messinger, Alternate Wednesdays
Revised 1/26/12

9/14/11 Welcome to Great Books, distribute Pegasus Series Vol. 1
Chestnut Pudding, Iroquois folktale

9/28/11 The Pied Piper, English folktale

10/12/11 “Fanciful Animals” Poetry by Edward Lear and A.A. Milne
Distribute Junior Great Books, Series 2, First Semester

10/26/11 The Happy Lion, Louise Fatio

11/9/11 The Tale of Squirrel Nutkin, Beatrix Potter

11/30/11 How the Camel Got His Hump, Rudyard Kipling

Holiday Break

1/4/12 Kanga and Baby Roo, A.A. Milne

2/1/12 Arap Sang and the Cranes, African folktale

2/15/12 Blue Moose, Daniel Manus Pinkwater

3/7/12 Anancy and Dog and Puss and Friendship, West Indian folktale

3/21/12 Jack and the Beanstalk, English folktale

4/11/12 The Magic Listening Cap, Japanese folktale

5/9/12 The Jackal and the Partridge, Punjabi folktale

5/23/12 Nail Soup, Swedish folktale

Great Books Schedule
New Friends, Mrs. Martin, Alternate Thursdays
Revised 1/26/12

9/22/11 Welcome to Great Books, distribute Pegasus Series Vol. 1
Chestnut Pudding, Iroquois folktale

10/6/11 The Pied Piper, English folktale

10/20/11 “Fanciful Animals” Poetry by Edward Lear and A.A. Milne
Distribute Junior Great Books, Series 2, First Semester

11/3/11 The Happy Lion, Louise Fatio

11/17/11 The Tale of Squirrel Nutkin, Beatrix Potter

12/8/11 How the Camel Got His Hump, Rudyard Kipling

Holiday Break

1/26/12 Kanga and Baby Roo, A.A. Milne

2/9/12 Arap Sang and the Cranes, African folktale

2/29/ Blue Moose, Daniel Manus Pinkwater

123/1/12 Anancy and Dog and Puss and Friendship, West Indian folktale

3/15/12 Jack and the Beanstalk, English folktale

Spring Break

4/19/12 The Magic Listening Cap, Japanese folktale

5/17/12 The Jackal and the Partridge, Punjabi folktale

5/31/12 Nail Soup, Swedish folktale

Great Books Schedule
Middle Friends, Mrs. Martin, Alternate Thursdays
Revised 1/26/12

- 9/15/11 Welcome to Great Books, Pegasus Series Vol.2: “Little Puppy”, Navajo Poem, “Lyle” Gwendolyn Brooks, “The Pasture”, Robert Frost. Distribute Junior Great Book Series 3 Book One
- 9/29/11 The Banza, Haitian folktale
- 10/13/11 The Man Whose Trade Was Tricks, Georgian folktale
- 10/27/11 The Fisherman and His Wife, Brothers Grimm
- 11/10/11 Ooka and the Honest Thief, Japanese folktale
- 12/1/11 It’s All the Fault of Adam, Nigerian folktale

Holiday Break

- 1/19/12 The Monster Who Grew Small, Joan Grant
- 2/2/12 The Selkie Girl, Scottish folktale
- 2/16/12 The Mushroom Man, Ethel Pochocki
- 3/8/12 The Princess and the Beggar, Korean folktale
- 3/22/12 The Fire on the Mountain, Ethiopian folktale, distribute Series 3, Book Two
- 4/12/12 The Dream Weaver, Concha Castroviejo
- 5/10/12 Jean Labadie’s Big Black Dog, French-Canadian folktale
- 5/24/12 Caporushes, English Folktale

Collect Series 3 Book Two to resume next year

Great Books Schedule
Group B, Mrs. Messinger, Alternate Wednesdays
Revised 1/26/12

- 9/21/11 Welcome to Great Books, Pegasus Series Vol.2: “Little Puppy”, Navajo Poem, “Lyle” Gwendolyn Brooks, “The Pasture”, Robert Frost. Distribute Junior Great Book Series 3 Book One
- 10/5/11 The Banza, Haitian folktale
- 10/19/11 The Man Whose Trade Was Tricks, Georgian folktale
- 11/2/11 The Fisherman and His Wife, Brothers Grimm
- 11/16/11 Ooka and the Honest Thief, Japanese folktale
- 12/7/11 It’s All the Fault of Adam, Nigerian folktale

Holiday Break

- 1/25/12 The Monster Who Grew Small, Joan Grant
- 2/8/12 The Selkie Girl, Scottish folktale
- 2/29/12 The Mushroom Man, Ethel Pochocki
- 3/14/12 The Princess and the Beggar, Korean folktale
- 3/28/12 The Fire on the Mountain, Ethiopian folktale, distribute Series 3, Book Two
- 4/18/12 The Dream Weaver, Concha Castroviejo
- 5/16/12 Jean Labadie’s Big Black Dog, French-Canadian folktale
- 5/30/12 Caporushes, English Folktale

Collect Series 3 Book Two to resume next year

Great Books Schedule
Oldest Friends, Mrs. Martin, Alternate Thursdays
Revised 1/26/12

- 9/15/11 Welcome to Great Books, Pegasus Series 3, Secret Messages poetry,
Hand out Junior Great Books Series 4, Book One
- 9/29/11 Thank You M'am, Langston Hughes
- 10/13/11 The Gold Coin, Alma Flor Ada
- 10/27/11 Tuesday of the Other June, Norma Fox Mazer
- 11/10/11 Prot and Krot, Polish folktale
- 12/1/11 Chin Yu Min and the Ginger Cat, Jennifer Armstrong

Holiday Break

- 1/19/12 The Nightingale, Hans Christian Anderson
- 2/2/12 Fresh, Phillipa Pearce
- 2/16/12 Thunder Elephant and Dorobo, African folktale
- 3/8/12 All Summer in a Day, Ray Bradbury
- 3/22/12 Beauty and the Beast, Madame de Villeneuve

Distribute Junior Great Books Series 4, Book Two

- 4/12/12 Shrewd Todie and Lyzer the Miser, Ukranian folktale
- 5/10/12 The Goldfish, Eleanor Farjeon
- 5/24/12 The Great Blackberry Pick, Phillipa Pearce

Collect Series 4, Book Two to resume next year

Great Books Schedule
Group A, Mrs. Messinger, Alternate Wednesdays
Revised 1/26/12

- 9/21/11 Welcome to Great Books, Pegasus Series 3, Secret Messages poetry,
Hand out Junior Great Books Series 4, Book One
- 10/5/11 Thank You M'am, Langston Hughes
- 10/19/11 The Gold Coin, Alma Flor Ada
- 11/2/11 Tuesday of the Other June, Norma Fox Mazer
- 11/16/11 Prot and Krot, Polish folktale
- 12/7/11 Chin Yu Min and the Ginger Cat, Jennifer Armstrong

Holiday Break

- 1/25/12 The Nightingale, Hans Christian Anderson
- 2/8/12 Fresh, Phillipa Pearce
- 2/29/12 Thunder Elephant and Dorobo, African folktale
- 3/14/12 All Summer in a Day, Ray Bradbury
- 3/28/12 Beauty and the Beast, Madame de Villeneuve
- Distribute Junior Great Books Series 4, Book Two**
- 4/18/12 Shrewd Todie and Lyzer the Miser, Ukranian folktale
- 5/16/12 The Goldfish, Eleanor Farjeon
- 5/30/12 The Great Blackberry Pick, Phillipa Pearce

Collect Series 4, Book Two to resume next year

Great Books Schedule
First Years, Mrs. Baucom, Alternate Wednesdays
Revised 1/26/12

- 9/14/11 Welcome to Great Books, Hand out Series 5, Book One
- 9/28/11 The No-Guitar Blues, Gary Soto
- 10/12/11 Kaddo's Wall, West African folktale
- 10/26/11 Turquoise Horse, Gerald Hausman
- 11/9/11 A Game of Catch, Richard Wilbur
- 11/30/11 Oliver Hyde's Dishcloth Concert, Richard Kennedy

Holiday Break

- 1/18/12 The Hundred-Dollar Bill, Rose Wilder Lane
- 2/1/12 The Invisible Child, Tove Jansson
- 2/15/12 In the Time of the Drums, Gullah folktale
- 3/7/12 Learning the Game, Francisco Jiminez
- 3/21/12 The Bat Poet, Randall Jarrell

Distribute Junior Great Books Series 5, Book Two

- 4/11/12 Charles, Shirley Jackson
- 5/9/12 A Bad Road for Cats, Cynthia Rylant
- 5/23/12 Podhu and Aruwa, African folktale

Great Books Schedule
First Years, Mrs. Morgan, Alternate Wednesdays

- 9/21/11 Welcome to Great Books, Hand out Series 5, Book One
- 10/5/11 The No-Guitar Blues, Gary Soto
- 10/19/11 Kaddo's Wall, West African folktale
- 11/2/11 Turquoise Horse, Gerald Hausman
- 11/16/11 A Game of Catch, Richard Wilbur
- 12/7/11 Oliver Hyde's Dishcloth Concert, Richard Kennedy

Holiday Break

- 1/25/12 The Hundred-Dollar Bill, Rose Wilder Lane
- 2/8/12 The Invisible Child, Tove Jansson
- 2/29/12 In the Time of the Drums, Gullah folktale
- 3/14/12 Learning the Game, Francisco Jiminez
- 3/28/12 The Bat Poet, Randall Jarrell

Distribute Junior Great Books Series 5, Book Two

- 4/18/12 Charles, Shirley Jackson
- 5/16/12 A Bad Road for Cats, Cynthia Rylant
- 5/30/12 Podhu and Aruwa, African folktale

Great Books Schedule
Second Years, Mrs. Baucom, Alternate Wednesdays
Revised 1/26/12

- 9/14/11 Welcome to Great Books, Great Books Roundtable Level 1,
 “The Road Not Taken”, Robert Frost, “Table”, Edip Cansever
- 9/28/11 Gaston, William Saroyan
- 10/12/11 The Old Man of the Sea, Maeve Brennan
- 10/26/11 Through the Tunnel, Doris Lessing
- 11/9/11 Raymond’s Run, Toni Cade Bambara
- 11/30/11 The Witch Who Came for the Weekend, William Trevor

Holiday Break

- 1/18/12 As the Night the Day, Abiseh Nicol
- 2/1/12 The Parsley Garden, William Saroyan
- 2/15/12 The Veldt, Ray Bradbury
- 3/7/12 A Likely Place, Paula Fox
- 3/21/12 The Mountain, Charles Mungoshi
- 4/11/12 Afternoon in Linen, Shirley Jackson
- 5/9/12 The Mysteries of the Cabala, Isaac Bashevis Singer
- 5/23/12 Rattlesnakes, John Muir

Great Books Schedule
Second Years, Mrs. Morgan Alternate Wednesdays
Revised 1/26/12

9/21/11 Welcome to Great Books, Great Books Roundtable Level 1,
"The Road Not Taken", Robert Frost, "Table", Edip Cansever

10/3/11 Gaston, William Saroyan

10/19/11 The Old Man of the Sea, Maeve Brennan

11/2/11 Through the Tunnel, Doris Lessing

11/16/11 Raymond's Run, Toni Cade Bambara

12/7/11 The Witch Who Came for the Weekend, William Trevor

Holiday Break

1/25/12 As the Night the Day, Abiseh Nicol

2/8/12 The Parsley Garden, William Saroyan

2/29/12 The Veldt, Ray Bradbury

3/14/12 A Likely Place, Paula Fox

3/28/12 The Mountain, Charles Mungoshi

4/18/12 Afternoon in Linen, Shirley Jackson

5/16/12 The Mysteries of the Cabala, Isaac Bashevis Singer

5/30/12 Rattlesnakes, John Muir

Great Books Schedule
Third Years, Mrs. Baucom Alternate Wednesdays
Revised 1/26/12

- 9/14/11 Welcome to Great Books, distribute Great Books Roundtable Level 2
“Harlem (2)”, Langston Hughes, “(n)”, E.E. Cummings, “The Fort”, Marie
Howe
- 9/28/11 The White Umbrella, Gish Jen
- 10/12/11 Harrison Bergeron, Kurt Vonnegut, Jr.
- 10/26/11 The First Day, Edward P. Jones
- 11/9/11 Props for Faith, Ursula Hegi
- 11/30/11 El Diablo de la Cienega, Geoffrey Becker

Holiday Break

- 1/18/12 The Cat and the Coffee Drinkers, Max Steele
- 2/1/12 The Box House and the Snow, Christina Henriquez
- 2/15/12 I Just Kept on Smiling, Simon Burt
- 3/7/12 Mercedes Kane, Elizabeth McCracken
- 3/21/12 Sandra Street, Michael Anthony
- 4/11/12 Day of the Butterfly, Alice Munro
- 5/9/12 The White Circle, John Bell Clayton
- 5/23/12 Wolf, Loren Eiseley, Colter’s Way, Sebastian Junger