

MIDDLE SCHOOL eBOOK COLLECTIONS

Middle school is a time when students expand their skills. So how do you encourage that when there are more mandates, guidelines, and curriculum standards to fulfill? Our teacher-curated eBook collections are level based. They help students prepare for that next step while still offering curriculum-focused options from Gale,

along with publishers like UXL, Britannica Digital Learning, ReferencePoint Press, and Cavendish Square. All on the award-winning *Gale eBooks* platform.



#MeToo Movement

#MeToo is a movement against sexual harassment and sexual assault that caught headlines in October 2017 and has positioned itself as a campaign to promote empowerment through empathy. This informative collection contains titles to support and educate students about sexual harassment and sexual assault.

Aliens

From the mysterious Area 51 to the landmark Stonehenge, unidentified flying objects and beings from other worlds have fascinated people since the ancient times. This fun collection of eBooks covers extraterrestrial topics, such as life on other planets, alien life, abductions, the supernatural, UFOs, and more.

Alternative Energy

Solar, wind, biomass, and geothermal power are becoming a reality in homes, transportation, and the workplace. This collection seeks to help students learn about alternative energies that improve public health and energy security—better preparing them for the clean and sustainable future of energy.

Anatomy

Inside and out, the human body is a fascinating canvas to study. This must-have collection makes it more so, with engaging and informative texts that draw students in. It covers diverse topics, such as body systems, human diseases, brain science, advances in medicine and technology, dermatology, and more.

Ancient Civilizations

Several of the world's most common inventions, traditions, and cultures stem from the ancient civilizations of Greece, Rome, Egypt, India, Japan, and more. With this engaging collection, students can make connections and understand that many of the ancient cultures influence the world around them.

Animals, Insects, and Sea Life

What an amazing adventure! From the rain forest to the desert and into the sea, this awesome collection covers animal groups, anatomy, behavior, ecosystems, animal rights, endangered and extinct animals, and how humans can relate to animals. There are also individual titles on specific animals, insects, and sea life.

Arab Heritage

There is no “one” Arab culture or society. The Arab world is full of rich and diverse communities, groups, and cultures. Differences exist among and within countries. The collection captures this diversity by exploring the history, culture, literature, religions, gender roles, roots, and more regarding Arab peoples.

Art, Dance, and Theater

Art classes such as theater, dance, photography, painting, and singing are some of the most vulnerable subjects in a curriculum. Keeping the arts alive through an eBook collection is the perfect solution. This one covers several areas of artistic expression, such as photography, sculpture, music, film, dance, and fashion.

Asian Heritage

Asian culture can refer to (but isn't limited to) the People's Republic of China, India, Indonesia, Pakistan, Bangladesh, Japan, the Philippines, Vietnam, Iran, Thailand, Burma, and South Korea. This collection enables students to understand the history, complexity, and contemporary practices in Asian American culture.

Astronomy and Space Science

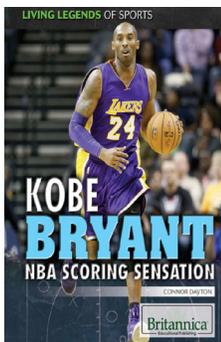
It's no wonder that astronomy is considered the gateway into other aspects of science. Exploring new frontiers is so exciting! Introduce young researchers to this popular area of study with relevant topics, such as the Big Bang Theory, space exploration, solar systems, planets, the earth's systems, and more.

Banned Books

What makes a book inappropriate? Why do some schools and libraries ban books? This collection explores the issues surrounding banned books by offering opinions from a wide range of sources, including content on suppressed literature, controversial titles and topics, and authors who have written the most talked-about books.

Bilingual Fairytales

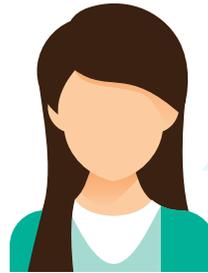
Published by Rourke Educational Publishing, this collection features titles that are classic tales of magic, imagination, and inspiration retold in English and Spanish. Readers will love learning about beloved characters and storylines while, at the same time, building their fluency in dual languages.



Biography

Here's a collection designed to keep middle school students engaged and inspired. Whether it's learning about a person's early childhood or their achiever attitude, there's a lot to be gained by studying someone's biography. That's especially true if the biography is of a student's favorite celebrity, musician, or athlete. This must-have collection

highlights the top men and women in sports, art, philosophy, literature, science, and other areas of study. These are reliable sources that starstruck young researchers can turn to for their next biography assignment or for their own personal interest.



"I look at our curriculum as a guide. The real purpose of the library is to support the school."

Roxanne Trejos
Head Librarian
Gulliver Preparatory Campus
Pinecrest, FL

Black History

Understanding African American history means students need to know the full breadth of historical contributions from before slavery to modern times in America and around the world. This collection supports, celebrates, and honors black history and helps teachers offer students diverse, rich, and respectful resources.



CA History–Social Science Alignment Middle School

More than 600 titles have been aligned to meet the guidelines of the California History–Social Science (HSS) Framework that was adopted in 2016. Students and teachers can easily access

HSS-aligned content via virtual bookshelves that are titled by grade level, standard number, and framework unit. Within a bookshelf, users can see the guiding questions for that unit created to help promote inquiry. Additional bookshelves identify other important content, including the FAIR Act, LGBTQ resources, primary sources, and more. This is a great collection for California school districts implementing these instructional shifts.

Cameron's Collection

Mental health issues are becoming more prevalent in our society today. Helping students cope with everyday stressors and stay in the present moment are at the core of this collection. Created in partnership with the Cameron K. Gallagher Foundation, it aims to inspire students affected by mental illness to seek help.



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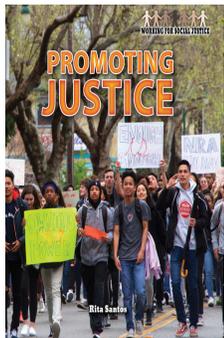
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Career: Career Titles

With so many career possibilities, it can be challenging for students to decide on a path to follow. That's where this collection can be a big help. It covers a variety of jobs and fields for all school levels as well as titles focused on military, technology, medical, environmental careers, and others.

Career: College-Ready Practices

What will college be like? This collection covers soft skills, such as time management, problem-solving, understanding mental and physical health, and living on your own. Plus, there are simple strategies for taking notes and test taking—important concepts students will undoubtedly find useful at any age.



Charity, Community, and Philanthropy

From global warming to starving nations, today's teens are invested in understanding how they can make a positive impact on their community and the world around them. That's a major focus of this collection. It explores various issues and the people and organizations that are working to solve problems.

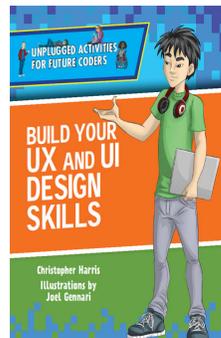
Titles cover local and global concerns, like the challenges of world hunger, life-threatening illnesses in children, veterans' issues, environmental protection, human rights, emergency aid, education, and world diseases. Keep the conversation going with informative content on pressing topics.

Cities, Landmarks, Parks, and States

Strengthen your students' knowledge about geography as well as cultures and traditions of people across the United States. This collection includes capitals, flags, historical monuments, architecture, and more. It's a great addition to any school library, whether you're using it for social studies, language arts, or geography.

Civics and Economics

Money management, banking skills, civic responsibilities, political parties, and careers are just a few of the topics covered in this diverse and engaging collection. Students will learn about communities and their resources, how the government works, and even get a little insight on fundraising ideas.



Coding

Why not get students interested in computer programming early in life? Pique their interest with this engaging collection that helps teach them about the foundations of computer programming, such as the history of coding from early computer programming languages to Python and Scratch. They'll have the opportunity to learn how to code

by using popular programs like Minecraft and Lego. Plus, they'll discover how coding is used in everyday life, from the arts and animations to careers. This collection is packed with diverse coding content that can be used cross-curricular for various reading levels.

Conspiracy Theories

Assassinations, secret societies, paranormal activities, cover-ups, and other deep mysteries are topics that students love to read about. This collection offers a diverse range of eBooks that explore conspiracy theories from the past to the present that support classroom discussion, reading strategies, and evaluating claims.

Constitution Day

Many schools require teachers across curriculums to incorporate Constitution Day into their lessons. For history teachers this is easy, but in other content areas, teachers may struggle. This collection offers topics that align with the September 17 observance, such as presidents, citizenship, national landmarks, and more.

Cooking

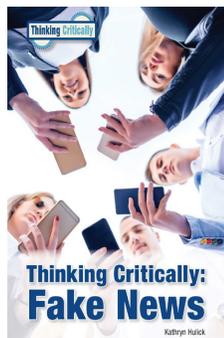
Students love cooking and learning kitchen skills. Give budding chefs at your school high-quality content they can turn to for cooking techniques. This collection is a great addition for a health and wellness class or life skills course needing resources for cooking, baking, recipes, and multicultural cookbooks.

Countries of the World

Traveling to far and distant lands in a classroom setting is one sure way to keep students engaged. Whether it's viewing an atlas of the world or learning about countries, peoples, or cultures, this collection will have a history or foreign language teacher ready to take students on an awesome learning adventure!

Criminal Justice, Forensics, and Law

Serial killers, fingerprints, crime scenes, court cases, legal rights, and the CIA—how could students not be interested in this collection? It's filled with intrigue and suspense and built to support an entire curriculum or sections of a course that contain criminal justice, law, or forensics.



Digital Citizenship

Teach students about the importance of respecting themselves and others online. This collection was created as a guide to teachers who need simple and engaging ways to implement whole or sections of a digital citizenship curriculum into their classroom. It's based on *Digital Citizenship in Schools*, written by Mike Ribble and

published by the International Society for Technology in Education (ISTE). In this publication, nine elements make up the foundation for digital citizenship—digital access, commerce, communication, literacy, etiquette, law, rights and responsibilities, health and wellness, and security.

Dinosaurs

Wonder what it was like when dinosaurs existed? This collection takes readers of all ages into the prehistoric era when dinosaurs ruled the land, air, and sea. The biology and behavior of dinosaurs is also covered as well as fossils and other evidence scientists use to recreate the environment of the dinosaurs.

Diseases, Disorders, Illness, and Viruses

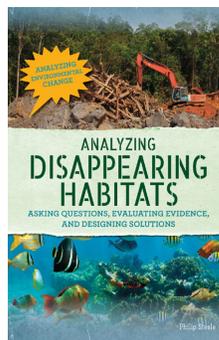
This collection provides an overview of an area of growing concern, offering students a one-stop resource for researching the chronic conditions and illnesses that plague our society. Topics include mental health, epidemics and pandemics, cancers, genetic conditions, neurological disorders, and alternative medicine.

Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion

Keep the conversation going. Diversity, equity, and inclusion (DEI) is a trending topic. This collection provides insight with content on world cultures, traditions, religion, sexual orientation, education, and socioeconomic status. It also covers social justice, racism, hate crimes, genocide, immigration, and more.

Drugs and Alcohol

From the opioid epidemic to types of antibiotics, this collection covers more than just the dangers of drugs and alcohol. Topics include opioids, synthetic drugs, tobacco, marijuana use medically and recreationally, antibiotics, drug resistance, and alcohol information. There are also titles that cover support topics.



Earth/Animal Rights and Conservation

How can we be good stewards of the planet? Will more species of animals become endangered? In what ways are we conserving our natural resources? Given all of the technology that surrounds students these days, a connection to nature can sometimes take a backseat.

They may not realize the impact they have on the world around them. This thought-provoking collection covers important topics, such as conserving water, protecting animals, and simply understanding the human footprint. Help students to see the role they and future generations play by making this collection part of your science curriculum.

Earth Day

Learning how to protect our planet is a lesson well learned at any age. This eBook collection helps students understand more about the world around them by promoting environmental awareness. It covers important topics such as pollution, conservation, trees and plants, ecosystems, recycling, and more.

Engineering

Introduce students to the amazing world of engineering. This collection covers the different types of engineering—civil, environmental, biological, electrical, mechanical, and more. It also includes engaging topics on ways engineers solve problems and some of the engineering feats that have been accomplished.



English Language Arts for Students and Teachers

Whether it's literature that students have read for years or something more challenging, there are times when teachers need support reaching them. This collection helps students read required literature, such as Shakespeare, British literature, poetry, short stories, and more, and build skills without feeling overwhelmed.

Enhanced Collection

Get the latest titles with video content, teacher resources, alignment to standards, and topics relevant to students today. This collection features titles on current issues, such as animal rights, immigration, gun control, transgender life, and hunting. It also includes Gale's newest project-based title, *Ignition Science*.

Family

This collection focuses on how to handle general family disputes, nourish relationships with friends, and get along with siblings. Titles on specific family dynamics and events are also featured, along with titles that highlight homelessness, death of a family member, incarcerated parent(s), and divorce.



Film and TV

This collection covers engaging topics, such as the history of film, theater, and television, race in film, musicals, popular culture, action heroes, religion in film, sports and entertainment, and more. The collection also shows students how media has shaped history and how it has expanded to become an integral part of world culture.

Financial Literacy

The resources in this collection relate to financial situations students will encounter, such as credit cards, paying taxes, debt management, acquiring money for college, investing, raising money for charity, and more. It also supports digital learning due to the interdependence between the digital world and finances.



FL DOE Mental Health, Substance Use, and Human Trafficking Alignment

Middle school can be stressful for some teens. They could be dealing with anything from pressures from peers to emotional issues or even

substance abuse. To combat these issues, new rules from the Florida Department of Education require that health education courses for 6th–12th grade students focus on mental and emotional health, substance use and abuse, and child trafficking prevention. This alignment supports these rules with more than 560 titles, including Gale's highly acclaimed Cameron's Collection. Customers can choose titles from the list and don't need to purchase the entire collection at once.

Flowers, Plants, and Trees

How big do oak trees get? When do tulips bloom? From various types of plants and trees to how they grow and the regions they're located in, this collection covers it all. It even includes eBooks with science projects and crafts to make learning about these specific topics more interactive for students.

For Students

Our bestselling *For Students* series now includes new 16-volume bundles, each filled with the most-studied literature in today's classrooms. Diverse and inclusive, these eBooks cover works written by Edwidge Danticat, Philip K. Dick, Steve Martin, Bharati Mukherjee, and nearly 1,000 other works.

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Genocide

This collection examines history's darker side: the massacres, terrorist attacks, ethnic cleansing, and subjugation of races that have taken place since the beginning of humankind. It covers brutality such as the Holocaust, Trail of Tears, Darfur, Rwanda, Sudan, Burma, and more, as well as issues surrounding these events.

Geography

For the explorer in all of us, geography is a fascinating area of study that provides historical perspective on people and places. Beyond physical geography, this collection focuses on topical geography, regional geography, and historical geography. It also includes information on cartography, maps, atlases, and globes and how to use them.

Graphic Novels and Picture Books

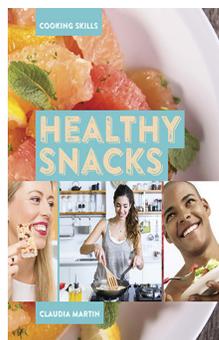
Picture books are a great way to connect students to content. Whether they're struggling readers, English language learners, or you just want a new way to reach students, this collection can help learners grasp concepts. Topics include American history, science, math, phonics, literature, coding, and more.

Halloween

A spooky collection perfect for the Halloween season or for a unit on creatures, myths, legends, and more! Beyond goblins, witches, and ghosts, this collection covers historical tales from various cultures around the world, legends of old and new as well as phenomenon, mystical beings, hypnosis, magic, and the unexplained.

Harlem Renaissance

The Harlem Renaissance in the 1920s was an exciting time that was characterized by innovations in art, literature, music, poetry, and dance. This collection will help students understand the historical context of the Harlem Renaissance and what kind of impact it had on African Americans in the United States.



Health and Nutrition

It's eye-opening when you learn about what's in the foods you're eating. On the flip side, the strides that have been made in modern medicine are truly remarkable. This collection helps students understand why healthy living is so important as well as how making good choices benefits your body, mind, and soul. It's mixed with titles

that span a diverse subject range. From cooking and genetically modified foods to robots in medicine, readers are sure to find something that sparks their interest. It offers reliable research resources for health, physical education, and science classrooms.

Hispanic Heritage

Give students a sense pride in one's own culture as well as an appreciation of others. This collection helps them understand how Hispanic Americans have contributed and changed the landscape of American culture. It celebrates the histories, cultures, and contributions of Hispanic Americans who have influenced America.

Holidays, Events, and Celebrations

Holidays from all over the world are covered in this collection. Content includes fun facts, religious practices, festivals, and historic events. Students will get an opportunity to explore different religions and their traditions, including sacred objects and texts that are part of religious traditions and celebrations.

Holocaust Remembrance

Created to honor the victims and survivors of the Holocaust, the titles in this collection help teachers cover sensitive topics in a thoughtful and meaningful way. It also provides comprehensive historical information about the Holocaust and can be used as a supplement to the WWII collection as well.

Immigration and Migration

What's the difference between immigration and migration? This in-depth collection serves as a foundation to help students understand the differences. Through various resources, such as primary sources, they get a firsthand account of what daily life is like for an immigrant coming to a new country.

Inclusivity

Promote inclusiveness among students. Taking from the larger Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI) collection, this one focuses specifically on inclusivity. It features content that builds awareness as to why classrooms become noninclusive, such as discrimination, intolerance, cultural appropriation, microaggressions, assimilation, and bias.

LGBTQIA+

Help students better understand contemporary and historical discussions regarding LGBTQ issues. This collection covers lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, and questioning topics and is very useful for teachers looking for ways to incorporate LGBTQ history, people, and themes into their curriculum.

Makerspaces

Challenge students to break out of the box and use their ingenuity in a collaborative environment. This engaging eBook collection supports STEM education initiatives and the maker movement. Topics focus on inventions, such as robots, drones, scanners, 3D machines, leatherworking, video animation, and more.

Math

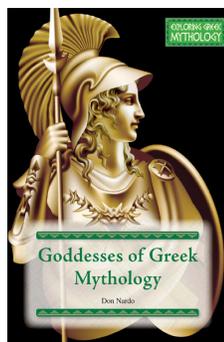
Filled with graphics and visuals that are crucial for middle school students, it offers energetic, illustrative, and engaging titles that teachers will love to have in their digital library. It also utilizes mummies, zombies, and cooking to put a unique spin on math and engage learners in new and different ways.

Mental Health

This collection covers topics such as depression, anxiety, post-traumatic stress disorder, family issues, drug and alcohol abuse, sexual violence, relationships, and more. It enables students to research topics they wouldn't normally want to talk about and anonymously get the information they need to understand sensitive topics.

Music

From the different genres of music to the science behind it, this collection fits well across curriculums. It covers music in general, but certain titles follow music through the decades, highlight legendary and influential musicians of a time period, and present a scientific and mathematical approach to music.



Mythology

Fairies, ogres, trolls, ancient beings, and urban legends—oh, my! If it's the unknown and the mysterious, it's bound to catch a student's attention, and this collection is no exception. It was originally created with a foundation in basic mythology, such as ancient gods, myths, and folktales. As the collection grew, it began to cover

worldwide myths and folklore, from the hunt for Bigfoot to the Loch Ness Monster. With new titles being added on an ongoing basis, there's never a dull moment. Add it to your language arts library or even just for fun, and be ready for some interesting class discussions.

National History Day

Every year, a new theme is released by the nonprofit organization that created National History Day. This collection was built on the 2019 theme, "Breaking Barriers in History," which revolves around barriers—whether they be physical or man-made—that people, inventions, or events have broken and changed history.

Native American

Often in media and film, the portrayal of Native Americans can be stereotypical, outdated, and inaccurate. This collection gives teachers the resources they need to build a well-rounded and respectful curriculum that educates students about the history, cultures, traditions, and modern contributions of Native Americans.



NY Social Studies Inquiries Alignment Middle School

Help educators better prepare for curricular and instructional shifts that rely on the Inquiry Arc, as outlined in the College, Career, and Civic Life (C3) Framework for Social Studies State Standards.

We've taken the C3 Framework and the New York State K-12 Social Studies Resource Toolkit and aligned both collections to the topics and key ideas of the toolkit inquiries. Each alignment contains 120+ hand-curated titles that have been selected to support an inquiry-based instructional approach. The virtual bookshelves named for each inquiry allow students and teachers to easily research and access aligned content.

Pacific Northwest

The Pacific Northwest is the part of the United States associated with Washington, Oregon, California, Idaho, Montana, Wyoming, and the Canadian province of British Columbia. This collection reflects the characteristics of the area and offers diverse topics, such as wildlife, biomes, green technology, westward expansion, and more.

Physics

Physics can be a challenging course to grasp. This collection was built on a leveled foundation and teaches students about physics, the science that is at the very center of all other sciences and essential to our very existence. There are many diverse texts that lower-level readers can use but are still appropriate.

Poetry

Students sometimes dread poetry because of its challenging text, complex literary devices, and roller-coaster emotions. That's also why it should be a staple part of the classroom and library. This collection has a well-rounded mix of titles and will help students better understand the conventions and structure of poetry.

Primary Sources

What makes primary sources so valuable for learning? They offer students a real and personal look into a person's life, details of an event, or convey emotions through a piece of art. Covering world and U.S. history, this collection gives students a firsthand look at what life was like during a certain time period.

Reading and Writing

Motivate students to want to drive their own learning. At the middle school level, this collection supports core curriculums and school standards through various aspects of reading and writing, including literary themes, writing genres, the works of Shakespeare, how to interpret works, and publishing technical and scientific writing.

Reluctant and Struggling Readers

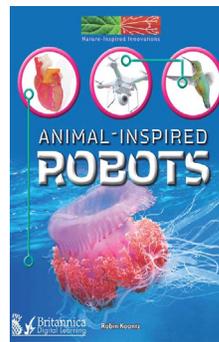
Motivating struggling readers is a challenging task. It's important that they're set up for success with texts that are interesting to them and at their reading and grade and age level. This collection was built based on inspiring them to find a title, connect to it, and build confidence and proficiency with their reading.

Revolutions of the World

Many of the changes that have been made in world history have started with a revolution. This collection looks at the American Revolution, French Revolution, Arab Uprising, Latin Revolution, Cuban Revolution, and Mexican Revolution. Plus, it covers the Scientific, Industrial, and Information Revolutions.

Riots, Protests, and Rebellions

This collection was curated based on a range of issues that have inspired protests around the world. These are the types of protests that serious activists and ordinary people alike have used to effect change. It details both historic and contemporary events, some well-known and others less familiar to students.

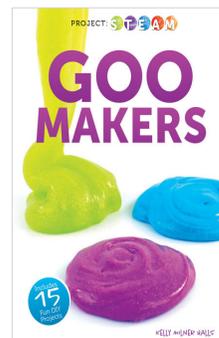


Robotics

With this collection, students will quickly discover that robotics is about more than team school competitions. As technology advances, robots are taking on new roles in medical care, education, the military, exploration, and more. This inspiring collection covers the history of robotics and the scientists who have made these advancements possible. It gives students the opportunity to explore robotics as a career. It also complements STEM subjects, as students get an overview of various jobs in the field and how they relate to the fields of science, technology, engineering, art, and mathematics.

School Safety and Community

Safety is a growing concern that affects all students, teachers, and parents. This collection covers lockdowns, bullying, violence, mass shootings, assault, social media, and mental health. It also provides resources for personal topics, such as homelessness, addiction, domestic issues, breakups and relationships, and more.



Science Fair

What's better than a science fair for middle school students? Beyond the competitive spirit of a science fair itself, it provides students with the opportunity to stretch their creative muscle. The range of projects extends from metal-working, electrical, and hands-on creations using natural resources to experiments with sound, light, and heat. This collection offers a vast array of designs that students can reference to create the next big invention. It's perfect for the STEAM area of a school's curriculum or as a resource science and technology teachers can use to challenge student ingenuity in their classrooms.



“You [librarians] are a change agent. You’re a curriculum person. You’re an instruction person. You’re a professional development person. Sell your value. Show your value. That’s where you make a difference.”

Dr. Bill Chapman
Superintendent
Jarrell Independent School District
Jarrell, TX



September 11th

This collection features more than just basic information. Along with many titles that are primary sources, there are titles that cover propaganda, media, literature, different terrorist groups, and leaders associated with the attacks. Topics include the actual events, attacks that followed, hysteria, discrimination, global effects, and the war on terror.

Sexual Health

This collection addresses the sexual issues that teens face, including the physical and emotional changes that accompany puberty and emerging sexuality. It also covers the risks of unplanned pregnancies and sexually transmitted diseases. Use it cross-curricular in science anatomy or as part of a health education course.

Shakespeare

“All the world’s a stage,” and this collection sets the perfect stage as a companion piece to a Shakespeare unit. Give them a great understanding of all things Shakespearean. This content goes beyond Shakespeare’s plays and includes information on his life, language, theater, and historical issues during his time.

Social Issues

In a world brimming with social and cultural issues, it can be challenging for students to understand these problems and find positive solutions. The titles in this collection are relevant to what’s going on nationally and globally. It is this relevancy that creates community, discussion, and advocacy in a classroom.

Sports and Recreation

Looking for a collection that’s perfect for a health or physical education course? This is it! There are various titles about top athletes and different types of sports in America and around the world. It even includes titles that cover serious sports issues, such as concussions, violence, equality, drugs, and injuries.

Starter Technology

Technology used during different wars and within military branches, experiments and projects, careers, engineering wonders, cloning, robotics, and digital awareness and education can all be found in this collection. It’s great for a school looking to start a small technology collection or add to an existing one.

STEAM

This collection is small but packs a big punch as it covers areas in STEAM careers, coding, military engineering and technology, mathematics, art, architecture, and robotics. It was built to fill gaps in a school’s existing STEAM curriculum or be the starting foundation for brand-new resources in the science, technology, engineering, the arts, and mathematics areas.

Terrorism

The ongoing reports of terrorism around the world hold our collective attention. Give students modern-day and historical context to these events with a collection that covers terrorism in various forms. Topics include 9/11, mass shootings, bombings, assassinations, cyberterrorism, domestic terrorism, and more.

Transportation

This is right in a young reader’s wheelhouse! This small but mighty collection provides a historical perspective on how a variety of wheeled transports have been instrumental in the development of industries like agriculture, commerce, and transportation. Topics include wagons, cars, buses, boats, airplanes, and bicycles.



TX TEKS ELA-R Alignment Middle School

A main focus of the new TEKS ELA-R is that students have the ability to self-select text. These TEKS ELA-R-aligned collections meet that need by offering students access to titles

with no check-in or check-out—from any device.

The *Gale eBooks* platform enables students to make annotations using the Highlights and Notes tool. By the time the 2020–2021 school year rolls around, students will be able to choose from more than 150 titles in the middle school collection. The virtual bookshelves available for this grade level make accessing content based on curriculum strand and topic of interest quick and easy.

U.S. History

Spanning from the beginnings of colonial times to modern America, this collection helps students realize that history doesn’t have to be boring! Fun topics like the health and wellness habits of the colonial people, technology in the Revolutionary War, the 1920s, world wars, and pop culture keep students engaged.

Video Games

Here's a subject teens love to talk about! Video games can actually help keep students engaged when it comes to learning. Along with the history of video games and virtual reality, this small collection focuses on fascinating topics, such as artificial intelligence, video games and crime, and careers in gaming.

War: American Revolution

Give students a clearer perspective on the roots, results, and spirit of the American Revolution—one of the great turning points in history. This collection provides an informative overview of the battle. It covers pre-Revolution, wartime struggles, and the aftermath of the American Revolution and its special challenges.

War: Civil War

The Civil War marked the most violent divide between the north and the south in U.S. history. This thought-provoking collection focuses on the causes and events that led to the American Civil War, including slavery, Abraham Lincoln's presidential victory, secession, famous battles, people, and events.

War: Cold War and Korean War

For almost 50 years, the United States and the Soviet Union were engaged in the Cold War. This global stalemate emerged after both nations had been allies against Hitler. This collection examines major aspects of post-World War II and the Cold War era, including the nuclear arms race and the conflicts in Korea.

War: Middle East

This in-depth collection includes coverage of the political and cultural conflicts in the Middle East. It explores each conflict (Iraq War, War on Terrorism, Afghanistan War, Persian Gulf), including the history, nature of the conflict, factors involved, and any steps that were taken toward resolution.

War: Vietnam War

Researchers will gain insight into the experiences of soldiers and people on the home front as well as what impact the Vietnam War had on U.S. history and the country's development. Titles in the collection range from major battles and key figures of the war to the technology and weapons used during this military conflict.

War: World War I and World War II

World War I and World War II play pivotal roles in our history. This collection outlines the buildup to WWI and its conclusion, the interwar era, and the causes and effects of World War II. The front line, home front, important figures and battles, technology, and the Holocaust are topics that are covered.



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Westward Expansion

The Westward Expansion is a time period when Americans migrated west in search of wealth, land ownership, and new freedoms. This collection covers the gold rush, immigration and migration, life on the trails, Native American relations, the wild west, cowboys, pioneer life, and the building of the Transcontinental Railroad.

Women's History

The resources in this collection aim to dismantle common stereotypes used to discredit women throughout history. Whether students are conducting research or looking for inspiration, these comprehensive texts bring the stories of female role models, political figures, authors, poets, and athletes to life.



World Cultures

Impart the importance of world cultures to students. In support of diversity, equity, and inclusion, global learning and cultural mindedness is an expanding topic in education. Teachers are striving to find the diverse and comprehensive resources they need to teach their students about different countries, peoples, and cultures around the world. This teacher-curated collection on world cultures promotes global learning and can help students learn, appreciate, and understand the differences in people. It would be great in a history teacher's library but could easily fit in other subject areas as well.

World History

World history courses in middle school embrace cultural diversity and encourage students to question what makes each culture unique. Spanning from prehistory to the middle ages and renaissance to modern day, this collection is comprehensive and would be a great supplement to a textbook or a stand-alone piece.

World Religions

Most world history courses require teachers to cover the area of world religions as part of the curriculum. The five main religions, Christianity, Hinduism, Buddhism, Islam, and Judaism, are found in this collection as well as many other religions and beliefs that tie in nicely with a world history curriculum.

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We've created the chart below to make selecting student resources easier. Each curated collection brings together authoritative content developed by highly respected publishers in the industry.

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	Art/Drama	Biography	Biology/Life Sciences	Chemistry	Civics/Community	Computer Science	Cultural Studies	Earth/Environmental Science	Economics/Finance	English Language Learners	Geography	Health and Wellness	History/Social Studies	Law/Criminal Justice	Literature	Mathematics	Music	Philosophy/Religion	Physics/Astronomy	Reading/Writing	Social Issues	STEAM
#MeToo Movement										x			x								x	
Aliens																			x			
Alternative Energy																						x
Anatomy			x									x										x
Ancient Civilizations							x						x						x			
Animals, Insects, and Sea Life			x					x														
Arab Heritage	x	x					x			x	x				x				x			
Art, Dance, and Theater	x						x						x									
Asian Heritage	x	x					x			x	x				x				x			
Astronomy and Space Science																			x			x
Banned Books															x					x	x	
Bilingual Fairytales										x					x					x		
Biography		x											x							x		
Black History	x	x					x						x		x		x				x	
CA History–Social Science Alignment		x			x		x	x			x	x	x	x				x			x	x
Cameron's Collection												x										
Career: Career Titles	x	x	x	x	x	x		x	x			x		x		x	x		x			x
Career: College-Ready Practices					x	x	x		x			x			x					x	x	
Charity, Community, and Philanthropy					x																x	
Cities, Landmarks, Parks, and States					x						x		x									
Civics and Economics					x				x				x								x	
Coding						x																x
Conspiracy Theories													x								x	
Constitution Day					x								x		x					x		
Cooking							x					x										
Countries of the World							x				x		x						x			
Criminal Justice, Forensics, and Law			x										x	x							x	x
Digital Citizenship						x																x
Dinosaurs			x										x									
Diseases, Disorders, Illness, and Viruses			x	x								x									x	x
Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion	x	x			x		x						x		x		x	x			x	
Drugs and Alcohol												x		x							x	
Earth/Animal Rights and Conservation			x					x													x	

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Earth Day			x					x			x											
Engineering						x																x
English Language Arts for Students and Teachers													x		x						x	
Enhanced Collection							x	x				x	x	x								x
Family					x		x														x	x
Film and TV	x												x		x		x					x
Financial Literacy									x							x						x
FL DOE Mental Health, Substance Use, and Human Trafficking Alignment	x	x					x	x				x	x	x								x
Flowers, Plants, and Trees			x					x				x										
For Students	x														x							x
Genocide		x													x							x
Geography							x					x										
Graphic Novels and Picture Books	x				x	x	x			x			x		x				x			x
Halloween							x						x		x							x
Harlem Renaissance	x	x					x						x		x		x					x
Health and Nutrition												x										
Hispanic Heritage	x	x					x			x	x		x		x		x					
Holidays, Events, and Celebrations							x						x		x							x
Holocaust Remembrance		x					x						x		x							x
Immigration and Migration							x			x	x		x									x
Inclusivity							x															x
LGBTQIA+	x	x			x		x						x	x	x		x					x
Makerspaces	x		x	x				x											x			x
Math									x							x						x
Mental Health												x										x
Music		x					x						x				x					
Mythology							x						x		x							x
National History Day					x		x						x									x
Native American	x	x					x					x		x	x		x					x
NY Social Studies Inquiries Alignment		x			x		x	x				x	x	x	x							x
Pacific Northwest							x					x										
Physics												x										x
Poetry	x	x					x						x		x		x					x
Primary Sources							x						x		x							x

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Reading and Writing										x					x					x		
Reluctant and Struggling Readers	x	x	x	x			x		x	x		x			x	x			x			
Revolutions of the World		x					x						x									x
Riots, Protests, and Rebellions		x			x		x						x									x
Robotics						x							x									x
School Safety and Community					x							x										x
Science Fair	x		x	x				x											x			x
September 11th		x											x									x
Sexual Health			x									x										
Shakespeare	x	x											x		x					x		
Social Issues					x		x					x	x									x
Sports and Recreation		x										x										
Starter Technology						x										x						x
STEAM	x		x	x		x		x								x			x			x
Terrorism							x						x									x
Transportation													x									x
TX TEKS ELA-R Alignment	x	x			x	x	x	x		x		x	x	x	x		x			x	x	x
U.S. History	x	x					x				x		x		x		x	x				
Video Games						x										x						x
War: American Revolution		x											x									
War: Civil War		x											x									
War: Cold War and Korean War		x											x									
War: Middle East		x											x									
War: Vietnam War		x											x									
War: World War I and World War II		x											x									
Westward Expansion							x	x					x									
Women's History	x	x					x						x		x							x
World Cultures	x	x					x			x	x		x		x		x			x	x	
World History		x					x				x		x		x					x		
World Religions							x						x		x							

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