

CLASSIFIED LIST OF WORKS

“This collection of annotated titles aims at providing resources for anyone who works with inexperienced or low-literacy teenagers or adults.” —*Voice of Youth Advocates*

Includes bibliographical references and indexes.

011.62 Works for young people

Chance, Rosemary

★ *Young Adult Literature in Action: A Librarian's Guide*. Rose Brock. Libraries Unlimited, 2019. xvii, 219 pages

ISBN 9781440866937

Grades: Professional

011.62

1. Teenagers — Books and reading
2. Young adults — Books and reading
3. Young adult literature
4. Young adult literature, American
5. High school libraries
6. Professional materials — Collection development

LC 2019018612

Taking a genre approach, this overview of young adult literature shows new librarians and library science students the criteria to use for selecting quality books, including recommended titles. Provided by publisher

Includes bibliographical references (pages 185-193) and index.

016 Bibliographies and catalogs of works on specific subjects

Cart, Michael

Top 250 LGBTQ Books for Teens: Coming Out, Being Out, and the Search for Community. Michael Cart and Christine A. Jenkins. Huron Street Press, an imprint of the American Library Association, 2015. xvi, 164 p. : Illustration

ISBN 9781937589561

Grades: Professional

016

1. Homosexuality
2. Sexual orientation
3. Sexual minority youth — Books and reading
4. Teenagers — Books and reading
5. Reference books — Bibliographies and indexes
6. Social issues — Human rights — LGBTQIA

LC 2014031572

A summary of the 250 best books for LGBTQ teens, written by experts on the subject and addressed to teen book buyers. Identifying titles that address the sensitive and important topics of coming out, being out, and the search for community, this catalog spotlights the best gay, lesbian, bi, transgender, and questioning books written for teens. The authors cover fiction of all kinds, as well as graphic novels and general nonfiction aimed at readers in middle school and high school, and include recent publications as well as classics that continue to be read and enjoyed by 21st-century teens. Information on how to find library programs, services, and additional resources for LGBTQ teens is also provided, making this a one-stop sourcebook for LGBTQ teens, their families, friends, and classmates, as well as teachers and librarians.

Includes bibliographical references and index.

Crew, Hilary S.

Women Engaged in War in Literature for Youth: A Guide to Resources for Children and Young Adults. Hilary S. Crew. Scarecrow Press, 2007. xix, 303 p.

ISBN 9780810849297

Grades: Professional

016

1. Women and war
2. Women soldiers
3. Children's literature
4. Young adult literature
5. Reference books — Bibliographies and indexes
6. Reference books — History
7. History writing — Military

LC 2006101112

Looks at fiction, picture books, nonfiction, biographies, reference books, and other resources that features girls and women actively involved in all phases of war and war-time activities.

Includes bibliographical references and indexes.

Fraser, Elizabeth

Young Adult Nonfiction: A Readers' Advisory and Collection Development Guide. Elizabeth Fraser. Libraries Unlimited, 2020. 239 p.

ISBN 9781440869792

Grades: Professional

016

1. Young adult literature
2. Teenagers — Books and reading
3. Readers' advisory services
4. Libraries and teenagers
5. Professional materials — Collection development
6. Professional materials — Readers' advisory

LC 2019040778

Covering over 500 titles, both classics and newer publications, this book describes what titles are about and why teens would want to read them.

“Defining young adults as readers ages 12-18, Fraser (Calgary P.L.; Reality Rules: A Guide to Teen Nonfiction Reading Interests) has compiled a detailed, rich catalog to aid librarians doing nonfiction readers' advisory and collection development.” —*School Library Journal*

Includes bibliographical references and index.

Garcha, Rajinder

The World of Islam in Literature for Youth: A Selective Annotated Bibliography for K-12. Rajinder Garcha, Patricia Yates Russell. Scarecrow Press, 2006. xx, 221 p.

ISBN 9780810854888

Grades: Professional

016

1. Islam
2. Reference books — Bibliographies and indexes
3. Professional materials — General

LC 2005026645

An annotated bibliography listing juvenile resources about Islam, including information on the format, grade level, and specific subjects of the works.

Includes bibliographical references and indexes.

016.098 Bibliographies — Banned and challenged books

Scales, Pat R

★ *Defending Frequently Challenged Young Adult Books: A Handbook for Librarians and Educators*. Pat R. Scales. Rowman & Littlefield, 2016. xi, 231 pages

ISBN 9781442264328

Grades: Adult Professional

016.098

1. Challenged books
2. Prohibited books
3. School libraries — Censorship
4. Teenagers — Books and reading
5. Young adult literature
6. Professional materials — General
7. Reference — Bibliographies and indexes

LC 2016003280

“This is a must-have resource for teachers, librarians, parents, and anyone else concerned with the implications of censorship.” —*Voice of Youth Advocates*

Includes bibliographical references and index.

SENIOR HIGH CORE COLLECTION
Twenty-third Edition

Heinrichs, Jay

Thank You for Arguing: : What Aristotle, Lincoln, and Homer Simpson Can Teach Us About the Art of Persuasion. Jay Heinrichs. Crown Pub, 2020. 450 p.

ISBN 9780141994079

Grades: 9 10 11 12 Adult

303.3

1. Persuasion (Psychology) 2. Persuasion (Rhetoric) 3. Discussion 4. Debates and debating 5. Communication 6. Language arts — General

An introduction to the art of rhetoric explains how persuasion can profoundly influence personal and professional successes and reveals an array of techniques employed by such personalities as Aristotle and Winston Churchill.

4th edition.

303.4 Social change

Diamond, Jared M.

Guns, Germs, and Steel: The Fates of Human Societies. Jared Diamond. Norton, 2005. 518 p. : Illustration; Map

ISBN 9780393061314

Grades: 11 12 Adult

303.4

1. Social evolution 2. Civilization — History 3. Ethnology 4. Humans — Effect of environment on 5. Cultural diffusion 6. History Writing — General 7. Adult books for young adults

LC 2005284261

New York Times Notable Book, 1997

Pulitzer Prize for General Nonfiction, 1998

Royal Society General Prizes for Science Books, 1998

“This book poses a simple but profound question about the distribution of wealth and power in the modern world: Why weren’t Native Americans, Africans, and Aboriginal Australians the ones who decimated, subjugated, or exterminated Europeans and Asians?. To explore the discrepancies in technological and cultural development he looks not at peoples but at places, and at the natural resources available to different indigenous populations since 11,000 B.C. The scope and the explanatory power of this book are astounding.” —*The New Yorker*

Includes bibliographical references (p. 466-496) and index; Originally published: New York : W.W. Norton, 1997.

303.48 Causes of change

Drexler, K. Eric

Radical Abundance: How a Revolution in Nanotechnology Will Change Civilization. K. Eric Drexler. PublicAffairs, 2013. xiv, 340 p. : Illustration

ISBN 9781610391139

Grades: 11 12 Adult

303.48

1. Nanotechnology 2. Technological innovations 3. Technology and civilization 4. Technological forecasting 5. Social prediction 6. Science Writing — Computing, the Internet, and Technology

LC 2012049031

The founding father of nanotechnology predicts the coming changes to the economy and the environment as more manufacturing is done with extreme precision on the atomic level at a significantly lower cost.

Includes bibliographical references and index.

Henderson, Harry

The Digital Age. Harry Henderson. ReferencePoint Press, 2013. 96 p. : Illustration; Color; Map (Understanding world history)

ISBN 9781601524829

Grades: 9 10 11 12

303.48

1. Information technology — History 2. Information society 3. Computers 4. Science — Technology — Computers

LC 2012026168

Examines the events that fueled the digital age, discussing the issues of access, privacy, and security.

Includes bibliographical references (p. 88) and index.

Mooney, Carla

Globalization: Why We Care About Faraway Events. Carla Mooney; illustrated by Sam Carbaugh. Nomad Press, 2018. VII, 120 pages : Color; Illustration; Map (Inquire & Investigate)

ISBN 9781619306646

Grades: 6 7 8 9 10

303.48

1. Globalization 2. International relations 3. International communication 4. Diplomacy 5. Social issues — Global issues 6. Government and politics — General

is your salad drizzled with olive oil imported from Italy? What country made the car that your parents drive? Globalization connects us today more than ever before, and in ways we never expected, and populations around the world are questioning whether this is a purely beneficial circumstance or if we should take steps to scale back our interrelatedness. *Globalization: Why We Care About Faraway Events* delves into the nature and history of interconnected relationships between the governments, businesses, media, and industries all around the world and asks pressing questions about the future.

“A comprehensive social studies selection for middle and high school.” —*School Library Journal*

Includes bibliographical references (pages 116-117) and index.

Schatz, Kate

Rad American History A-Z: Movements & Moments That Demonstrate the Power of the People. Written by Kate Schatz; illustrated by Miriam Klein Stahl. Ten Speed Press, 2020. 176 p.

ISBN 9781984856838

Grades: 6 7 8 9

303.48

1. Radicalism — History 2. Radicals — History 3. Protest movements — History 4. United States 5. History books — United States

LC 2019047798

Accompanied by dynamic paper-cut art, this illustrated collection, written in an A-to-Z format, tells the story of a significant moment in America’s progressive history, exploring several centuries of politics, art, activism and liberation.

“In addition to centering little-known incidents, the focus is on grassroots organizations and underrepresented individuals who pushed for change and responded to injustice. When familiar narratives are included, it is with an original perspective.” —*Kirkus*

Includes bibliographical references and index.

303.6 Conflict and conflict resolution

Mara, Wil

Civil Unrest in the 1960s: Riots and Their Aftermath. Wil Mara. Marshall Cavendish Benchmark, 2010. 127 p. : Illustration

ISBN 9780761440253

Grades: 8 9 10 11 12

303.6

SENIOR HIGH CORE COLLECTION
Twenty-third Edition

Booklist Editors' Choice: Books for Youth, 2011
Carter G. Woodson Book Awards: Secondary Level, 2012
Notable Books for a Global Society, 2012
Robert F. Sibert Honor Book, 2012

Examines a significant confrontation between Reverend Fred Shuttlesworth and Commissioner Bull Connor in Birmingham, Alabama, during the Civil Rights Movement that brought about violence and change to this southern city.

"Reverend Fred L. Shuttlesworth led the civil rights struggle for equality in Birmingham, Alabama.... Eugene Bull Connor, backed by the Ku Klux Klan, became a symbol of racist hatred and violence against Shuttlesworth. With a spacious design that includes archival pictures and primary-source documents on almost every page, this accessible photo-essay recounts the events in three sections, which focus first on the preacher, then on the commissioner, and finally, on their confrontation.... Never simplistic in his depictions, Brimmer shows the viewpoints from all sides.... A penetrating look at elemental national history."—*Booklist*

Includes bibliographical references (p. 105-107) and index.

Twelve Days in May: Freedom Ride 1961. Larry Dane Brimmer. Calkins Creek Books, 2017. 112 p.

ISBN 9781629795867

Grades: 5 6 7 8 9 10

323.1196

1. Freedom Riders (Civil rights movement) 2. Civil Rights Movement 3. Civil rights demonstrations 4. African Americans — Civil rights 5. Freedom Rides (Civil rights movement) 6. Southern States 7. History books — African Americans — Civil Rights Movement

ALA Notable Children's Books, 2018

Booklist Editors' Choice: Books for Youth, 2017

Carter G. Woodson Book Awards: Secondary Level, 2018

Robert F. Sibert Informational Book Medal, 2018

For twelve history-making days in May 1961, thirteen black and white civil rights activists, also known as the "Freedom Riders," traveled by bus into the South to draw attention to the unconstitutional segregation still taking place. Despite their peaceful protests, the Freedom Riders were met with increasing violence the further south they traveled.

"While the introductory and concluding sections offer helpful summaries of four major Supreme Court rulings on segregation from 1896 to 1960 and short biographies of the 13 Freedom Riders, the heart of the book is its straightforward, concise, day-by-day reporting of the journey. A memorable presentation of inherently dramatic and historically significant events."—*Booklist*

Chambers, Veronica

Call and Response: The Story of Black Lives Matter. by Veronica Chambers with Jennifer Harlan. Houghton Mifflin Harcourt 2021. 96 p.

ISBN 9780358573418

Grades: 7 8 9 10 11 12

323.1196

1. Garza, Alicia 2. Black lives matter movement 3. Civil rights 4. Protest movements 5. Racism 6. Institutional racism 7. Social issues — Human rights — Race and ethnicity 8. Culture and customs — African Americans

NCTE Orbis Pictus Honor Book, 2022

This timely book covers the rise of Black Lives Matter and how it has been shaped by U.S. history, telling the story of how a hashtag became a movement.

"To call this a history of Black Lives Matter isn't enough, as Chambers captures the context of current events; situates this movement within the larger story of slavery in the U.S. and the civil rights movement of the 1950s and '60s; collects wise words from activists to inspire the next generation to join the fight with whatever talents they have; and scatters images of protesters young and old, from the past to the present."—*Booklist*

Freedman, Russell

★ *Because They Marched: The People's Campaign for Voting Rights That Changed America.* Russell Freedman. Holiday House, 2014. 83 p. : Illustration

ISBN 9780823429219

Grades: 6 7 8 9 10

323.1196

1. Civil Rights Movement 2. African Americans — Civil rights 3. African Americans — Suffrage 4. Selma, Alabama 5. Narrative nonfiction for kids and teens 6. History books — Twentieth century — 1960s — United States

LC 2013038991

ALA Notable Children's Book, 2015

Booklist Editors' Choice: Books for Youth, 2014

Presents an account of the 1965 civil rights march from Selma to Montgomery, Alabama, an event that sparked the signing of the Voting Rights Act.

Includes bibliographical references (pages 76-79) and index.

Goldstone, Lawrence

★ *Separate No More: The Long Road to Brown V. Board of Education.* Lawrence Goldstone. Scholastic, 2021. 304 p.

ISBN 9781338592832

Grades: 7 8 9 10 11 12

323.1196

1. Brown, Oliver 2. Segregation in education 3. African Americans — Civil rights 4. Racism 5. Civil Rights Movement 6. Discrimination in education — Law and legislation 7. United States 8. History books — African Americans — Civil Rights Movement 9. Government and politics — Supreme Court and the judicial branch — Landmark cases — United States 10. Social issues — Education 11. Social issues — Human rights — Race and ethnicity

Since 1896, in the landmark outcome of *Plessy v. Ferguson*, the doctrine of "Separate but equal" had been considered acceptable under the United States Constitution. African American and white populations were thus segregated, attending different schools, living in different neighborhoods, and even drinking from different water fountains. However, as African Americans found themselves lacking opportunity and living under the constant menace of mob violence, it was becoming increasingly apparent that segregation was not only unjust, but dangerous. In this thrilling examination of the path to *Brown v. Board of Education*, Constitutional law scholar Lawrence Goldstone highlights the key trials and players in the fight for integration. Written with a deft hand, this story of social justice will remind readers, young and old, of the momentousness of the segregation hearings.

"Crucial historical information wrapped in well-written, inviting prose."—*Kirkus*

Kimmel, Allison Crotzer

The Montgomery Bus Boycott: A Primary Source Exploration of the Protest for Equal Treatment. Allison Crotzer Kimmel. Capstone Press, 2015. 32 p.

ISBN 9781491420430

Grades: 6 7 8 9 10

323.1196

1. Parks, Rosa 2. Montgomery Bus Boycott 3. Race relations 4. African Americans 5. Civil Rights Movement 6. Civil rights 7. Montgomery, Alabama 8. 1950s 9. History books — African Americans — Civil Rights Movement 10. History books — Twentieth century — 1950s — United States

LC 2014019815

The Montgomery Bus Boycott began when Rosa Parks was arrested for refusing to give up her seat on the bus. The campaign that followed was one of the most important protests against racial segregation in the United States. The boycotters endured violence and vicious words. But

SENIOR HIGH CORE COLLECTION
Twenty-third Edition

“A unique addition to special and robust folktale and fairy-tale and/Or art collections.” —*School Library Journal*

Text abridged and adapted from translations of Grimms’ fairy tales, (c)Jack Zipes; Includes bibliographical references and annotated index.

736 Carving and carvings

Kenney, Karen Latchana

Folding Tech: Using Origami and Nature to Revolutionize Technology. Karen Latchana Kenney. Lerner Pub Group 2021. 104 pages : Illustration; Color

ISBN 9781541533042

Grades: 8 9 10 11

736

1. Origami 2. Handicraft 3. Technology 4. Machinery — Design 5. Paper work 6. Art and music — Arts and crafts — Paper crafts 7. Science — Technology

LC 2019009069

This book discusses the history and current state of high-tech folding in the world of manufacturing and how it is informed by folding in the natural world. Readers meet the leading scientists and artists in the field, learn about the manufacturing applications of folding in aerospace and other fields, and where folding technology is going in the future.

“Effectively showcases the contemporary brilliance that can come from ancient principles.” —*Kirkus*

Includes bibliographical references (pages 95-98) and index.

740 Graphic arts

Kidd, Chip

Go: a Kidd’s Guide to Graphic Design. Chip Kidd. Workman Publishing, 2013. 150 p.

ISBN 9780761172192

Grades: 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 Adult

740

1. Graphic design 2. Book covers 3. Graphic arts — Technique 4. Design 5. Art and music — Visual arts 6. Books for reluctant readers ALA Notable Children’s Book, 2014

Booklist Editors’ Choice: Books for Youth, 2013

School Library Journal Best Books, 2013

YALSA Quick Picks for Reluctant Young Adult Readers, 2015

YALSA Award for Excellence in Nonfiction finalist, 2014

Provides an introduction to the ways in which designers communicate their ideas, whether through images, text, or placement.

“Apart from geeking out about design elements, however, Kidd’s primary goal is to encourage aspiring designers to pay attention to graphics they see every day in their favorite book covers, ads, and posters and to use this newfound knowledge to create their own designs. Captivating, eye-opening, and just plain cool.” —*Booklist*

741.2 Techniques, procedures, apparatus, equipment, materials

Micklewright, Keith

Drawing: Mastering the Language of Visual Expression. Keith Micklewright. Harry N. Abrams, 2005. 168 p. : Illustration; Color

ISBN 9780810992382

Grades: 11 12 Adult

741.2

1. Communication in art 2. Drawing — Technique 3. Arts and Entertainment — Painting, Drawing, and Sculpture

LC 2005005862

Gives a history of drawing and includes chapters on such subjects as proportion, light, dimension, visual relationships, materials, and movement, and discusses how drawing is like language because it brings thoughts to life.

Includes bibliographical references (p. 164) and index.

741.5 Cartoons, graphic novels, caricatures, comics

Abadzis, Nick

Laika. by Nick Abadzis; color by Hilary Sycamore. First Second, 2007. 208 p.

ISBN 9781596431010

Grades: 7 8 9 10 11 12

741.5

1. Dogs 2. Space programs 3. Space flight 4. Animal space flight 5. Scientists 6. Soviet Union 7. Space 8. 1950s 9. Comics and Graphic novels

LC 2006051907

YALSA Great Graphic Novels for Teens, 2008

“Abadzis’s tear-inducing and solidly researched graphic novel treatment of Laika’s surpassingly tragic story is a standout.” —*Publishers Weekly*

Abe, Frank

We Hereby Refuse: Japanese American Resistance to Wartime Incarceration. Written by Frank Abe, Tamiko Nimura; artwork by Ross Ishikawa, Matt Sasaki. Wing Luke Museum : 2021. 151 pages : Illustration; Color

ISBN 9781634059763

Grades: Adult

741.5

1. Japanese American families 2. Japanese Americans — Social conditions 3. Resistance (Psychology) 4. Japanese Americans — Forced removal and incarceration, 1942-1945 5. Concentration camps 6. United States 7. 1940s 8. Comics and graphic novels 9. Collective biographies 10. Life stories — Facing adversity — War and oppression 11. Life stories — Identity — Race and ethnicity 12. History Writing — United States 13. History writing — Wars and conflicts — Homefront — World War II

LC Oc2021002159

Three Japanese American individuals with different beliefs and backgrounds decided to resist imprisonment by the United States government during World War II in different ways. Jim Akutsu, considered by some to be the inspiration for John Okada’s No-No Boy, resisted the draft and argued that he had no obligation to serve the US military because he was classified as an enemy alien. Hiroshi Kashiwagi renounced his United States citizenship and refused to fill out the “Loyalty questionnaire” required by the US government. He and his family were segregated by the government and ostracized by the Japanese American community for being “Disloyal.” and Mitsuye Endo became a reluctant but willing plaintiff in a Supreme Court case that was eventually decided in her favor.

“Journalist/Activist Abe and historian/Writer Nimura deftly upend the compelling narrative with impeccably documented stories of resistance and rebellion.” —*Booklist*

Chiefly illustrations.

SENIOR HIGH CORE COLLECTION
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An overview of the history of the Israel-Palestine conflict and interviews with Palestinian children living under occupation, presented as an educational resource for children ages 9 and up.

"A poignant, powerful, and insightful collection of voices seldom heard."—*Kirkus*

Includes bibliographical references.

959.604 Cambodia — 1949-

Ung, Loung

First They Killed My Father: A Daughter of Cambodia Remembers.

Loung Ung. Harper Perennial, 2006. 238 p. : Illustration; Map
ISBN 9780060856267

Grades: 11 12 Adult **959.604**

1. Ung, Loung 2. Refugees, Cambodian 3. Women refugees 4. Refugees 5. Genocide 6. Atrocities 7. Cambodia 8. 1970s 9. Autobiographies and memoirs 10. History writing — Wars and conflicts — Civil Wars 11. Life stories — Facing adversity — War and oppression — War survivors 12. Adult books for young adults 13. History writing — Asia — Southeast Asia

LC BI2006011138

Booklist Editors' Choice, 2000

School Library Journal Best Books: Best Adult Books 4 Teens, 2000

YALSA Best Books for Young Adults, 2001

Chronicles the brutality of the Khmer Rouge in Cambodia, from the author's forced "Evacuation" of Phnom Penh in 1975 to her family's subsequent movements from town to town and eventual separation.

Sequel: *Lucky child*; Originally published: New York :

HarperCollinsPublishers, 2000.

959.704 Vietnam — 1945-

Freedman, Russell

★ *Vietnam: a History of a War.* Russell Freedman. Holiday House, 2019. 128 p.

ISBN 9780823442744

Grades: 6 7 8 9 **959.704**

1. Vietnam War, 1961-1975 2. World politics 3. Asia 4. History books — Wars — Vietnam War 5. History books — Asia and the South Pacific — Vietnam

LC 2016001051

Notable Books for a Global Society, 2017

School Library Journal Best Books, 2016

Booklist Editors' Choice: Books for Youth, 2016

A succinct account of how Cold War politics led to one of America's most puzzling and contentious wars describes how the war began, why it was so difficult to end and how its tragic legacy endures today.

"Solid history that doesn't shy away from difficult truths and important moral and political lessons."—*Kirkus*

Includes bibliographical references; Originally published: New York : Holiday House, 2016.

Isserman, Maurice

Vietnam War. Maurice Isserman; John S. Bowman, general editor. Chelsea House, 2011. xiii, 210 p. : Color illustration; Color; Map

ISBN 9780816081875

Grades: 9 10 11 12 **959.704**

1. Vietnam War, 1961-1975 2. United States 3. History books — Wars — Vietnam War

LC 2009039184

Presents a chronicle of the Vietnam War, discussing the historical background, causes, military strategies, significant battles, peace negotiations, and final withdrawal by the United States.

A fourth edition, published in 2016, is available only as an ebook; Includes bibliographical references (p. 192-195) and index.

Karnow, Stanley

★ *Vietnam, a History.* Stanley Karnow. Penguin Books, 1997. xv, 768

p. : Illustration; Map

ISBN 9780140265477

Grades: 11 12 Adult

959.704

1. Vietnam War, 1961-1975 2. Vietnam War, 1961-1975 3. United States 4. Vietnam 5. History writing — Wars and conflicts — Vietnam War

LC 97197160

A study of American involvement in Vietnam, from French domination to the final withdrawal of American forces, discusses the historical background, politics, military campaigns, participants, and consequences of American involvement

"A summation of over two centuries of conflict in Indochina. Chronicling a tragic history, Karnow presents a balanced and sympathetic view of Vietnamese aspirations and the mishaps that led to American involvement in a war nobody won."—*Voice of Youth Advocates. [review of 1983 edition]*

Includes bibliographical references (p. 721-741) and index; Originally published: New York : Viking, 1983.

Palmer, Laura

Shrapnel in the Heart: Letters and Remembrances from the Vietnam Veterans Memorial. Laura Palmer. Random House, 1987. xx, 243 p. : Portrait

ISBN 9780394560274

Grades: 9 10 11 12

959.704

1. Vietnam War, 1961-1975 2. Vietnam Veterans Memorial, Washington, D.C. 3. Washington, D.C. 4. Letters 5. History writing — Wars and conflicts — Vietnam War

LC 87042652

"A collection of letters and poems that have been left at the Vietnam Veterans Memorial, with background information on the deceased and the bereaved writers."—*Booklist*

Partridge, Elizabeth

Boots on the Ground: America's War in Vietnam. Elizabeth Partridge. Viking Books for Young Readers, 2018. 224 p.

ISBN 9780670785063

Grades: 7 8 9 10 11 12

959.704

1. Vietnam War, 1961-1975 — Causes 2. War 3. Soldiers 4. Refugees 5. Veterans 6. Vietnam 7. 1960s 8. 1970s 9. History books — Wars — Vietnam War 10. Narrative nonfiction for kids and teens
ALA Notable Children's Book, 2019

Golden Kite Award for Nonfiction, 2019

Booklist Editors' Choice: Books for Youth, 2018

YALSA Award for Excellence in Nonfiction finalist, 2019

America's war in Vietnam. In over a decade of bitter fighting, it claimed the lives of more than 58,000 American soldiers and beleaguered four US presidents. More than forty years after America left Vietnam in defeat in 1975, the war remains controversial and divisive both in the United States and abroad.