

Kids Read Training Outline

- I. Reading and Literacy Knowledge
 - A. 5 components of literacy
 - B. 3 types of readers
 - C. Kids Read Principles
 - D. Reasons for Reading
 - 1. Reading for Education: Text Complexity
Brief explainer of leveled systems (to be aware, not to use specifically, because they will be asked about it by parents)
 - 2. Reading for Fun and Pleasure: Free choice
 - 3. Reading for Growth: Power Books
- II. Book and Author Knowledge
 - A. Reader Profile Definitions
 - B. Timeless books (ALSC awards, etc)
 - C. Cultivate your suggestions with blogs, podcasts, and more
 - 1. Reading Widely and Diversely
 - 2. Up and coming authors
- III. Readers' Advisory Tools
 - A. Novelist
 - 1. Readalike lists
 - 2. Appeal terms
 - B. Bibliocommons
 - 1. Lists
 - a) Look
 - b) Create
 - 2. Records
 - C. Goodreads
 - D. Reviews
 - 1. School Library Journal
 - 2. Children's Book Review
 - 3. Kirkus
 - E. Blogs
- IV. Bonus Module possibilities for the future
 - A. English Language Learner-focused
 - B. Bilingual recommendations

Structure of modules/training:

Content to read plus an activity. For example, create three lists on Bibliocommons: one readalike, one genre, one topic