Elementary Level Recommended Reading List

The Winter of Red Snow: The Revolutionary War Diary of Abigail Jane Stewart, Valley Forge, Pennsylvania, 1777

By Kristiana Gregory

(Interest Level: Grades 3-7, Reading Level Equivalent 2.8)

George Washington's Teeth

By Deborah Chandra and Madeleine Comora

(Interest Level: Grades K-2, Reading Level: Grade Level Equivalent 3.3)

Now & Ben: The Modern Inventions of Benjamin Franklin

By Gene Barretta

(Interest Level: Grades 3-5, Grade Level Equivalent 4.2)

So You Want to Be President?

By Judith St. George, illustrated by David Small

(Interest Level: Grades 3-5, Reading Level: Grade Level Equivalent: 4.2)

Can't You Make Them Behave, King George?

By Jean Fritz, illustrated by Tomie dePaola

(Interest Level: Grades 3-5, Reading Level: Grade Level Equivalent 4.6)

You Wouldn't Want to Be an American Colonist!: A Settlement You'd Rather Not Start

By Jacqueline Morley, illustrated by David Antram

(Interest Level: Grades 3-5, Reading Level: Grade Level Equivalent: 4.8)

The Lost Colony of Roanoke

By Jean Fritz and Thomas Preston, illustrated by Hudson Talbott

(Interest Level: Grades 3-5, Reading Level: Grade Level Equivalent 5.2)

Why Not, Lafayette?

By Jean Fritz

(Interest Level: Grades 3-5, Reading Level: Grade Level Equivalent 5.3)

You Wouldn't Want to Be at the Boston Tea Party!: Wharf Water Tea You'd Rather Not Drink

By Peter Cook, illustrated by David Antram

(Interest Level: Grades 3-5, Reading Level: Grade Level Equivalent: 6.8)

One Vote, Two Votes, I Vote, You Vote

By Bonnie Worth, illustrated by Aristides Ruiz and Joe Mathieu

(Interest Level: Grades K-3, Age 5-8)

This Country of Ours: The Story of the United States

By Henrietta E. Marshall