



# CSD 6-12

# ELA Adoption

## Creswell Middle & Creswell High

Spring 2022

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# Creswell School District 6-12 Adoption Committees

## CMS Members:

- Patrick Hartsfield- 8th grade Language Arts Teacher
- Kathi Holst- CMS Special Education Teacher
- Laura Taylor- 7th grade Language Arts Teacher
- Julie Johansen- CMS Principal

## CHS Members:

- Jared Wolfson- CHS Special Education Teacher
- Deborah Handman- CHS ELA Teacher
- Jenny Collins- CHS Principal

# Programs Available for Middle/High School Adoption

## **Publishers that CMS committee reviewed:**

- Amplify Education
- Carnegie Learning, Inc (EMC)
- Edgenuity/LearnZillion
- Great Minds PBC
- Houghton Mifflin Harcourt Into Literature
- Inquiry by Design
- McGraw-Hill Study Sync
- OpenUp Resources
- Savvas Learning Company



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AC 2: Questions, Tasks, and Assignments

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AC 4: Access to Standards for All Students

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AC 5: Cultural Representation

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AC 6: Accessibility / Usability

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ODE Scoring

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Meets all criteria

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Partially meets the criteria

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**(confirming)**

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## HMH Into Literature (Grades 9-12)

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AC 4: Access to Standards for All Students

**3**

[Into Literature \(2020\)](#) **not available for 2022 publication**

AC 5: Cultural Representation

**3**

ODE Scoring

**3**

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AC 6: Accessibility / Usability

**3**

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# CSD Vision and Mission

## **CSD Vision Statement:**

*CSD provides multiple K-12 pathways that give each student the opportunity to reach their full potential through a collaborative approach to teaching and learning that is shaped by student voice, extends beyond the classroom, and draws the world into school.*

**Rigor:** *CSD will provide a rigorous and broad educational experience for academic, career, citizenship, and life at every grade level that meets the educational needs of all students.*

**Relevance:** *CSD students and educators will collaborate in relevant, challenging, and personalized learning.*

**Relationships:** *CSD will nurture relationships to develop the intellectual, physical, and social-emotional learning of the whole child.*

# Houghton Mifflin Harcourt

Formative assessments include:

- Guided reading questions

- Five minute assessment practice at the end of each core reading

- Analyzing the text student guide at end of each reading selection

- Quick check notes in the teacher's edition

Summative assessments include:

- Selection tests

- Unit tests

- Unit planning guide with customizable assessments

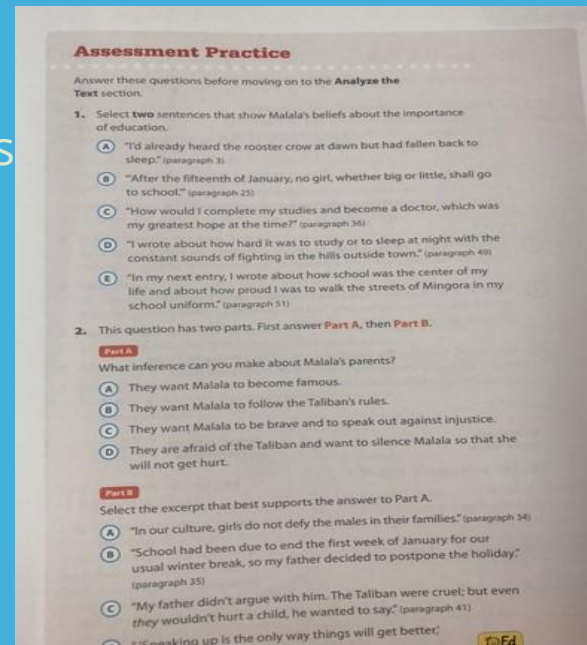
Assessments show skills and standards that the students are working on.



# Houghton Mifflin Harcourt

Inside each student edition:

- Built in assessments modeled after state assessments and SATs
- Technology enhanced items
- Two part questions with selection and unit tests
- Performance based assessment
- Assessment reports and standards reports



# CHS Priorities for LA Curriculum Adoption

Theme 1: Engagement

Theme 2: Culturally Responsive

Theme 3: Accessibility, Scaffolding and Support

Theme 4: Vocabulary and Background Knowledge

Theme 5: Opportunities for Text Interpretation, Analysis & Discussion

Theme 6: Writing

Theme 7: Student Voice/Relevant Student Representation

Theme 8: Assessment

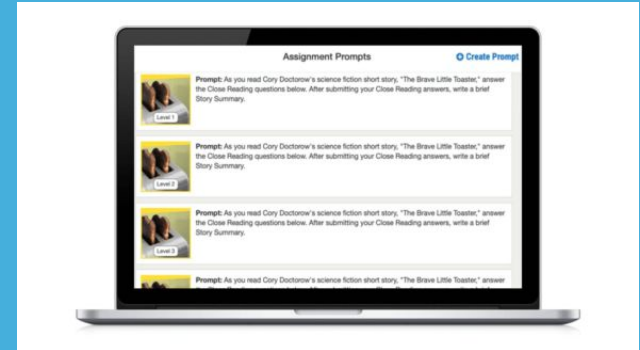
\*\*Themes are in no particular order of importance



# Houghton Mifflin Harcourt

## Theme 1: Engagement

- Systematic and explicit instruction
- Motivate to be independent learners.
- Tap into background knowledge
- Develop Academic resilience
- Encourages completion
- provides opportunities to apply content to the student's experience



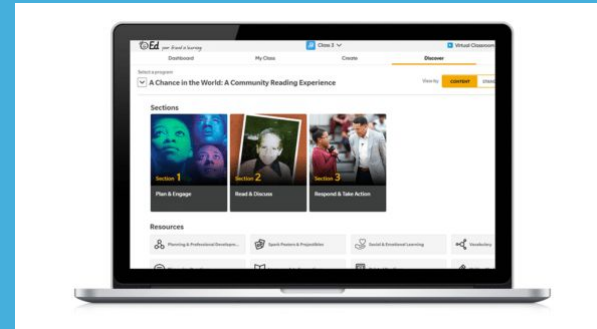
CHS Staff- " Excellent layout and easy to use structure for teachers and students. Engaging texts with good blend between historical and more experiential readings."



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## Theme 2: Culturally Responsive

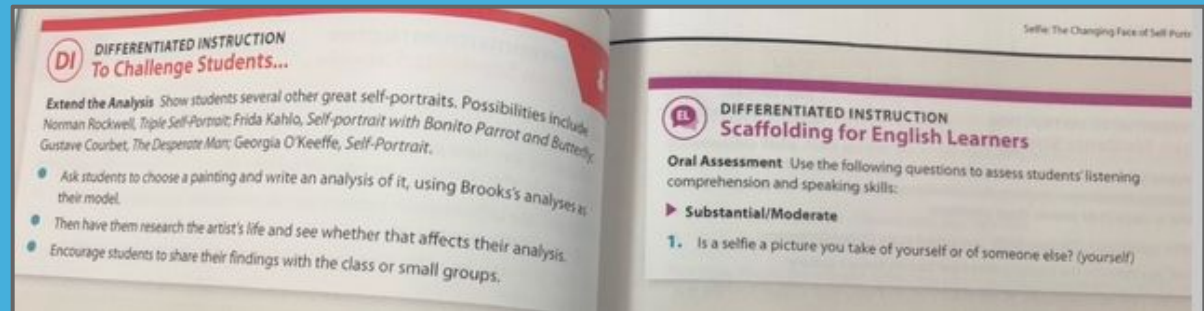
- Texts from a wide range of cultural perspectives, worldviews, and viewpoints.
- Texts that challenge the reader and promote critical thinking.
- Access to and introduces literature from a wide variety of voices/genres.



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## THEME 3: Accessibility, Scaffolding and Support

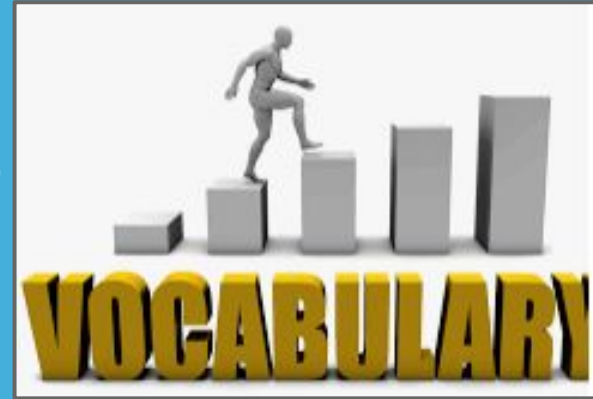
- Curriculum is easy to navigate: chapters, lessons and supports with in the lesson are clearly lined out.
- Each chapter, unit and lesson provides scaffolding and support for students below/above grade level (differentiation).
- Embedded supports for both students and teachers.



# Houghton Mifflin Harcourt

## THEME 4: Vocabulary and Background Knowledge

- Vocabulary explicitly taught within the unit/lesson
- Vocabulary referenced to the greater text, stories, novels, etc.
- Vocabulary used throughout assignments.
- Definitions and strategy clues embedded within the text.
- Identification of root words, prefix, suffix, part of speech is a part of the lesson.



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## THEME 5: Opportunities for Text Interpretation, Analysis and Discussion

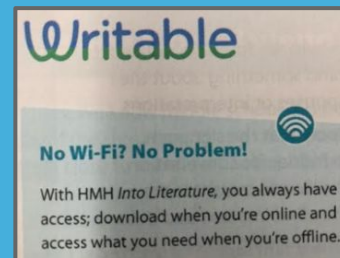
- Discussion Questions: Rich, Nuanced, Deep and Interesting
- Literary experiences relevant to student lives.
- Text provides leveled questions that provide opportunities for students to enhance understanding, interpretive skills, and literary analysis.
- Text introduces students to literary terms and identifies and explains those in the text.



# Houghton Mifflin Harcourt

## THEME 6: Writing

- Writing instruction is embedded and purposeful.
- Developmentally appropriate grammar lessons.
- Sentence structure including verb tense instruction for English Language Learners.
- Includes language structure: Syntax semantics, grammar, sentence types
- Writing assignments connects to the reading.
- Clear instruction.






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## THEME 7: Student Voice/Relevant Student Representation

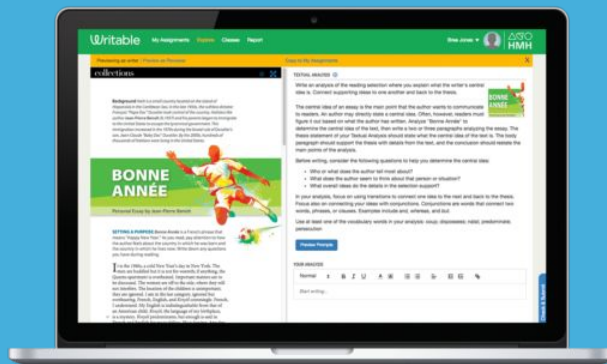
- The photos are recent and the quotes and graphics relevant and up to date.
- Content is interesting, includes background information, relatable topics, and literary experiences relevant to student lives.
- Activities are engaging with clear directions and discussions prompts.

**PERFORMANCE TASK**



**Writing Activity: Argument** Using what you have learned about how to develop an argument, write and support a claim about a positive aspect of your school or community.

1. Think about something you feel is an important, positive feature of your school or community. Write a claim about it.
2. Make notes about the reasons that support your claim. Then collect evidence that supports your reasons. Consider an opposing claim and list valid counterarguments.
3. Write the draft of your argument. Work carefully to present your reasons and evidence in a logical order.
4. Revise your draft to eliminate unrelated or illogical evidence. Finally, check your work to make sure you have used the conventions of standard English.



## THEME 7: Assessment

- [illegible]



# HMH Components Overview



## HMHCO Into Literature Resource Overview

# CSD 6-12 LA Curriculum Recommendation

Based on the ODE Rubric, District goals, and the CMS/CHS Priorities Rubric, our committees' recommendation is to adopt the **Houghton Mifflin Harcourt** Language Arts curriculum at CMS and CHS for 6th-12th grades.

