

Level 8

Fiction Unit

Stop the Sun – Gary Paulson [American literature]

A Mother in Mannville – Marjorie Kinnan Rawlings [American literature]

The Ransom of Red Chief – O. Henry [American literature]

Checkouts – Cynthia Ryland [American literature]

Raymond's Run – Toni Cade Bambara [American literature]

The Treasure of Lemon Brown – Walter Dean Myers [American literature]

* **SUMMATIVE ASSESSMENT** – *The Dinner Party* – Mona Gardner

[Because of the nature of the Nonfiction Works we choose, the Nonfiction works are not classified as British, American, or World Literature]

Nonfiction Unit

Louisa's Civil War – Harriet Reisen

Roughing It: Chapter XLII – Mark Twain

Ten Top Touring Areas – Edited by Aaron Teasdale

Virginia Hamilton – (Scholastic Interview Transcript)

The Jews Are to Blame – Joseph Goebbels

* **SUMMATIVE ASSESSMENT** – *The Great Rat Hunt* – Lawrence Yep

Novel Unit

Night – Elie Wiesel (INCLUDED) [World literature]

Figurative Language/Poetry Unit

“Mother to Son” – Langston Hughes, “Mother ‘O Mine” – Rudyard Kipling [American/British literature]

“I Am in Need of Music” – Elizabeth Bishop, “Stopping by the Woods on a Snowy Evening” – Robert Frost [both American literature]

“Sarah Cynthia Sylvia Stout Would Not Take the Garbage Out” – Shel Silverstein [American literature]

“I’m Nobody Who Are You?” – Emily Dickinson, “Sonnet 18” – Shakespeare [American/British literature]

“Lady of Shalott” – Alfred, Lord Tennyson [British literature]

***SUMMATIVE ASSESSMENT** – “Barter” – Sarah Teasdale

Note: Poems that are public domain are printed within the summative assessment.