

Fifth Grade Literature List

Farming:

Unit Literature:

- ❖ *Farmer Boy*, by Laura Ingalls Wilder
- ❖ *The Magic School Bus Plants Seeds, A Book About How Living Things Grow*, by Patricia Relf

Additional Literature:

- ❖ *Louis Pasteur, Enemy of Disease*, by Carol Greene
- ❖ *From Seed to Plant*, by Gail Gibbons

Poetry:

Unit Literature:

- ❖ *Pizza, Pigs, and Poetry*, by Jack Prelutsky
- ❖ *Scranimals*, by Jack Prelutsky
- ❖ *The Last Fifth Grade of Emerson Elementary*, by Laura Shovan
- ❖ *Moo*, by Sharon Creech
- ❖ *Walt Whitman*, by Jonathan Levin
- ❖ *Twosomes*, by Marilyn Singer
- ❖ *Mirror Mirror: A Book of Reversible Verse*, by Marilyn Singer
- ❖ *The Book of Nonsense*, by Edward Lear
- ❖ *The Butter Battle Book*, by Dr. Seuss
- ❖ *The Foot Book*, by Dr. Seuss

Additional Literature:

- ❖ *Explosion at the Poem Factory*, by Kyle Lukoff and Mark Hoffmann
- ❖ *The Trouble with Poetry*, by Billy Collins
- ❖ *Forgive Me, I Meant to Do It*, by Gail Carson Levine
- ❖ *Mirror Mirror*, by Marilyn Singer
- ❖ *Off by Heart*, by Roger Stevens
- ❖ *The Random House Book of Poetry for Children*, Selected by Jack Prelutsky

Body Systems:

Unit Literature:

- ❖ *Your Respiratory System Works!* by Flora Brett
- ❖ *Sir Cumference and the First Round Table*, by Cindy Neuschwander and Wayne Geehan
- ❖ *Professor IQ Explores the Brain*, by Seymour Simon

Additional Literature:

- ❖ *Seeing Inside the Body*, by Andrew Solway
- ❖ *The Magic School Bus Has a Heart*, by Anne Capeci
- ❖ *Organ Transplants*, by Carol Ballard
- ❖ *Organ Transplants*, by Deanne Durrett
- ❖ *The Way We Work, Getting to Know the Amazing Human Body*, by David Macaulay (Note: The book includes a chapter on the reproductive system.)