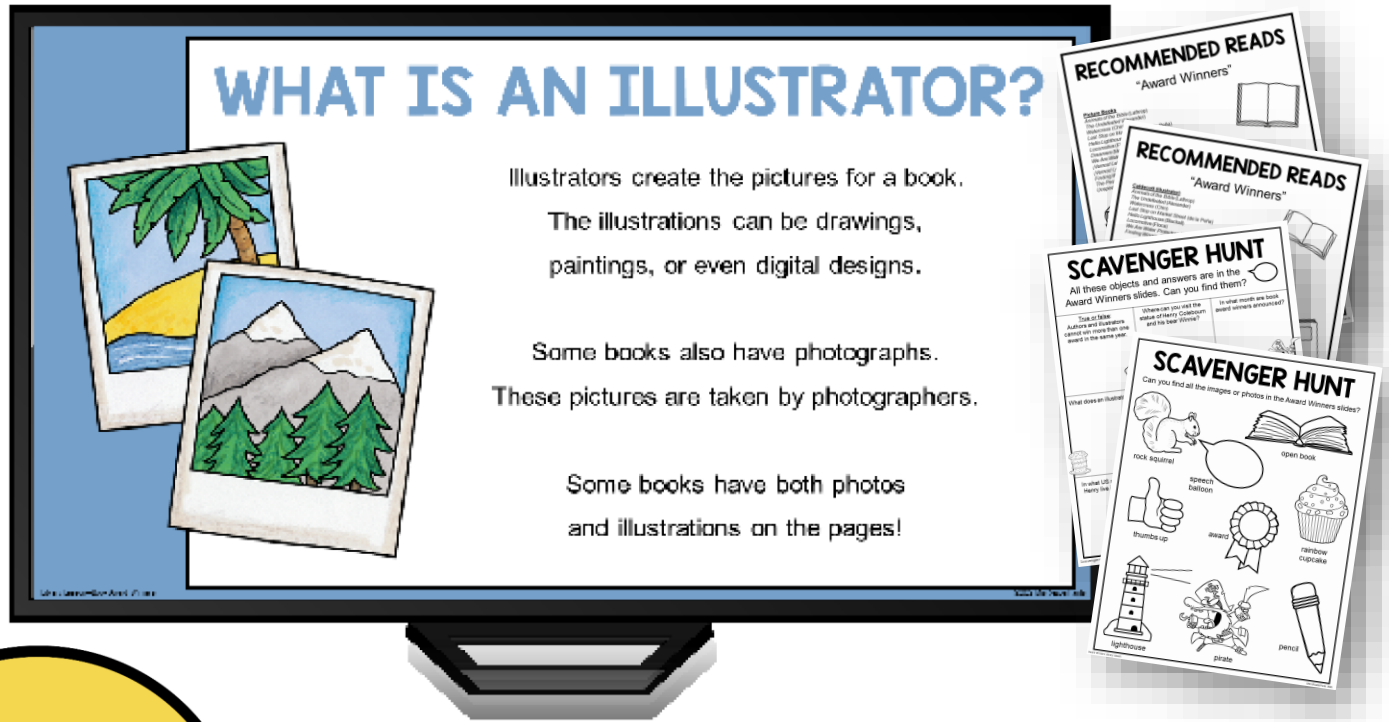


INCLUDES GOOGLE SLIDES

BOOK AWARDS LIBRARY LESSON



WHAT IS AN ILLUSTRATOR?

Illustrators create the pictures for a book.
The illustrations can be drawings, paintings, or even digital designs.

Some books also have photographs.
These pictures are taken by photographers.

Some books have both photos and illustrations on the pages!

RECOMMENDED READS
"Award Winners"

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SCAVENGER HUNT
All these objects and answers are in the Award Winners slides. Can you find them?

SCAVENGER HUNT
Can you find all the images or photos in the Award Winners slides?

rock squirrel, open book, thumbs up, award, cupcake, lighthouse, pirate, pencil

GRADES
K-5

Updated for 2024!



SPECIALS LIBRARIAN?

GUESSING GAMES



Throughout the year, book lovers try to guess which books will be chosen.



The winners are always

WHAT IS AN AUTHOR?

Authors write a book's words.

Many books have only one author.

Some books have two or more authors.

How long do you think it takes to write a book?



Teaching the same lesson, the same way, 20 times each week? There is a variety of content here, so you don't need to use every slide with every grade level. No more teaching the exact same lesson all week!

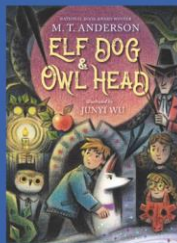
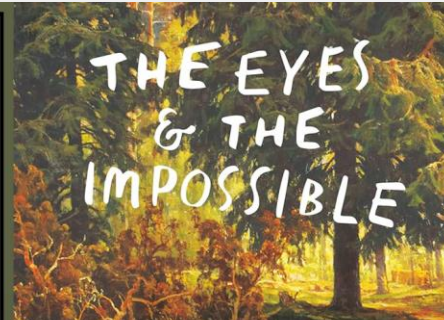
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WHAT'S IT ABOUT?

Johannes, a free dog, lives in an urban park by the sea. His job is to be the Eyes—to see everything that happens within the park and report back to the park's elders, three ancient Bison.

His friends—a seagull, a raccoon, a squirrel, and a pelican—work with him as the Assistant Eyes, observing the humans and other animals who share the park. Equilibrium is in balance.

But changes are afoot. More humans, Travelers, arrive in the park.



2024 NEWBERY HONORS

New award winners are announced at the end of January every year. This library lesson will be updated to include the new winners within the first week of the award announcements.

DON'T HAVE POWERPOINT?

THE SHELF MARKER SONG

(to the tune of "The Hokey-Pokey")

You put your shelf marker in
You take a book out
If you'd like to keep the book
Then you go and check it out

If you do
Put it back
Then take



What kinds
of things do
people win
awards for?

This presentation is also editable in Google Slides!

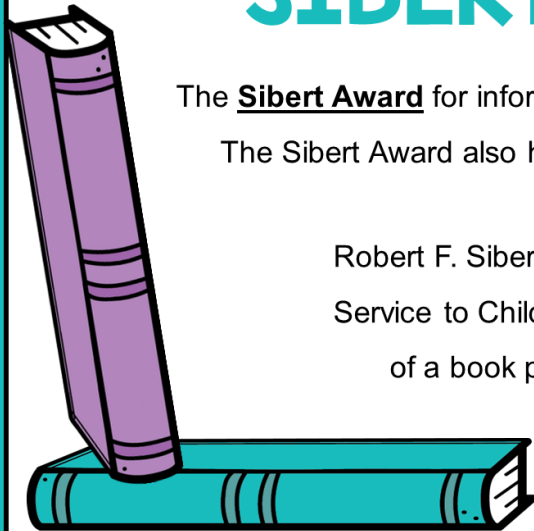
TWO-PART LESSON



Designed specifically for librarians on the Specials rotation! Each part can easily be edited to shorten the lesson if needed.

PART I – WHOLE CLASS LESSON

SIBERT AWARD



The Sibert Award for informational books was first awarded in 2001.

The Sibert Award also has one winner and a few honor books.

Robert F. Sibert established the Association for Library Service to Children (ALSC). He was also the president of a book publishing company for many years.

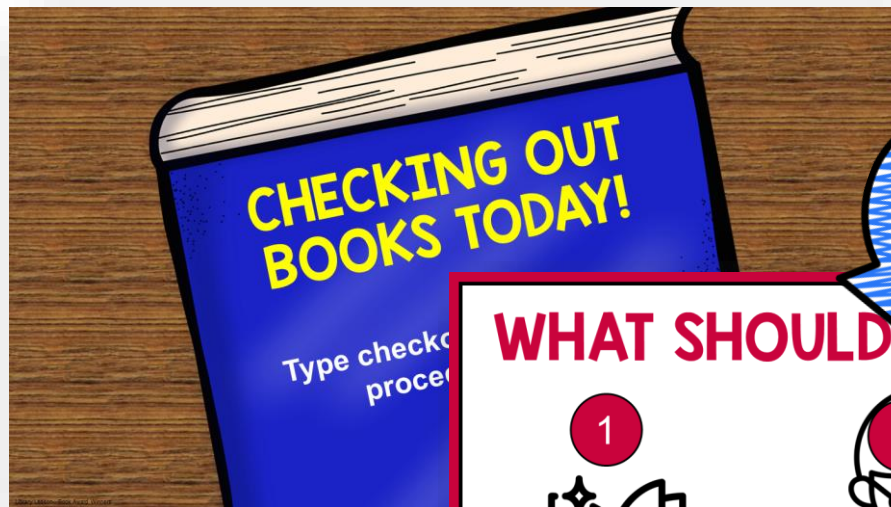
Whole-class discussion slides include a Shelf Marker song, sign language, a discussion about what book awards are, and five popular children's book awards.

PART II - SCROLLING SLIDES






After the lesson, play the “scrolling” slides on a screen in the library. Students will use these slides to complete the two scavenger hunt activities.

GUIDES YOUR LIBRARY TIME



This slide is fully-editable, including the artwork.

WHAT SHOULD WE DO NOW?

- 
Find a book you like.
- 
Bring your book to the circulation desk.
- 
Color at the tables.

The presentation guides library time from start to finish! Includes reminder slides, a slide for your read-aloud title and cover, and a “What Should We Do Now?” slide.

FUN FACTS & TRIVIA

AN AMERICAN LEGEND



John Henry is on the cover of *Tristan Strong Punches a Hole in the Sky*.

John Henry was an American legend.

He worked on the railroad in West Virginia in the late-1800s.

(see the cover in two slides)

Loads of fun facts, trivia, would-you-rathers, did you knows, vocabulary, and more! All relate to books that have won the book awards featured in the presentation.

ALL TEXT IS EDITABLE

THIS OR THAT?

Which do you prefer?



a book about a real person

OR



a book about a real place

**Editable (all text
and headers)**

**Not editable
(images)**

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PRE-FILLED LESSON PLAN TEMPLATE

LESSON PLAN

DATES
TYPE LESSON DATE HERE

GRADES
TYPE GRADE LEVEL(S) HERE

SUPPLIES AND RESOURCES NEEDED

- Computer, projector or TV screen
- Speakers
- Books for read-aloud
- Copies of Scavenger Hunt (only for grades 4-5)
- Copies of Recommended Reading List
- Crayons, colored pencils, and markers

AASL STANDARDS FRAMEWORK

AASL V.C.1
Expressing curiosity about a topic of personal interest or curricular relevance

AASL V.A.1
Reading widely and deeply in multiple formats and write and create

COMMON CORE STANDARDS

CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RL.K.5
Recognize common types of texts (e.g., storybooks, poems)

CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RI.K.6
Name the author and illustrator of a text and define the role of each

CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RL.5.10
By the end of the year, read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas, and novels, at the end of the grades 4-5 text complexity band independently

TEKS

§1102. ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS AND READING

(7) Multiple genres: listening, speaking, reading, writing, and thinking. The student recognizes and analyzes literary elements and diverse literary texts.

THE STUDENTS WILL...

- Learn ASL for "award"
- Discuss several book awards for youth, how often they are selected, when they are announced, and who decides which books get awards
- Differentiate between author and illustrator
- Differentiate between award books and honor books

READ-ALoud(S)
TYPE READ-ALoud TITLES HERE

CONCEPTS

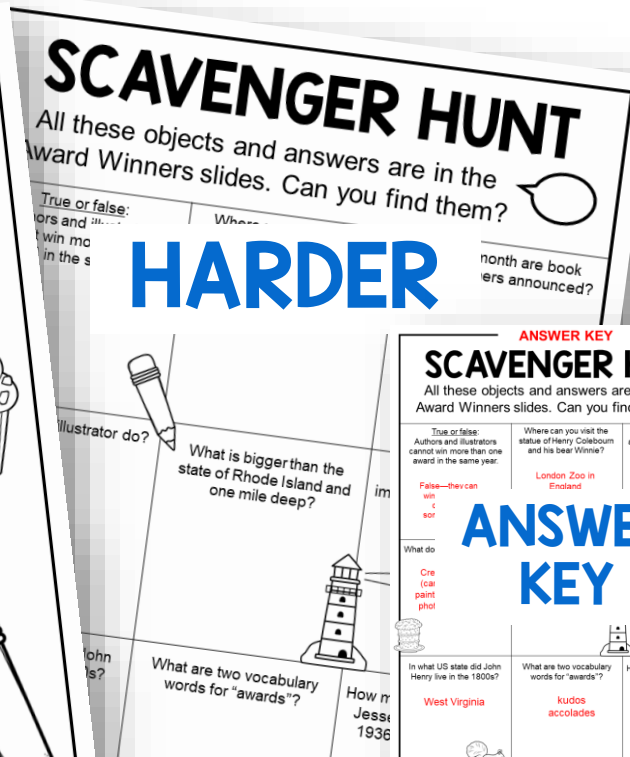
- Multiple book awards awarded by the ALA:
 - Caldecott
 - Newbery
 - Pura Belpré
 - Coretta Scott King
 - Sibert
- Some books win multiple awards
- ALA book awards are announced in January every year
- ASLC book awards are only given for books published in the previous year.
- Award books get a gold seal
- Honor books get a silver seal
- Who are John Newbery, Randolph Caldecott, Coretta Scott King, Robert Sibert, and Pura Belpré? Why do they have awards named for them?
- Word of the Week: kudos

LIBRARY SKILLS

- Authors write the books
- Illustrators draw the pictures
- Photographers take photos
- How to tell if a book has won an award (look for the gold or silver seal on the cover)

Includes a pre-filled, editable lesson plan template for this library lesson. AASL, TEKS, and CC standards are all included on the lesson plan.

PART II- SCAVENGER HUNTS



Keep students engaged during checkout! All images and answers to the questions appear in Part II of the presentation. Two differentiated versions!

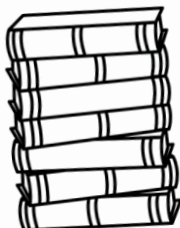
RECOMMENDED READS

"Award Winners"

PICTURE BOOKS

Animals of the Bible (Lathrop)
Hot Dog (Salati)
Big (Harrison)
In Every Life (Frazee)
Jovita Wore Pants (Salazar)
There Was a Party for Langston (Reynolds)
The Truth About Dragons (Leung)
An American Story (Alexander)
Standing in the Need of Prayer (Weatherford)
The Undeclared (Alexander)
How Do You Spell Unfair? (Weatherford)
Last Stop on Market Street (de la Peña)
Hello Lighthouse (Blackall)

GRAPH
Mexikid
El Deafo



FICTION

Freewater (Luqman-Dawson)
The Eyes & the Impossibility
Eagle Drums (Hopson)
Elf Dog & Owl Head (Anderson)
Simon Sort of Says (Bow)
The Many Assassinations of Samir, the Seller of Dreams (Nayeri)
Freewater (Luqman-Dawson)
Last Stop on Market Street (de la Peña)
The Undeclared (Alexander)
El Deafo (Bell)

NONFICTION & BIOGRAPHY

Mexikid (Martin)
The Mona Lisa Vanishes (Day)
Holding Her Own (Todd)
Jumper (Lanan)
There Was a Party for Langston (Reynolds)
Chinese Menu (Lin)

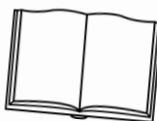
RECOMMENDED READS

"Award Winners"



CALDECOTT (ILLUSTRATOR)

Animals of the Bible (Lathrop)
Hot Dog (Salati)
Big (Harrison)
In Every Life (Frazee)
Jovita Wore Pants (Salazar)
There Was a Party for Langston (Reynolds)
The Truth About Dragons (Leung)
The Undeclared (Alexander)
Last Stop on Market Street (de la Peña)
Hello Lighthouse (Blackall)



NEWBERY (AUTHOR)

The Eyes & the Impossibility (Eggers)
Eagle Drums (Hopson)
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CORETTA SCOTT KING (AFRICAN AMERICAN AUTHORS / ILLUSTRATORS)

Big (Harrison)
There Was a Party for Langston (Reynolds)
How Do You Spell Unfair? (Weatherford)
Kin: Rooted in Hope (Weatherford)
Holding Her Own (Todd)
Standing in the Need of Prayer (Weatherford)
Freewater (Luqman-Dawson)
The Undeclared (Alexander)
Tristan Strong Punches a Hole in the Sky (Mbalia)



PURA BELPRE (HISPANIC AMERICAN AUTHORS / ILLUSTRATORS)

Mexikid (Martin)
Alebríjes (Higuera)

Includes two separate pages (editable) that list all the books mentioned in the presentation.

Print and give out to students, parents, and teachers.

WHAT PEOPLE ARE SAYING ABOUT THIS LIBRARY LESSON...



I only used the Caldecott pieces so far, but will definitely use the rest in the future. I am able to adapt the slides to fit every grade level--making planning quick and easy. Students found the lesson engaging and have been pointing out medals ever since. Thanks!

WHAT PEOPLE ARE SAYING ABOUT THIS LIBRARY LESSON...



Learning about Literary Awards is
part of my library skills curriculum.
My students were very engaged with
this activity! Thank you!

WHAT PEOPLE ARE SAYING ABOUT THIS LIBRARY LESSON...



The students love these resources including the scavenger hunts. They are well prepared and easy to use!

MORE LIBRARY LESSONS

INCLUDES GOOGLE™ SLIDES

LET'S TRAVEL TO TEXAS!


TEXAS STATE BIRD

The Texas state bird is the northern mockingbird.

Mockingbirds can imitate the sounds of other birds, plus machinery, music, frogs, and toads!



GRADES 2-5 Library lesson + activity



INCLUDES GOOGLE SLIDES

VALENTINE'S DAY LIBRARY LESSON




TRUE OR FALSE?

The heart of a human baby is the size of a human adult's heart.

(answer)

"Hearts"

GRADES K-6



PLAY IN GOOGLE™ SLIDES

INTERACTIVE VIRTUAL FIELD TRIP

LAKES FULL OF LAVA

There are over 1500 volcanoes on Earth.

Of the 1500, only seven volcanoes are known to have lava lakes.



BACK NEXT

GRADES 3-5 "Antarctica"




INCLUDES GOOGLE™ SLIDES

LIBRARY LESSON

TRIVIA QUESTION

In the Northern Hemisphere, the first official day of winter is in what month?

- a. October
- b. November
- c. December
- d. January



GRADES 2-4 "Winter Weather"

