Citizenship: A Sample Listing of Recommended Readings

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CORE TEXTBOOKS

Becoming a U.S. Citizen: A Guide to the Law, Exam & Interview by Ilona Brey (Nolo Press)

*Citizenship Passing the Test by Lynne Weintraub

U.S. Citizenship Test by Gladys E. Alesi (Barron's Educational Series)

The Way to U.S. Citizenship by Margaret & Patricia Hirshy

SUPPLEMENTAL READING

Government

A More Perfect Union: The Story of Our Constitution by Betsy Maestro

Shh! We're Writing the Constitution by Jean Fritz

Titles by Syl Sobel: The Bill of Rights; The Declaration of Independence...; How the U.S. Government Works; Our Pledge of Allegiance; Presidential Elections and Other Cool Facts; The U.S. Constitution.

Titles from the If You series: If You Were There When They Signed the Constitution; If You Lived When Women Won Their Rights.

Titles from the We the People series: We the People: The Story of Our Constitution; We the People: The Constitution of the United States of America.

History

Titles from the If You Series: If You Were a Pioneer on the Prairie; If You Lived When There Was Slavery in America; If You Traveled on the Underground Railroad; If You Lived at the Time of Martin Luther King; If You Lived in Colonial Times; If You Grew Up with Abraham Lincoln; If You Sailed On the Mayflower in 1620; If You Lived at the Time of the Civil War; If You Lived at the Time of the American Revolution.

Titles by the Maestros: The Discovery of the Americas; Exploration and Conquest: The Americas After Columbus 1500-1620; A New Nation: The United States 1783-1815; The New Americans: Colonial Times 1620-1689; Struggle for a Continent: The French and Indian Wars 1689-1763; Liberty or Death: The American Revolution 1763-1783.

*The Star-Spangled Banner by Peter Spier

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*We the People by Peter Spier

*Titles from the Terry Barber Series: Martin Luther King Jr.; Rosa Parks; Harriet Tubman

GRAPHICS

Government

The Creation of the U.S. Constitution by Michael Burgan (Capstone Pr.)

Capitalism: A Graphic Guide by Dan Cryan

The United States Constitution by Jonathan Hennessey

History

The Ellis Island Experience by Ginjer Clarke

Gettysburg: The Graphic Novel by C.M. Butzer

American History Ink series: Immigrants at Ellis Island; The Transcontinental Railroad.

Capstone Press series: The Assassination of Abraham Lincoln; Benjamin Franklin: An American Genius; The Boston Massacre; The Boston Tea Party; The Building of the Transcontinental Railroad; Harriet Tubman and the Underground Railroad; Rosa Parks and the Montgomery Bus Boycott; Thomas Edison and the Lightbulb; The Story of Jamestown; The Voyage of the Mayflower; George Washington: Leading a New Nation; Martin Luther King Jr.: Great Civil Rights Leader; Paul Revere's Ride; Winter at Valley Forge.