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## THE CHILDREN'S LITERATURE COMPREHENSIVE DATABASE (CLCD)

### MEETING YOUR NEEDS

**With reliable, accurate, current information in a cost-effective package**

#### **FOR TEACHERS:**

"As an assistant professor teaching Children's Literature and working with Education majors, I have found the CLCD to be invaluable. My students find reviews, sources, and other pertinent information. Recently, one of our English majors who is getting ready to student teach had found the names of books her cooperating teacher would be using in the spring. We used the CLCD to find out about the books and to give her a heads up on using them in her teaching practice." Judy Bivens, Instructional Resources Center, Waggoner Library and CIT, Trevecca Nazarene University, Nashville, TN

"In our district, teachers are often looking for multiple similar titles to use with small reading groups in the class. CLCD is a great tool to help you find multiple titles with a similar theme on the same or slightly varied reading levels. Christine Findlay, CRC Director, Centerville City Schools, Centerville, OH

#### **FOR CURRICULUM-RELATED BOOKS:**

"Classroom teachers benefit from our database subscription, since it helps me compile topical lists for classroom/curriculum use, for committee work such as using picture books in teaching writing, and for workshops for teachers and librarians." Peg Glisson, School Library Media Specialist, Pittsford, NY

#### **FOR COLLECTION DEVELOPMENT:**

"I love having CLCD just a click away when I'm working on collection development or helping education majors find literature connections for their lessons. It is a real treasure chest of children's literature titles, authors, and reviews." Karen J. Wanamaker, Curriculum Materials Librarian, Kutztown University of Pennsylvania, Kutztown, PA

#### **FOR MULTIPLE VIEWPOINTS**

"I also appreciated that many of the books featured reviews from multiple sources. Having access to more than one review gave me a broader understanding of each book's content and quality...The database allowed me to do my work thoroughly and efficiently. I can't imagine a better way to search for engaging books for the kids we serve." Juliana Pearson, Literacy Intern, The Reading Connection, Arlington, VA

#### **FOR BEST BOOKS, STATE READING LISTS AND AWARD WINNERS:**

"In this era of limited budgets and limited time with students, but a plethora of books, it is really important to hone in on the very best and to know which will appeal and also be ones that children can relate to and understand." Dr. Susan Hepler, Alexandria, VA. Coauthor of *Books Your Kids Will Talk About*.

#### **FOR PREPARATION OF UNIT AND THEMATIC LISTS:**

"By using CLCD, I just prepared a list of fantasy books with some connection to cats for a ten-year-old-girl reading just above grade level. Including the searching, selection, looking at some suggested links, copying and pasting into a Word document, arranging the titles, cleaning up the fonts, and individualizing the annotations for the student, it took about twenty-five minutes!" Barbara Ripp Safford, "Don't Judge a Database by Its Search Screen," *School Library Media Activities Monthly*, Vol. XXII, Number 2, October 2005.

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