New Books in Mellon Library in March

Fiction

FIC BRO


FIC BUC


FIC COL

Collins, Suzanne. *Catching fire*. London : Scholastic, 2009. After winning the brutal Hunger Games, Katniss Everdeen returns to her district hoping for a peaceful future. But Katniss starts to hear rumours of a deadly rebellion against the Capitol - a rebellion that she and Peeta have helped to create.

FIC CRI


FIC DOS


FIC FLY

FIC GOD

At the dawn of the twentieth century, several families in New York remain stunned by the antics of mischievous socialites, including Henry, Penelope, and Lina.

FIC GOD

In 1899 Manhattan, the drowning of beautiful Elizabeth Holland, daughter of New York society's ruling family, brings to the surface the scandalous behavior of several teenagers of varying social class.

FIC GOD

After the death of Elizabeth Holland, all of New York speculates about her unfortunate demise and wonder what role her mischievous sister, Diana, and notorious cad Henry Schoonmaker played in the events leading up to her death.

FIC GOD

In 1900 New York City, fashionable debutante Diana Holland and married soldier Henry Schoonmaker flaunt the rules of society to be with one another.

FIC GRA

The clock is ticking for Sam Temple and the kids of Perdido Beach. However it's not the big one-five they face now, but starvation. Sam must lead the kids in the face of dwindling rations, in-fighting, his rival Caine and a dangerous mutant beast living down an abandoned mine-shaft.

FIC LOR

On New Year's Eve, Callum Ormond is chased by a crazed man shouting a deadly warning, 'they killed your father. They'll kill you. You must survive the next year!' In the middle of nowhere, terrified and alone, Cal is on the run. Somehow he must make sense of his father's mysterious drawings and solve a family secret from the past.

FIC MCK

14-years-ago, four babies were implanted with the Medusa gene - a gene for psychic
abilities. Now teenagers, Nico, Ketty, Ed and Dylan have been brought together by government agents to create a secret crime-fighting force - The Medusa Project.

FIC MCK

McKenzie, Sophie. The set-up. London : Simon & Schuster, 2009. 14 years ago, scientist William Fox implanted four babies with the Medusa gene - a gene for psychic abilities. But Fox died and the babies were hidden away for years. Now the children are teenagers - and unaware that their psychic powers are about to kick in.

FIC MEY


FIC MYR

Myracle, Lauren, 1969-. L8r, g8r. New York : Amulet Books, 2007. Throughout their senior year in high school, Zoe, Maddie, and Angela continue to share "instant messages" with one another about their day-to-day experiences as they consider college, sex, the importance of prom, and the inevitable end of their inseparable trio.

FIC REE

Rees, Celia. The fool's girl. 1st U.S. ed. New York : Bloomsbury, 2010. Violetta and Feste have come to London to rescue a holy relic taken from a church in Illyria by the evil Malvolio, and once there, they tell the story of their adventures to playwright William Shakespeare, who turns it into a play.

FIC SPA

Spark, Muriel. The comforters. [New] ed. /. London : Virago, 2009. Caroline Rose has a very unusual problem. She knows that she is a character in a novel. She is plagued by the tapping of typewriter keys and a strange detached narration of her thoughts and actions.

FIC SPI

**FIC WIN**

11-year-old Isabelle hasn't spoken in nine months, and as December begins the situation is getting desperate. As her parents spiral around Isabelle's impenetrable silence, she herself emerges, in a fascinating portrait of an exceptional child, as a bright young girl in need of help yet too terrified to ask for it.

**FIC ZUS**

Trying to make sense of the horrors of World War II, Death relates the story of Liesel--a young German girl whose book-stealing and story-telling talents help sustain her family and the Jewish man they are hiding, as well as their neighbors.

**Middle School Fiction**

**M FIC AVI**

Orphan Peter York, taken in by the taciturn Quaker Mr. Shinn in 1768, is confused by the mixed signals he receives from his guardian and decides he must take matters into his own hands when the community is roused to search for two young indentured servants who have escaped.

**M FIC HAN**

In Wisconsin, fourth-grader Ida B spends happy hours being home-schooled and playing in her family's apple orchard, until her mother begins treatment for breast cancer and her parents must sell part of the orchard and send her to public school.

**M FIC LAW**

Recounts the adventures of Mibs Beaumont, whose thirteenth birthday has revealed her "savvy"--a magical power unique to each member of her family--just as her father is injured in a terrible accident.

**M FIC MAR**

M FIC MUC

Muchamore, Robert. The recruit. London : Hodder Children's Books, 2005. James becomes a part of the highly secretive organization, CHERUB, a group of teens whose mission is to spy on terrorists and international drug dealers, hack into computers, and download crucial information for the government.

M FIC SAG

Sage, Angie. Queste. 1st ed. New York : Katherine Tegen Books, c2008. Septimus must elude the plans of Merrin Meredith and Tertius Fume in order to find the House of Foryx, a place where all Time meets, and secure the release of Nicko and Snorri.

000—Computers/Reference

001.4 PUL

Pulver, Beth A. Organizing and using information. Chicago : Heinemann Library, c2009. Getting organized -- Taking notes -- Applying information -- Communicating information -- Recognizing and avoiding plagiarism -- A rough draft. Provides an introduction to research and report writing, focusing on organizing and using information and discussing taking notes, applying and communicating information, recognizing and avoiding plagiarism, and composing a rough draft.

001.42 PUL

Pulver, Beth A. Evaluating information. Chicago : Heinemann Library, c2009. Discusses how to determine the value, validity, accuracy, relevance, and completeness of various sources of information, and covers how to avoid plagiarism and misleading information, find new sources, evaluate websites, and more.

100—Philosophy/Psychology

155.935 RIP

Denial -- Deliberation -- The decisive moment. Draws on the work of brain scientists, trauma psychologists, and disaster experts to explore the human response to disaster, revealing how a person's attitude, beliefs, gender, upbringing, and personality influences whether or not they will survive a disaster.

174.957 BOW


Understanding genetic research and engineering -- What is genetic research? -- How do we evaluate the threat? -- Genetic research for the individual and society -- Genetic research, crime, and the law -- Genetic research and health -- Genetic research and nonhuman life. Promotes critical and creative thinking skills through a discussion on genetic research that includes various perspectives on relevant issues, and describes the possible benefits of genetic engineering for individuals, the law, and nonhuman health.

200—Religion

270.6 PRO


Collects thirty primary source documents from the Protestant Reformation by Martin Luther, John Calvin, Argula von Grumbach, the Anabaptists, leaders in the English Reformation, Sebastian Castellio, and others.

300—Social Sciences

305.42 SPI


Researching women's history -- How has the role of women changed? -- Making a start -- Examining your sources -- Using your research. A guide to researching the changing role of women since 1900, offering advice on how to get started, how to evaluate sources, and how to use research.

306.3 SPI
Researching the past -- What is slavery and the slave trade? -- Getting started -- Digging deeper -- Using your research. Provides facts about slavery and the slave trade and includes detailed information on how to effectively research the topic.

306.874 GIN

Offers parents of teens practical advice on how they can cope with the challenges they face as their teens grow up, with advice on how to stop rebellious, destructive behavior before it starts and build a strong parent-child relationship.

323. MEA

Meany, John. *Has the civil rights movement been successful?* Chicago : Heinemann Library, c2009.
The history of the civil rights movement -- Critical thinking and debating skills -- The civil rights movement and legal reform -- The civil rights movement and popular culture -- Stereotyping and private discrimination -- Case study : Hurricane Katrina -- Will national security needs slow civil rights reforms? -- Debating civil rights -- Find out more -- Glossary. Promotes critical and creative thinking skills through a discussion on the civil rights movement with various perspectives, and describes legal reform, popular culture, stereotyping, discrimination, Hurricane Katrina, and more.

330.9 MOR


331.3 MAS

What is that terrible smell? -- a brief history of London's poo -- stinky city -- the worst job in the world -- pits of poo -- disease in Victorian London -- the amazing flushing toilet -- the stink strikes! -- the spread of disease -- solving the stink -- Bazalgette to the rescue -- hurrah for Bazalgette! -- the Thames today.

332.024 HAL

Part of a series on personal finance, this book covers aspects of economics that children experience themselves, or will recognise but not fully understand.

332.0973 SOR
Soros, George. The crash of 2008 and what it means: the new paradigm for financial markets. New York: PublicAffairs, [2009], c2008. Examines the lasting impact the financial crisis of 2008 had on the global economy and discusses why the crash was so severe and what might have prevented it.

332.6327 BEA


333.73 ROZ


333.91 GAN

Ganeri, Anita, 1961-. Down the drain: conserving water. Chicago: Heinemann Library, c2005. Presents a short study on water conservation, and describes where the water comes from, what happens to waste water, and how people can save water at home and at school.

333.91 LEV

Levete, Sarah. Water for everyone. Chicago: Heinemann Library, c2009. Describes issues concerning water that people from around the world face, such as shortages, droughts, and water-borne diseases, and offers suggestions on how readers can get involved in helping address them.

333.91 SPI


362.5 CHA

Chambers, Catherine, 1954-. Tackling poverty. Chicago: Heinemann Library, c2009. Poverty scars the planet -- Poor in the country, poor in the city -- Education paves the
way to progress -- Child labor leads to a poor future -- Good health, greater wealth -- Poorest hit hardest by global warming -- Power failure hits the poor -- Bumpy road to poverty -- Debt and cash flow stop development -- Prejudice fuels poverty -- War brings greater poverty -- Going global - good or bad? -- Get involved!. Provides information about poverty, looking at the facts behind the headlines about child labor, poor health, and rising debt, and suggesting ways to break the poverty chain.

363.7 ROY

Royston, Angela., Climate change. Chicago : Heinemann Library, c2009. Climate: expect the unexpected -- It's official, it's our fault -- cyclone kills thousands -- flooding devastates New Orleans -- dying of thirst -- ice caps are melting fast -- islands disappear beneath the waves -- dangerous journey -- animals doomed to extinction -- running out of time -- pay now or later -- government must act -- get involved!. Provides information about climate change, examines some of the major weather issues that people are facing around the world. Explains the science behind the headlines - everything from glaciation to the methane trap. This book also suggests some of the ways in which people can slow down the effects of global warming and start to tackle climate change.

363.7 STE


363.7 TRA


363.737 CHA

Chambers, Catherine, 1954-. Stopping pollution. Chicago : Heinemann Library, c2009. Describes ways in which humans produce pollution, examines how pollution effects the earth, and offers suggestions on how readers can get involved in pollution prevention.

378.1 STE
Includes bibliographical references (p. 289-292). The author provides an account of his experiences, beginning in the fall of 1999, observing the process by which applicants are selected to attend Wesleyan University, one of America's top schools. Adult Follett Library Resources.

378.161 POP

Shows how to find the colleges that produce achievers-- and how to avoid the pitfalls of the college selection process.

378.198 JON

Presents a series of strategies for helping teens through the college application process and minimizing the stress normally associated with it.

391.4 REY

This book presents a historical look at hats and hairstyles, from Egyptian wigs to today's designer hats.

391.4 REY

This book looks in detail at shoes, from the prehistoric footbag to the specialized sports shoes of today, and discusses their meaning throughout the ages.

391.4 REY

From skins to spandex -- Wrapping -- The tunic -- The tailored dress -- The waist -- The working wardrobe -- Straight & narrow -- Popular pleats -- A glimpse of flesh -- World fashions -- Children's dresses -- Men in skirts -- Fashionable technology. A look at changing trends of fashion throughout history, with an emphasis on dresses and skirts.

391.42 REY

391.44 REY


391.63 REY


400—Language

500—Science/mathematics

551.1 TRU

Trumbauer, Lisa, 1963-. *To the core*-- Chicago: Raintree, c2007. Describes an imaginary journey to the center of the Earth, looking at each layer along the way, and explains how scientists have learned about the planet's interior.

552 CRY

Cryute, Clay. *Tales of a prehistoric sponge*. Chicago: Raintree, c2006. In the beginning -- Dead and buried -- Getting pushed around -- Big changes -- Water power -- Carved into a statue -- Back in the water. Presents an introduction to the rock cycle, in simple text with illustration, describing the process of weathering and erosion, providing information on earth's layers, and its different kind of rock, including sedimentary, metamorphic, and igneous.

600—Technology

613 FUL

613.25 MCK

McKeith, Gillian Dr. You are what you eat : the plan that will change your life. London : Michael Joseph, c2004.

613.71 SOL

Solway, Andrew. Sports science. Chicago : Heinemann Library, c2009. What is sports science? -- Movers and shakers -- Getting energy -- Support systems -- Responses to exercise -- Food for sport -- Biomechanics -- Training for sport -- All in the mind. Photographs and illustrations teach readers the importance of sports and exercise science, how the body responds to exercise, and examples of training programs.

617.95 SOL

Solway, Andrew. Repairing and replacing organs. Chicago : Heinemann Library, c2009. An illustrated exploration of scientific advances in transplantation and regeneration of organs, tissues, and other body parts that discusses how the body is organized, potential problems with transplants, stem cells, and other related topics.

621.48 TOW


641.35 SPI

Spilsbury, Louise. Vegetables. London : Heinemann Library, 2009. The 'Eat Smart' series looks at the core topic of food and nutrition, exploring how different foods affect our bodies and teaching how to plan a healthy, balanced diet.

658.1552 WIL

Wileman, Andrew. Driving down cost : how to manage and cut costs-intelligently. London ; : Nicholas Brealey Pub., 2008. Good cost management -- Cost leadership -- Techniques and tactics -- People -- Suppliers -- Cost cutting case study -- Wired and global -- Lateral thinking -- Cost management as strategy -- Cost in the public sector -- Conclusion : the cost manager as hero. Explains how managers at all levels can implement effective cost management
programs and strategies, with tips on choosing the best cost cutting measures, analyzing costs, and helping employees adapt to cost reduction methods.

660.65 SOL

Solway, Andrew. Using genetic technology. Chicago : Heinemann Library, c2009. Always in the news -- Genes and characteristics -- DNA and proteins -- Engineering techniques -- Genetic technology in medicine -- GM foods -- Cloning research -- Genetics in the future -- Facts and figures -- Find out more. An illustrated exploration of scientific advances in genetic technology that covers genes and characteristics, DNA, proteins, engineering techniques, applications in the field of medicine, genetically modified foods, cloning research, the future of the industry, and more.

700—Arts and recreation

701.15 GOM


709 GOM


709.04012 WOO

Wood, Ghislaine. Essential art deco. London : V&A, 2003. This is an introduction to art deco, with a visual overview of the key aspects of this colourful and popular style.

720.47 JOD

Jodidio, Philip. Green architecture now! = Grüne Architektur heute! Hong Kong ; : Taschen, c2009. Buildings are among the heaviest consumers of natural resources and account for a significant portion of the greenhouse gas emissions that affect climate change. This book explains the principles of green architecture, showing how the world's leading exponents are tackling this pressing issue.

720.9 FRA

Fraser, Stuart. Castles and cathedrals. London : Hodder & Stoughton, c.1992. Looks at the most vivid and tangible remains of medieval civilization and describes the the society and individuals who created and used these buildings. Reveals how political,
military, economic and strategic factors determined the siting and building of medieval castles and cathedrals.

720.94 ONE


724.7 PHA

The Phaidon atlas of 21st century world architecture. London : Phaidon, 2008. This atlas contains over 1000 of the most outstanding works of architecture built since 2000. It features the work of internationally acclaimed architects alongside that of the next generation of emerging architectural stars and those currently unknown outside their own countries.

730 FUS


745.67 LON


752 WIL

Wilcox, Michael. Blue and yellow don't make green. Rev. ed. Cincinati, OH : School of Colour Publishing, 2008. Offers a reassessment of the principles underlying color mixing, moving away from the traditional theory of primary colors, and presents a new system based upon the color bias wheel that uses six color types to replace the traditional red, yellow, and blue.

759.4 ESS


796.48 BIN
Bingham, Jane. *Welcome to the ancient Olympics!* Chicago : Raintree, c2008. An introduction to the ancient Greek Olympics that covers athletes, Olympia, events, ceremonies and feast, prizes and rewards, the modern Olympic Games, and the marathon. Includes a time line, a glossary, and resources.

796.52 KER

Kerr, James, 1966-. *Hillary and Norgay's Mount Everest adventure.* Chicago : Heinemann Library, c2008. On top of the world -- Everest : the ultimate challenge -- A foothold on the mountain -- Advance from base camp -- Hazards and dangers -- Push to the summit -- The top and back -- Reasons for success -- The route to the top. Chronicles Edmund Hillary and Tenzing Norgay's 1953 expedition to the summit of Mount Everest, describing how the pair became the first to ever reach the mountain's summit, the preparations they made for the climb, and the challenges they faced along the way.

800 – Literature

811.5408 FIV


900 – History, geography, and biography

910.41 SEN

Senker, Cath. *Magellan's voyage around the world.* Chicago : Heinemann Library, c2008. Chronicles Ferdinand Magellan's voyage around the world, describing the adventures they had and the people and animals they encountered along the way.

910.9 BIN

Bingham, Jane. *Captain Cook's Pacific explorations.* Chicago : Heinemann Library, c2008. Recounts Captain James Cook's three epic journeys across the Pacific ocean, describing the hardships Cook and his men faced, the new lands they found, and their impressions of the unique people and cultures they encountered.

910.91 SOL

914.39 TIM

*Time out Budapest*. 2nd ed. London, England ; : Penguin Books, 2003. A guide to traveling in Budapest that includes information on the different accommodations that are available, the best sights to see, the most popular restaurants, and other related topics.

914.6 NOR

*Northern Spain*. Rev. [ed.] / London : Dorling Kindersley, 2009. Capture the essence of Northern Spain, from the remote beauty of the Picos de Europa to the busy port of Santander and cosmopolitan Bilbao. Photographs, illustrations, unique 3-D models and birds-eye-view maps of all the major sites are included.

915.04 SEN

Senker, Cath. *Marco Polo's travels on Asia's Silk Road*. Chicago : Heinemann Library, c2008. Maps, illustrations, and easy-to-follow text introduce students to Marco Polo's travels through Asia more than seven hundred years ago.

915.695 JOR

Stannard, Dorothy, ed. *Jordan*. Singapore : APA Publications, 2007. Provides all you'll need to explore Jordan, including the country's history, culture, arts and people, tips on sights to see, hotels, restaurants, and much more.

915.69504 JOR


915.9504 MAL

Ray, Nick. *Cambodia*. 6th ed. Footscray, Vic. ; : Lonely Planet Publications, c2005. A region-by-region traveler's guide to Cambodia that provides prices, phone numbers, and detailed information on sites to see, lodging, dining, and activities; also includes an overview of Cambodian culture, travel tips, transportation information, a language guide, and thirty maps.

Gilpin, Daniel. *Burton and Speke's source of the Nile quest*. Chicago : Heinemann Library, c2008. A brush with death -- Preparing to go -- The adventure begins -- Into the mountains -- Toward the inland sea -- Time to think again -- Homeward bound -- Return to the source -- The world reacts -- Route to the source. Chronicles Richard Burton and John Speke's 1856-63 expedition to explore the Nile River and discover its origins, describing the people, places, and unique animals they encountered along the way.

Bing, Alison. *Napa & Sonoma*. Footscray, Vic. ; : Lonely Planet, 2009. This guide to Napa and Sonoma includes more than 100 hand-picked wineries, organised in logical routes.

Gogerly, Liz. *Amundsen and Scott's race to the South Pole*. Chicago : Heinemann Library, c2008. Offers a detailed chronology of Captain Robert Scott and Roald Amundsen's rival expeditions to be the first team to reach the South Pole in 1909, describing the challenges each team faced on their race to the pole.

Williams, Brenda, 1946-. *Reach for the stars*. Chicago : Raintree, c2008. Egypt's pyramids -- The king commands -- First stones -- Workers in camp -- Temples and mysteries -- Stolen treasures -- Spooky! -- Fascinating facts! -- Timeline. Photographs, maps, and easy-to-follow text introduce students to the pyramids of Egypt, describing how they were built, what their purpose was, and how they help scientists learn about the past.

illustrate how burial sites can be viewed from the air--and how they change the appearance of the ground--with information on standing earthworks, crop marks, flying, and developments in the field.

940.1 ROS

Ross, Stewart. *Medieval Europe*. Chicago : Heinemann Library, c2010. Provides facts about medieval Europe and includes detailed information on how to effectively research the topic.

940.3 ROS

Ross, Stewart. *World War I*. Chicago : Heinemann Library, c2010. A guide to researching World War I, providing an overview of the research process, and offering advice on where to find basic facts, types of information available, and presentation.

940.53 LAN

Langley, Andrew. *World War II*. Chicago : Heinemann Library, c2010. Researching World War II -- Finding your way around -- Step 1 : an overview -- Step 2 : the basics -- Step 3 : digging deeper -- Step 4 : documents -- Step 5 : images -- Step 6 : other sources -- Step 7 : putting it all together -- Step 8 : presentation. A guide to researching World War II, providing an overview of the research process, and offering advice on where to find information, questions to ask, where to find basic facts, how to select a topic, the types of sources available, organization, and presentation.

940.547 RAW

Rawicz, Slavomir. *The long walk*. London : Robinson, 2000. Slavomir Rawicz was a young Polish cavalry officer. On 19 November 1939 he was arrested by the Russians and, after brutal interrogation and a farce of a trial, he was sentenced to 25 years' hard labour in the Gulags. This is his story.

942.052 CLA


942.105 SOL


960 BOW
Bowden, Rob, 1973-. **African culture.** Chicago : Heinemann Library, c2010. An introduction to African culture, covering society, the arts, food, music, and entertainment.

960 BOW

Bowden, Rob, 1973-. **Ancient Africa.** Chicago : Heinemann Library, c2010. Explores the history of ancient Africa, describing the architecture, cultures, beliefs, and traditions that defined the region hundreds of years ago.

960 BOW

Bowden, Rob, 1973-. **Modern Africa.** Chicago : Heinemann Library, c2010. Provides an overview of modern Africa, providing information on the region's governments, economy, social classes, poverty, people, and culture.

960.3 BOW


**Professional**

PRO 025.5 PUL

Pulver, Beth A. **Accessing information.** Chicago : Heinemann Library, c2009. Identifying the need for information -- Answering big questions -- Narrowing or broadening the topic -- Strategies for locating information -- A variety of sources -- Plagiarism. Provides an introduction to research and information retrieval, focusing on accessing information and discussing identifying needs, answering big questions, narrowing or broadening a topic, and sources.

PRO 028.7 PUL

Pulver, Beth A. **Understanding the importance of information.** Chicago : Heinemann Library, c2009. Discussions topics such as the right to information and free expression in different countries, the Internet, the Bill of Rights, censorship, plagiarism, book burning, and how to responsibly present information and use various electronic sources.
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Mellon Chansonnier. One of the world's most celebrated collections of medieval songs. View all images. Sacred music occupies a distinguished place among Beinecke's early books and manuscripts. MS 91, known as the Mellon Chansonnier after its last private owner, Paul Mellon, who presented it to Yale in 1940, is one of the world's most celebrated collections of medieval songs. This beautifully calligraphed manuscript on parchment, Neapolitan in origin and dating from the mid 1470s, may have been prepared for the wedding of Beatrice of Aragon, daughter of the king of Naples, and Mathias Corv