WSRA Families and Literacy Committee Presents…

Calendar of Reading Suggestions for November 2021

Celebrating Diversity Through Literacy

Native American Heritage Month

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"**Books** are sometimes **windows**, offering views of worlds that may be real or imagined, familiar or strange. These **windows** are also **sliding glass doors**, and readers have only to walk through in imagination to become part of whatever world has been created or recreated by the author."
--Rudine Sims Bishop

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 **Dia de los Muertos** *The Dead Family Diaz* by P.J. Bracegirdle PB	2 *Pushing Up the Sky: Seven Native American Plays for Children* by Joseph Bruchac Plays	3 *I'm Heading to the Rodeo* by Emma S. Herman PB	4 **Diwali** *Binny's Diwali* by Thrity Umrigar PB	5 **Family Reading Day** *30-Minute Family Cookbook* by Amanda Hernandez Cookbook	6 *The Native American Story Book* by G. W. Mullins PB
7 *Sharice's Big Voice: A Native Kid Becomes a Congresswoman* by Sharice Davids NF/PB	8 *Native American Histories: Biographies for Kids* by Jimmy Beason NF	9 *The Firekeeper's Daughter* by Angeline Boulley YA Novel	10 *Thunder Boy Jr.* by Sherman Alexie PB	11 **Veterans Day** *Veterans Day Coloring Book* by Albert Xu Publishing House NF/Coloring Book	12 **Family Reading Day** *Laundry Day* by Karen Hjemboe Realistic Fic	13 *At the Mountain's Base* by Traci Sorell PB
14 *Go Show the World: A Celebration of Indigenous Heroes* by Wab Kinew Poem/Rap	15 *I Sang You Down from the Stars* by Tasha Spillett-Sumner PB	16 *All Boys Aren't Blue: A Memoir-Manifesto* by George M. Johnson YA	17 *Bowwow Powwow* by Brenda J. Child PB	18 *Ancestor Approved: Intertribal Stories for Kids* by Cynthia Leitich Smith Stories and Poems	19 **Family Reading Day** **Ryan Howard's Birthday** *The Best Bat* by Ryan Howard PB	20 **Transgender Day of Remembrance** *I Am Jazz* by Jessica Herthel PB
21 *#NotYourPrincess: Voices of Native American Women* by Charleyboy NF/Essays	22 *The Earth Under Sky Bear's Feet: Native American Poems of the Land* by Joseph Bruchac Poetry	23 *The First Fire: A Cherokee Story* by Brad Wagnon PB	24 *This Place: 150 Years Retold* by Kateri Akiwenzie-Damm YA Novel	25 **Thanksgiving** *Gratitude is my Superpower* by Alicia Ortego PB	26 **Native American Heritage Day** *We Are Still Here! Native American Truths Everyone Should Know* by Traci Sorell NF	27 **Family Reading Day** *The Native American Family Table* by Diane Bailey NF/Recipes
28 **Advent** (through 12/24) *Jotham's Journey: A Storybook for Advent* by Arnold Ytreeide PB	29 *TallChief: America's Prima Ballerina* by Maria Tallchief with Rosemary Wells NF/PB	30 *When the Legends Die...a Native American Boy Caught Between Two Worlds* by Hal Borland YA Novel				

Abbreviation Key
PB: picture book
Ch B: chapter book
NF: Nonfiction