Philanthropy - Tips for Teachers

Philanthropy is the act of donating money, goods, time, or effort to support a charitable cause.

Youth Philanthropy at American Family Children’s Hospital

Open in 2007, American Family Children’s would not exist without the hundreds of philanthropists, young and old, who shared their money, goods and time with us. A great way to explain why your fundraising effort is so important is to remind your students they will be helping sick kids feel better.

Here are some resources that might prove helpful with your students:

**Elementary**

**Dear Mr. Rosenwald**
*by Carole Boston Weatherford and illustrated by Gregory Christie.*

**Gus and Grandpa and the Christmas cookies**
*Claudia Mills ; pictures by Catherine Stock.*
47 p. : col. ill. ; 23 cm.

**Boxes for Katje**
*Candace Fleming ; pictures by Stacey Dressen-McQueen.*
1 v. (unpaged) : col. ill. ; 29 cm.

**One of Each**
*by Mary Ann Hoberman ; illustrated by Marjorie Priceman.*
1 v. (unpaged) : col. ill. ; 26 cm.

**Stone Soup**
*retold and illustrated by Jon J. Muth.*
1 v. (unpaged) : col. ill. ; 24 x 26 cm.

**Miss Perry's Fondest Wish**
*Pat Brisson ; illustrated by Stéphane Jorisch.*

**Rent Party Jazz**
*by William Miller ; illustrated by Charlotte Riley-Webb.*
1 v. (unpaged) : col. ill. ; 28 cm.

**Sam and the Lucky Money**
*by Karen Chinn ; illustrated by Cornelius Van Wright, and Ying-Hwa Hu.*

**The Three Questions**
*written and illustrated by Jon J. Muth.*
1 v. (unpaged) : col. ill. ; 26 x 31 cm.
The Magic Gourd
_Baba Wagué Diakité._
32 p. : col. ill. ; 30 cm.

Isabella's Above-Ground Pool
_Alice Mead ; pictures by Maryann Cocca-Leffler._

Kiki's Hats
Warren Hanson
Tristan Publishing, 2007
Minneapolis

The Lemonade Stand
Patricia Polacco
Philomel Books, 2007
New York

Middle School
Millions
_Frank Cottrell Boyce._
247 p. ; 28 cm.

Seedfolks
_by Paul Fleischman ; illustrations by Judy Pedersen._
69 p. : ill. ; 20 cm.

_Frances A. Karnes & Kristen R. Stephens._
xi, 191 p. ; 23 cm.

How We Made the wWorld a Better Place : Kids and Teens Write on How They Changed Their Corner of the World
compiled by the editors at Fairview Press.
 xviii, 141 p. ; 23 cm.

The Kid's Guide to Social Action : How To Solve the Social Problems You Choose--and Turn Creative Thinking into Positive Action
_Barbara A. Lewis ; edited by Pamela Espeland and Caryn Pemiu._
 xi, 211 p. : ill. ; 28 cm.

High School
I Am the Messenger
_by Markus Zusak._
357 p. ; 22 cm.