

## **TEACHER TO TEACHER RESOURCE: INDEPENDENT READING**

- 1. Teacher provides fiction, non-fiction, and other texts with a variety of textual challenge.
- 2. Students may also provide their own reading material.
- 3. Teacher provides consistent and extended time to read.
- 4. Students read and respond to books they choose themselves.

Examples of text types:

Fiction

Historical fiction Fantasy Science fiction Chapter books Picture books Graphic novels Easy-to-read books

Non-fiction

Informational books How-to books Biographies Magazines Art books Instructional texts Easy-to-read books

Poetry Song Lyrics Websites