

TeachingBooks.net

TeachingBooks.net is often mistaken for providing digital books. It provides all of the content you need to teach, promote and support a book in your classroom or library.

Features

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**Self-guided training is a 90-minute self-directed program that guides the user through the creation of an implementation plan for TeachingBooks.net for the specific setting they are working in. The course is divided into phases and does not need to be completed in one 90-minute chunk of time.*

Once completed a certificate of completion is provided. This is an excellent thing to include in a professional growth plan as there is a clear plan for accomplishing the goal and a measurable outcome.

- On the Homepage right-hand side below the gold bar
 - A listing of all “Canadian authors & illustrators” included in the resource
 - Defaults to the number of resource, can switch to sort by author name with the little drop down menu at the top right-hand corner of the page
 - Literary Calendar (just below the Canadian authors & illustrators)
 - Includes authors birthdays, important literary days
- Scroll down the homepage towards the bottom
 - Alberta specific booklists and awards toward the bottom of the homepage
 - Includes Alberta Education Fiction and non fiction reading lists for grades 4-12
 - Pacific Northwest Library Association Young Reader’s Choice Awards (YRCA)
 - Rocky Mountain Book Awards
 - Meet-the-Author book readings in French
- On a TeachingBooks Page
 - Hover over the book cover to get a blue pop up with details about all of the different support materials available for that book
 - “Sharing Tools” along the right-hand side of the screen
 - “Email” or “Text” any page to a colleague or yourself for ease of access
 - “QR Flyer” generates a printable flyer with an embedded QR code to the TeachingBooks page you are on
 - “Permalink” creates a static, unchanging URL that can be shared on a webpage, in an email and allows the user to open the TeachingBooks page without being logged into the LearnAlberta.ca webpage
 - “Calendar” allows access to the literary calendar
 - “Facebook,” “Twitter,” “Share,” allow for sharing
 - “Citation” provides an APA and MLA citation of every page
 - “Narrow Your Results” along the left-hand side
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 - “Explore Other Booklists on TeachingBooks” along the left-hand side