



CHARACTER
BASED
LITERACY
PROGRAM

Character Education at the Markkula Center for Applied Ethics

ethics programs for communities that learn, live, pray or work together

Character Based Literacy Middle School Reading List Cycle II 2009-2010

Writing Handbook for All Students

All Write by Great Source Education Source

The Houghton Mifflin Company ISBN 0669499501

Quarter 1: Responsibility Requires Action

Island of the Blue Dolphins by Scott O'Dell

- Publisher: Yearling

ISBN: 0440940001

Esperanza Rising by Pam Muñoz Ryan

- Publisher: Scholastic

ISBN: 043912042X

It's Not About the Bike by Lance Armstrong

- Publisher: Berkeley Publishing Group

ISBN: 0425179613

Quarter 2: Change Requires Effort

Riding Freedom by Pam Muñoz Ryan

- Publisher: Scholastic Signature

ISBN: 0439087961

Where the Red Fern Grows by Wilson Rawls

- Publisher: Yearling Book

ISBN: 0440412676

Jesse by Gary Soto

- Publisher: *Harcourt*

ISBN: 015205425-1

Quarter 3: Justice Requires Restraint

Maniac Magee by Jerry Spinelli

- Publisher: Little Brown and Company

ISBN: 0316809063

Nothing But the Truth by Avi

- Publisher: Avon

ISBN: 038071907X

My Brother Sam is Dead by James Lincoln Collier & Christopher Collier

- Publisher: Scholastic

ISBN: 059042792X

Quarter 4: Courage Requires Moderation

Nightjohn by Gary Paulsen

- Publisher: Dell

ISBN: 0440219361

Sarny by Gary Paulsen

- Publisher: Dell

ISBN: 0440219736

Joey Pigza Loses Control by Jack Gantos

- Publisher: Harper Trophy

ISBN: 0064410226

Quarter 5: Integrity Requires Wholeness

Bronx Masquerade by Nikki Grimes

- Publisher: Penguin Group

ISBN: 0142501891

Seedfolks by Paul Fleischman

- Publisher: Harper Trophy

ISBN: 0064472078

Surviving the Applewhites by Stephanie S. Tolan

- Publisher: Harper Trophy

ISBN: 0064410447