

City of Ember, The

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Collections: ARC-BC

Subjects: English Language Arts
Grades 6-7

Evaluation Date: May 2011



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Social Considerations

Resource Evaluation

CURRICULUM FIT

Does the resource support BC curriculum?


 Extensively

SUGGESTED CLASSROOM
USAGE

Cross-curricular, individual, group or whole class use and also may be considered for special needs and ESL.

SOCIAL CONSIDERATIONS

Do the social considerations support, rather than detract from, student learning?

 Extensively


Children begin working at the age of 12. Sometimes their jobs expose them to dangers that would not be considered acceptable in our present society

GENERAL CONTENT


Content

Audience


Is the content appropriate to the emotional maturity and cognitive level of students?

 Extensively

Does the resource provide opportunities for creative and critical thinking?

 Extensively

Is the language use appropriate to the emotional maturity and cognitive level of students?

 Extensively

PRINT NOVEL

Does the text show insight into the complexity of the human condition?



Extensively

Does the text broaden students' experiences and understanding?



Extensively

To what degree is this text stylistically rich?



Extensively

Plot description

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Genre

- Science Fiction

Type

- Novel

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

Reading Level

- At intended grade level(s)

GRADES AND SUBJECTS

Subjects

- English Language Arts: 6-7

ADDITIONAL INFO

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