
Grade 4

This is an alphabetical list of resources for Grade 4. The annotations are either in paragraph form or by topic. This list combines Integrated Resources, Series, Atlases, and Stand-Alone Resources.

These resources have been evaluated and recommended between March 2003 and August 2005 by a group of Manitoba teachers who were nominated by their school divisions. As additional materials are evaluated and recommended this resource list will be updated.

A complete Social Studies Kindergarten to Grade 8 Learning Resources: Annotated Bibliography (New Edition March 2007) is available online at

<<http://www.edu.gov.mb.ca/k12/learnres/bibliographies.html>>.

To purchase a print copy of the Revised Edition March 2007 bibliography (Stock # 80559) contact the Manitoba Text Book Bureau.

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Internet: <<http://library.edu.gov.mb.ca:4100>>

All About Canadian Citizenship (Series). (The All About Series). Nelson (NEL), 2003.

This resource includes a Teacher's Guide and ten 31-page softcover books comprising the following titles:

- Becoming a Canadian Citizen
- Canadian Celebrations and Traditions
- Children's Rights and Responsibilities
- Citizen Participation
- Conflict Resolution
- Local Government
- Making Laws
- The National Anthem
- The Prime Minister
- Voting

This resource is based on the specific learning outcomes of the Manitoba **Grade 4** Social Studies curriculum, and particularly supports Cluster 2.

This resource is well organized, user-friendly, and includes effective and appropriate graphics, diagrams, and illustrations, as well as a detailed glossary and index. It is appropriate for Grade 4. It supports integration with the other content areas.

It makes all efforts to make the information current and accurate. It contains Canadian and Manitoba content as well as diverse perspectives and promotes respect for diversity and inclusion.

Date Recommended: 2004-Mar-31

All About Canadian Citizenship: Becoming a Canadian Citizen (Series). Pegis, Jessica. (The All About Series). Nelson (NEL), 2003. 30 p. ISBN 0-17-626721-2-9.

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 2; Student - Breadth and Depth
Date Recommended: 2004-Mar-31

All About Canadian Citizenship: Canadian Celebrations and Traditions (Series). Pegis, Jessica. (The All About Series). Nelson (NEL), 2003. 30 p. ISBN 0-17-626722-0.

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 2; Student - Breadth and Depth
Date Recommended: 2004-Mar-31

All About Canadian Citizenship: Children's Rights and Responsibilities (Series). Pegis, Jessica. (The All About Series). Nelson (NEL), 2003. 30 p. ISBN 0-17-626727-1.

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 2; Student - Breadth and Depth
Date Recommended: 2004-Mar-31

All About Canadian Citizenship: Citizen Participation (Series). Pegis, Jessica. (The All About Series). Nelson (NEL), 2003. 30 p. ISBN 0-17-626701-8.

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 2; Student - Breadth and Depth
Date Recommended: 2004-Mar-31

All About Canadian Citizenship: Conflict Resolution (Series). Pegis, Jessica. (The All About Series). Nelson (NEL), 2003. 30 p. ISBN 0-17-626702-6.

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 2; Student - Breadth and Depth
Date Recommended: 2004-Mar-31

All About Canadian Citizenship: Local Government (Series). Pegis, Jessica. (The All About Series). Nelson (NEL), 2003. 30 p. ISBN 0-17-626725-5.

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 2; Student - Breadth and Depth
Date Recommended: 2004-Mar-31

All About Canadian Citizenship: Making Laws (Series). Pegis, Jessica. (The All About Series). Nelson (NEL), 2003. 29 p. ISBN 0-17-626724-7.

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 2; Student - Breadth and Depth
Date Recommended: 2004-Mar-31

All About Canadian Citizenship: Teacher's Guide (Series). (The All About Series). Nelson (NEL), 2003. ISBN 0-17-620204-8.

This teacher's book (draft) is designed to complement the student text series *All About Canadian Citizenship*. This softcover resource supports a number of specific learning outcomes of the Manitoba **Grade 4** social studies curriculum. It includes blackline masters that also provide some support for the specific learning outcomes. It makes curricular connections to the other content areas.

This resource is well organized and user-friendly, and makes good use of headings. It also includes learning activities that are relevant and meaningful to students, and a number of assessment strategies. It provides relevant links to websites and videos, but these resources have not been reviewed. It also includes an un-annotated bibliography of suggested materials.

This resource is current and accurate to March 2004 and contains Canadian content.

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 2; Teacher Reference
Date Recommended: 2004-Mar-31

All About Canadian Citizenship: The National Anthem (Series). Pegis, Jessica. (The All About Series). Nelson (NEL), 2003. 30 p. ISBN 0-17-626723-9.

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 2; Student - Breadth and Depth
Date Recommended: 2004-Mar-31

All About Canadian Citizenship: The Prime Minister (Series). Pegis, Jessica. (The All About Series). Nelson (NEL), 2003. 30 p. ISBN 0-17-626726-3.

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 2; Student - Breadth and Depth
Date Recommended: 2004-Mar-31

All About Canadian Citizenship: Voting (Series). Pegis, Jessica. (The All About Series). Nelson (NEL), 2003. 30 p. ISBN 0-17-626720-4.

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 2; Student - Breadth and Depth
Date Recommended: 2004-Mar-31

All About...Famous Canadians from Manitoba (Non-Fiction). McDermott, Barb. Reidmore Books (NEL), 1999. 29 p. ISBN 0-17-620810-0.

Grade 4 - Cluster 4 – History of Manitoba

- Stories of events and individuals from Manitoba's past stories of early settlement
- Contributions of diverse ethnic and cultural communities (Aboriginal, francophone, European)

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 4; Student - Depth
Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

All About...Famous Canadians from Nunavut (Non-Fiction). McDermott, Barb. Reidmore Books (NEL), 1999. 29 p. ISBN 0-17-620801-1.

Grade 4 - Cluster 5 – Canada's North – Yukon, NWT, Nunavut

- Stories, traditions, and changes in ways of life in Canada's North

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 5; Student - Depth
Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

Baseball Bats for Christmas (Fiction).
Kusugak, Michael. Annick Press (FIR), 1990.
ISBN 1-55037-144-4.

Grade 4 - Cluster 5 – Canada's North - Yukon,
NWT, Nunavut

- Stories, traditions, and changes in ways of life in Canada's North

Suggested Use: **Grade 4**; Grade 4 –
Cluster 5; Student - Depth

Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

The Big Book of Canada: Exploring the Provinces and Territories (Non-Fiction).

Moore, Christopher. Tundra Books Inc. (TUN), 2002.
255 p. ISBN 0-88776-457-6.

Grade 4 - Cluster 1 – Geography of Canada

- Physical geography of Manitoba and Canada
- Mapping (geographic regions, oceans, major landforms, lakes, waterways, provinces, territories, capital cities)

Grade 4 - Cluster 2 – Living in Canada

- Symbols and monuments (national, provincial, territorial)
- Leadership (Manitoba and Canada)

Suggested Use: **Grade 4**; Grade 4 –
Cluster 1; Grade 4 - Cluster 2; Student -
Depth; Teacher Reference

Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

Canada Votes: How We Elect Our Government. 5th Edition (Non-Fiction).

Granfield, Linda. Kids Can Press (KCP), 2001. 64 p.
ISBN 1-55337-009-0.

Grade 4 - Cluster 2 – Living in Canada

- Government

Grade 6 - Cluster 4 – Canada Today:
Democracy, Diversity, and the Influence of the
Past

- Government

Suggested Use: **Grade 4**; Grade 4 –
Cluster 2; **Grade 6**; Grade 6 - Cluster 4;
Student - Depth

Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

Canada's Maple Leaf: The Story of Our Flag (Non-Fiction).

Owens, Ann-Maureen. Kids Can Press (KCP), 1999. 32 p. ISBN 1-55074-516-6.

Grade 4 - Cluster 2 – Living in Canada

- Symbols and monuments (national, provincial, territorial)

Suggested Use: **Grade 4**; Grade 4 –
Cluster 2; Student - Depth

Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

Canadian Cities: Whitehorse: The Klondike Capital (Non-Fiction).

Foran, Jill. (Canadian Cities). Weigl Educational Publishers (WEI), 2002.
32 p. ISBN 1-894705-68-8.

Grade 4 – Cluster 5 – Canada's North – NWT

- Physical and human geography of the territory

Suggested Use: **Grade 4**; Grade 4 –
Cluster 5; Teacher Reference

Date Recommended: 2004-Aug-23

Canadian Sites and Symbols: Northwest Territories (Non-Fiction).

Kissock, Heather. (Canadian Sites and Symbols). Weigl Educational Publishers (WEI), 2004. 24 p. ISBN 1-55388-028-5.

Grade 4 – Cluster 5 – Canada's North – NWT

- Physical and human geography of the territory

Suggested Use: **Grade 4**; Grade 4 –
Cluster 5; Teacher Reference

Date Recommended: 2004-Aug-23

The Cremation of Sam McGee (Non-Fiction).
Service, Robert. Kids Can Press (UTP), 1992. 220 p.
ISBN 1-55074-606-5.

Grade 4 - Cluster 5 – Canada's North –
Yukon, NWT, Nunavut

- Stories, traditions and changes in ways of life
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Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 5 - Student - Depth
Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

Critical Challenges Across the Curriculum:

The Resourcefulness of the Inuit (Non-Fiction). Wendy, Amy et al. Simon Fraser University Library (available through the Manitoba Text Book Bureau, 2002. 172 p. ISBN 0-86491-252-8.

Grade 4 – Cluster 5 – Canada’s North

- Critical Thinking Skills

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 5; Teacher Reference
Date Recommended: 2005-July-16

Enie Meenie Manitoba: Playful Poems for Coast to Coast (Picture Book). Heidbreder, Robert. Kids Can Press (KCP), 2000. ISBN 1-55074-818-1.

Grade 4 - Cluster 1 – Geography of Canada

- Mapping (geographic regions, oceans, major landforms, lakes, waterways, provinces, territories, capital cities)

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 1; Student - Depth
Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

Flour Sack Flora (Picture Book). Delaronde, Deborah L. Pemmican Publications Inc. (PEM), 2001. ISBN 1-894717-05-8.

Grade 4 - Cluster 4 – History of Manitoba

- Stories of events and individuals from Manitoba’s past

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 4; Student - Depth
Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

The Flower Beadwork People (Non-Fiction). Racette, Sherry. Gabriel Dumont Institute of Native Studies (GDUMONT), 1992. ISBN 0-920915-25-6.

Grade 4 - Cluster 4 – History of Manitoba

- Stories of early settlements

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 4; Student - Depth
Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

Geographical Names of Manitoba (Non-Fiction). Manitoba Geographical Names Program. Manitoba Conservation (MANC), 2000. 323 p. ISBN 0-7711-1517-2.

Grade 4 - Cluster 3 – Living in Manitoba

- People, places, and communities of Manitoba (historical, cultural, or environmental)

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 3; Student - Depth
Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

The Great Canadian Adventure (Integrated Resource). Arnold, Phyllis A.. (The Great Canadian Adventure Series). Nelson (NEL), 2004.

This resource includes five student texts, five Learning Centre cards, and a Teacher’s Manual. The resource matches the Grade 4 Manitoba Social Studies outcomes in Clusters 1, 2, and 5. There is limited support for Clusters 3 and 4 in the Manitoba curriculum. The Teacher’s Manual provides comprehensive strategies and many graphic organizers and assessment tools. The five Learning Centre cards are laminated and are useful for projects, learning centres, or independent learning situations.

The five student texts include:

- Book 1: The Contest
- Book 2: Location
- Book 3: Our Country, Canada
- Book 4: Provinces and Territories
- Book 5: Proud to be Canadian

Date Recommended: 2005-July-25

The Great Canadian Adventure: An Introduction to Canada Teacher's Manual (Integrated Resource). Arnold, Phyllis A.. (The Great Canadian Adventure Series). Nelson (NEL), 2004. ISBN 1-896081-10-X.

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 - Cluster 1; Grade 4 - Cluster 2; Grade 4 - Cluster 3; Grade 4 - Cluster 4; Grade 4 - Cluster 5; Teacher Reference
Date Recommended: 2005-July-25

The Great Canadian Adventure: Book 1: The Contest (Integrated Resource). Arnold, Phyllis A.. (The Great Canadian Adventure Series). Nelson (NEL), 2004. 17 p. ISBN 1-896081-11-8.

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 - Cluster 1; Grade 4 - Cluster 2; Grade 4 - Cluster 3; Grade 4 - Cluster 4; Grade 4 - Cluster 5; Student - Breadth and Depth
Date Recommended: 2005-July-25

The Great Canadian Adventure: Book 2: Location (Integrated Resource). Arnold, Phyllis A.. (The Great Canadian Adventure Series). Nelson (NEL), 2004. 25 p. ISBN 1-896081-12-6.

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 - Cluster 1; Grade 4 - Cluster 2; Grade 4 - Cluster 3; Grade 4 - Cluster 4; Grade 4 - Cluster 5; Student - Breadth and Depth
Date Recommended: 2005-July-25

The Great Canadian Adventure: Book 3: Our Country, Canada (Integrated Resource). Arnold, Phyllis A.. (The Great Canadian Adventure Series). Nelson (NEL), 2004. 17 p. ISBN 1-896081-14-2.

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 - Cluster 1; Grade 4 - Cluster 2; Grade 4 - Cluster 3; Grade 4 - Cluster 4; Grade 4 - Cluster 5; Student - Breadth and Depth
Date Recommended: 2005-July-25

The Great Canadian Adventure: Book 4: Provinces and Territories (Integrated Resource). Arnold, Phyllis A.. (The Great Canadian Adventure Series). Nelson (NEL), 2004. 25 p. ISBN 1-896081-16-9.

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 - Cluster 1; Grade 4 - Cluster 2; Grade 4 - Cluster 3; Grade 4 - Cluster 4; Grade 4 - Cluster 5; Student - Breadth and Depth
Date Recommended: 2005-July-25

The Great Canadian Adventure: Book 5: Proud to be Canadian (Integrated Resource). Arnold, Phyllis A.. (The Great Canadian Adventure Series). Nelson (NEL), 2004. 25 p. ISBN 1-896081-17-7.

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 - Cluster 1; Grade 4 - Cluster 2; Grade 4 - Cluster 3; Grade 4 - Cluster 4; Grade 4 - Cluster 5; Student - Breadth and Depth
Date Recommended: 2005-July-25

The Great Canadian Adventure: Set A Learning Cards (Integrated Resource). Arnold, Phyllis A.. (The Great Canadian Adventure Series). Nelson (NEL), 2004. ISBN 0-17-62771-53.

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 - Cluster 1; Grade 4 - Cluster 2; Grade 4 - Cluster 3; Grade 4 - Cluster 4; Grade 4 - Cluster 5; Teacher Reference
Date Recommended: 2005-July-25

Hands-on Social Studies Grade Four (Stand-Alone). Lawson, Jennifer. Portage & Main Press (PEG), 2003. 184 p. ISBN 1-55379-07-3.

This made-in-Manitoba resource is well developed for the following three clusters of the Manitoba **Grade 4** Social Studies curriculum: Cluster 1: Geography of Canada, Cluster 2: Living in Canada, and Cluster 5: Life in Canada's North. The resource does not support Cluster 3: Living in Manitoba or Cluster 4: History of Manitoba (at press time, these clusters are under development but have not been reviewed).

This resource includes a variety of active learning activities, themes, vocabulary, extensions, and blackline masters for both individual and group work.

This resource is current and accurate, and provides Canadian cultural content. This is a well-designed, user-friendly resource that is enhanced by clear, concise graphics and blackline masters.

Suggested Use: **Grade 4;** Grade 4 – Cluster 1; Grade 4 – Cluster 2; Grade 4 – Cluster 5; Student – Breadth; Teacher Reference

Date Recommended: 2004-Mar-31

Hands-on Social Studies Grade Four: Manitoba: Past and Present (Stand-Alone). Lawson, Jennifer, et al. Portage & Main Press (PEG), 2004. 234 p. ISBN 1-55379-034-0.

This is the second part of a made-in-Manitoba resource that is well developed for the following two clusters of the Manitoba Grade 4 Social Studies curriculum: Cluster 3: Living in Manitoba, and Cluster 4: History of Manitoba.

This resource includes a variety of active learning strategies, themes, vocabulary, extensions, background information, and blackline masters for both individual and group work. It applies to a wide range of learning styles and can be easily adapted to meet student needs.

This resource is comprehensive, detailed, current, and accurate. It provides Manitoba cultural content that includes francophone, Aboriginal, and other cultures. This is a well-designed, user-friendly resource that is enhanced by clear, concise graphics, assessment ideas, as well as literature and website suggestions. It should also be noted that Part 1 and Part 2 are required for Grade 4.

Suggested Use: **Grade 4;** Grade 4 – Cluster 3; Grade 4 – Cluster 4; Teacher Reference
Date Recommended: 2004-Mar-31

Heartland: A Prairie Sampler (Picture Book). Bannatyne-Cugnet, Jo. Tundra Books Inc. (RAN), 2002. ISBN 0-88776-567X.

Grade 4 - Cluster 1 – Geography of Canada

- Physical geography of Manitoba and Canada

Suggested Use: **Grade 4;** Grade 4 – Cluster 1; Student - Depth
Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

The Hutterite Community Cookbook. (Out-of-Print) Third Expanded Edition (Non-Fiction). Hofer, Samuel. Imagine That (IMT), 2002. 224 p. ISBN 0-9684268-3-2.

Grade 4 - Cluster 3 – Living in Manitoba

- People, places, and communities of Manitoba (historical, cultural, or environmental)

Note: The book contains 80 pages of Hutterite community history.

Suggested Use: **Grade 4;** Grade 4 – Cluster 3; Student - Depth
Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

In Flanders Fields (Non-Fiction). Granfield, Linda. Stoddart Kids (FHW), 2000. 32 p. ISBN 0-7737-5925-5.

Grade 4 - Cluster 2 – Living in Canada

- Commemorative days

Suggested Use: **Grade 4;** Grade 4 – Cluster 2; Student - Depth
Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

InfoCanada: Geographical Regions (Series). (InfoCanada: Geographical Regions). Nelson (NEL).

This series includes the following titles:

- Appalachian Highland
 - Great Lakes Lowland
 - St. Lawrence Lowland
 - The Arctic
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- The Canadian Shield
 - The Cordillera
 - The Interior Plains
 - Teacher's Guide (includes activities for all of the seven titles)

This resource is an excellent match to a few outcomes in Grade 4 Clusters 1 and 5. The content is extremely detailed for Grade 4 students. The seven books in this series about the geographic regions could also be teacher background information/reference books. The Teacher's Guide includes blackline masters with assessment ideas, checklists, and rubrics. This series also includes Aboriginal perspectives at the Grade 5 and 6 levels in each of the seven books.

Date Recommended: 2004-Mar-31

InfoCanada: Geographical Regions: Appalachian Highland (Series). Andrew, Wayne, et al. (InfoCanada: Geographical Regions). Nelson (NEL), 2004. ISBN 0-17-626099-4.

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 1; Grade 4 – Cluster 5; Student - Breadth and Depth
Date Recommended: 2004-Mar-31

InfoCanada: Geographical Regions: St. Lawrence Lowland (Series). Andrew, Wayne, et al. (InfoCanada: Geographical Regions). Nelson (NEL), 2004. ISBN 0-17-626101-X.

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 1; Grade 4 – Cluster 5; Student - Breadth and Depth
Date Recommended: 2004-Mar-31

InfoCanada: Geographical Regions: Teacher's Guide (Series). Andrew, Wayne, et al. (InfoCanada: Geographical Regions). Nelson (NEL), 2004. 154 p. ISBN 0-17-620206-4.

This Teacher's Guide is organized to match each of the seven student books. The guide includes a variety of teaching classroom strategies, blackline masters, outline maps,

culminating activities, assessment tools, and connections to other curricula.

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 1; Grade 4 – Cluster 5; Teacher Reference

Date Recommended: 2004-Mar-31

InfoCanada: Geographical Regions: The Arctic (Series). Andrew, Wayne, et al. (InfoCanada: Geographical Regions). Nelson (NEL), 2004. ISBN 0-17-626098-6.

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 1; Grade 4 – Cluster 5; Student - Breadth and Depth
Date Recommended: 2004-Mar-31

InfoCanada: Geographical Regions: The Canadian Shield (Series). Andrew, Wayne, et al. (InfoCanada: Geographical Regions). Nelson (NEL), 2004. ISBN 0-17-626097-8.

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 1; Grade 4 – Cluster 5; Student - Breadth and Depth
Date Recommended: 2004-Mar-31

InfoCanada: Geographical Regions: The Cordillera (Series). Andrew, Wayne, et al. (InfoCanada: Geographical Regions). Nelson (NEL), 2004. ISBN 0-17-626096-X.

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 1; Grade 4 – Cluster 5; Student - Breadth and Depth
Date Recommended: 2004-Mar-31

InfoCanada: Geographical Regions: The Great Lakes Lowland (Series). Andrew, Wayne, et al. (InfoCanada: Geographical Regions). Nelson (NEL), 2004. ISBN 0-17-626100-1.

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 1; Grade 4 – Cluster 5; Student - Breadth and Depth
Date Recommended: 2004-Mar-31

InfoCanada: Geographical Regions: The Interior Plains (Series). Andrew, Wayne, et al. (InfoCanada: Geographical Regions). Nelson (NEL), 2004. ISBN 0-17-626095-1.

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 1; Grade 4 – Cluster 5; Student - Breadth and Depth
Date Recommended: 2004-Mar-31

InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories (Series). (InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories). Nelson (NEL).

This series includes the following titles:

- Alberta
- British Columbia
- Manitoba
- New Brunswick
- Newfoundland and Labrador
- Northwest Territories
- Nova Scotia
- Nunavut
- Ontario
- Prince Edward Island
- Quebec
- Saskatchewan
- Yukon
- Teacher's Guide (includes activities for all of the 13 titles)

These books are an excellent resource for outcomes covered in Grade 4. All student books provide information for outcomes in Clusters 1 and 2. The Manitoba student book covers outcomes in Clusters 3 and 4. The Yukon, Northwest Territories, and Nunavut student books cover outcomes in Cluster 5. The books are written at a level that would be difficult for many Grade 4 students to use independently. The books could also be used for teacher background information/reference and for outcomes in Grades 5 and 6.

Date Recommended: 2004-Mar-31

InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories: Alberta (Series). Mathieu, Wendy L. (InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories). Nelson (NEL), 2003. 62 p. ISBN 0-17-626041-2.

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 1; Grade 4 – Cluster 2; Student - Breadth and Depth
Date Recommended: 2004-Mar-31

InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories: British Columbia (Series). BonBernard, Trudie. (InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories). Nelson (NEL), 2003. 62 p. ISBN 0-17-626042-0.

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 1; Grade 4 – Cluster 2; Student - Breadth and Depth
Date Recommended: 2004-Mar-31

InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories: Manitoba (Series). Mathieu, Wendy L. (InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories). Nelson (NEL), 2003. 62 p. ISBN 0-17-626044-7.

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 1; Grade 4 – Cluster 2; Grade 4 – Cluster 3; Grade 4 – Cluster 4; Student - Breadth and Depth
Date Recommended: 2004-Mar-31

InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories: New Brunswick (Series). MacDonald, David. (InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories). Nelson (NEL), 2003. 62 p. ISBN 0-17-626047-1.

Suggested Use:
Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 1; Grade 4 – Cluster 2; Student - Breadth and Depth
Date Recommended: 2004-Mar-31

InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories: Newfoundland and Labrador (Series). MacDonald, David. (InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories). Nelson (NEL), 2003. 62 p. ISBN 0-17-626051-X.

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 1; Grade 4 – Cluster 2; Student - Breadth and Depth
Date Recommended: 2004-Mar-31

InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories: Northwest Territories (Series). BonBernard, Trudie. (InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories). Nelson (NEL), 2003. 62 p. ISBN 0-17-626052-8.

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 1; Grade 4 – Cluster 2; Grade 4 – Cluster 5; Student - Breadth and Depth
Date Recommended: 2004-Mar-31

InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories: Nova Scotia (Series). MacDonald, David. (InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories). Nelson (NEL), 2003. 62 p. ISBN 0-17-626049-8.

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 1; Grade 4 – Cluster 2; Student - Breadth and Depth
Date Recommended: 2004-Mar-31

InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories: Nunavut (Series). BonBernard, Trudie. (InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories). Nelson (NEL), 2003. 62 p. ISBN 0-17-626054-4.

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 1; Grade 4 – Cluster 2; Grade 4 – Cluster 5; Student - Breadth and Depth
Date Recommended: 2004-Mar-31

InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories: Ontario (Series). Mathieu, Wendy L. (InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories). Nelson (NEL), 2003. 62 p. ISBN 0-17-626045-5.

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 1; Grade 4 – Cluster 2; Student - Breadth and Depth
Date Recommended: 2004-Mar-31

InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories: Prince Edward Island (Series). MacDonald, David. (InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories). Nelson (NEL), 2003. 62 p. ISBN 0-17-626050-1.

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 1; Grade 4 – Cluster 2; Student - Breadth and Depth
Date Recommended: 2004-Mar-31

InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories: Quebec (Series). Pegis, Jessica. (InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories). Nelson (NEL), 2003. 62 p. ISBN 0-17-626046-3.

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 1; Grade 4 – Cluster 2; Student - Breadth and Depth
Date Recommended: 2004-Mar-31

InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories: Saskatchewan (Series). Mathieu, Wendy L. (InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories). Nelson (NEL), 2003. 62 p. ISBN 0-17-626043-9.

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 1; Grade 4 – Cluster 2; Student - Breadth and Depth
Date Recommended: 2004-Mar-31

InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories: Teacher's Guide (Series). BonBernard, Trudie, et al. (InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories). Nelson (NEL), 2003. ISBN 0-17-620205-6.

This Teacher's Guide is organized to match each of the thirteen student books. The guide includes a variety of teaching classroom strategies, blackline masters, outline maps, culminating activities, assessment tools and connections to other curricula.

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 1; Grade 4 – Cluster 2; Teacher Reference
Date Recommended: 2004-Mar-31

InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories:

Yukon (Series). BonBernard, Trudie. (InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories). Nelson (NEL), 2003. 62 p. ISBN 0-17-626053-6.

Suggested Use: **Grade 4;** Grade 4 – Cluster 1; Grade 4 – Cluster 2; Grade 4 – Cluster 5; Student - Breadth and Depth
Date Recommended: 2004-Mar-31

In the Global Classroom 1 (Stand-Alone).

Pike, Graham. Pippin Publishing Corporation (UTP), 1998. 255 p. ISBN 0-88751-081-7.

This is a softcover **Kindergarten to Grade 8** teacher reference resource. This resource emphasizes a teaching and learning strategy that combines child-centred and world-minded educational thinking. It builds frameworks for cross-curricular delivery and offers a wealth of practical and engaging activities for students.

Themes within the text include: interconnections (perceptions, local and global communities); environment and sustainability (natural, built, social, and inner); health (physical, mental, emotional, spiritual, social, societal, and environmental); perception (perceptions and cross-cultural encounters); technology (benefits, tools, problem solving, technological change, social values, and consequences in the future); and futures (alternative, probable, and preferred).

This resource includes materials related to citizenship, diverse-perspectives, global, identity, and economic learning outcome experiences.

Comment: Charts are included at the beginning of each chapter to indicate activities within the chapter and the index. The grade level for which the activities are suggested is not included.

Suggested Use: Kindergarten;

Kindergarten - Cluster 1; Kindergarten - Cluster 2; Kindergarten - Cluster 3;
Grade 1; Grade 1 - Cluster 2; Grade 1 - Cluster 3;
Grade 2; Grade 2 - Cluster 3;
Grade 3; Grade 3 - Cluster 3;
Grade 4; Grade 4 - Cluster 2; Grade 4 - Cluster 3;

Grade 5; Grade 5 - Cluster 4;

Grade 6; Grade 6 - Cluster 2; Grade 6 - Cluster 4;

Grade 7; Grade 7 - Cluster 1; Grade 7 - Cluster 2; Grade 7 - Cluster 3; Grade 7 - Cluster 4;

Grade 8; Grade 8 - Cluster 2; Grade 8 - Cluster 3; Grade 8 - Cluster 4; Grade 8 - Cluster 5; Teacher Reference

Date Recommended: 2003-Mar-10

Into the Sun (Fiction). Armstrong, Luanne. Hodgepog Books (HODGE), 2002. 122 p. ISBN 0-9686699-9.

Grade 4 - Cluster 4 – History of Manitoba

- Stories of events and individuals from Manitoba's past stories of early settlement

Note: The readability of this book is a high Grade 4+ level. It could also be used as a teacher read-aloud.

Caution: On page 16, the term 'Bois-Brulés' is used to describe "people who were part white, part Indian. Some of the other white people called them 'half-breeds', and made fun of their way of life which made Reine (Lagmodière) furious." Terms such as 'half-breed' were used in that period of Manitoba's history. Teachers will have to explain such language sensitively when reading this book.

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 4; Student - Depth

Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

The Inuksuk Book (Non-Fiction). Wallace, Mary. Maple Tree Press (FIR), 1999. 64 p. ISBN 1-895688-90-6.

Grade 4 - Cluster 5 – Canada's North – Yukon, NWT, Nunavut

- Physical and human geography of the territory(ies)

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 5; Student - Depth

Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

Is That Right? Critical Thinking and the Social World of the Young Learner (Stand-Alone). Wright, Ian. Pippin Publishing Corporation (UTP), 2002. 139 p. ISBN 0-88751-094-9.

This teacher resource emphasizes that there is no better day than today to teach our children the value and rewards of critical thinking. It defines critical thinking as the ability to make reasoned judgments in problematic situations. It also demonstrates how critical thinking can be applied to social studies and other subject areas. It includes practical activities and assessment approaches (including rubrics). Chapters focus on critical thinking, teaching critical thinking, and assessing critical thinking.

This resource is based on current research. It is suitable for a wide range of learning styles, promotes active learning and creativity, and is well organized.

Suggested Use: Kindergarten;

Kindergarten - Cluster 2;

Grade 1; Grade 1 - Cluster 3;

Grade 2; Grade 2 - Cluster 3;

Grade 3; Grade 3 - Cluster 1; Grade 3 - Cluster 3;

Grade 4; Grade 4 - Cluster 2;

Grade 5; Grade 5 - Cluster 1;

Grade 6; Grade 6 - Cluster 4;

Grade 7; Grade 7 - Cluster 3; Grade 7 - Cluster 4;

Grade 8; Grade 8 - Cluster 1;

Teacher Reference

Date Recommended: 2003-Mar-10

The Kids Book of Canada (Non-Fiction). Greenwood, Barbara. Kids Can Press (KCP), 1997. 60 p. ISBN 1-55074-315-5.

Grade 4 - Cluster 1 – Geography of Canada

- Mapping (geographic regions, oceans, major landforms, lakes, waterways, provinces, territories, capital cities)

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 1; Student - Depth

Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

The Kids Book of the Far North (Non-Fiction). Love, Ann. Kids Can Press (KCP), 2000. 48 p. ISBN 1-55074-563-8.

Grade 4 - Cluster 5 – Canada's North – Yukon, NWT, Nunavut

- Stories, traditions, and changes in ways of life in Canada's North
- Mapping (physical features, natural resources)

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 5; Student - Depth

Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

Kids Make a Difference: Kids

Communicate (Non-Fiction). Rossi, Ann. National Geographic Educational Service (NGS), 2002. 32 p. ISBN 0-7922-8689-8.

Grade 4 - Cluster 2 – Living in Canada

- Media influences on perceptions of people and places

Note: Utilizes American examples.

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 2; Student - Depth

Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

Lessons from Turtle Island: Native Curriculum in Early Childhood Classrooms

(Stand-Alone). Jones, Guy W. (MON), 2002. 175 p. ISBN 1-929610-25-4.

This softcover, 175-page professional resource contains valuable information on stereotypes and misconceptions about Aboriginal peoples in America. It has a U.S. focus, and is a general introduction to Aboriginal culture. Inuit or Canadian First Nations cultures are not featured.

It provides a detailed bibliography on Aboriginal culture, values, and heritage, including children's literature with suggested activities that support integration across subject areas. It partially supports the Manitoba social studies curriculum outcomes for **Kindergarten, Grades 1, 2, 4, and 5**. It also provides age-appropriate learning activities.

Suggested Use: Kindergarten;
Kindergarten - Cluster 2;
Grade 1; Grade 1 - Cluster 3;
Grade 2; Grade 2 - Cluster 1; Grade 2 -
Cluster 2;
Grade 4; Grade 4 - Cluster 3;
Grade 5; Grade 5 - Cluster 1;
Teacher Professional Reference
Date Recommended: 2003-Mar-10

Li Minoush (Picture Book). Murray, Bonnie.
Pemmican Publications Inc. (PEM), 2001.
ISBN 1-894717-06-6.

Grade 4 - Cluster 3 – Living in Manitoba

- People, places, and communities of Manitoba (historical, cultural, or environmental)

Grade 4 - Cluster 4 – History of Manitoba

- Contributions of diverse ethnic and cultural communities (Aboriginal, francophone, European)

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 –
Cluster 3; Grade 4 - Cluster 4; Student -
Depth
Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

Little Métis and the Métis Sash (Picture
Book). Delaronde, Deborah L. Pemmican
Publications Inc. (PEM), 2000. ISBN 1-894717-02-3.

Grade 4 - Cluster 4 – History of Manitoba

- Contributions of diverse ethnic and cultural communities (Aboriginal, francophone, European)

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 –
Cluster 4; Student - Depth
Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

Meet the Group of Seven (Non-Fiction).
Wistow, David. Kids Can Press (KCP), 1999. 48 p.
ISBN 1-55074-494-1.

Grade 4 - Cluster 1 – Geography of Canada

- Physical geography of Manitoba and Canada

- Mapping (geographic regions, oceans, major landforms, lakes, waterways, provinces, territories, capital cities)

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 –
Cluster 1; Student - Depth
Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

**Mistehay Sakahegan, the Great Lake: The
Beauty and the Treachery of Lake
Winnipeg** (Non-Fiction). Russell, Frances.
Heartland Associates (HEAR), 2000. 176 p.
ISBN 1-896150-10-1.

Grade 4 - Cluster 3 – Living in Manitoba

- Physical features

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 –
Cluster 3; Student - Depth
Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

Morning on the Lake (Fiction). Waboose, Jan
Bourdeau. Kids Can Press (KCP), 1997.
ISBN 1-55074-588-3.

Grade 4 - Cluster 3 – Living in Manitoba

- People, places, and communities of Manitoba

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 –
Cluster 3; Student - Depth
Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

A Mountain Alphabet (Picture Book). Ruurs,
Margriet. Tundra Books Inc. (RAN), 2002. 104 p.
ISBN 0-88776-384-7.

Grade 4 - Cluster 1 – Geography of Canada

- Physical geography of Canada
- Mapping

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 –
Cluster 1; Student - Depth
Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

Murdo's Story: A Legend from Northern Manitoba (Fiction). Scribe, Murdo. Pemmican Publications Inc. (PEM), 1986. 44 p. ISBN 0-19143-075.

Grade 4 - Cluster 5 – Canada's North – Yukon, NWT, Nunavut

- Stories, traditions, and changes in ways of life

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 5; Student - Depth
Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

A Name for a Métis (Picture Book). Delaronde, Deborah L. Pemmican Publications Inc. (PEM), 1999. ISBN 0-921827-65-2.

Grade 4 - Cluster 4 – History of Manitoba

- Contributions of diverse ethnic and cultural communities (Aboriginal, francophone, European)

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 4; Student - Depth
Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

The following eight books are part of the *Nanabosho Series*:

- The Birth of Nanabosho
- Nanabosho and the Cranberries
- Nanabosho Dances
- Nanabosho: How the Turtle Got Its Shell
- Nanabosho and Kitchie Odjig
- Nanabosho, Soaring Eagle and the Great Sturgeon
- Nanabosho Steals Fire
- Nanabosho and the Woodpecker

Nanabosho: The Birth of Nanabosho (Fiction). McLellan, Joseph. (Nanabosho Series). Pemmican Publications Inc. (PEM), 1989. 44 p. ISBN 0-921827-00-8.

Grade 4 - Cluster 4 – History of Manitoba

- Contributions of diverse ethnic and cultural communities (Aboriginal)

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 4; Student - Depth
Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

Nanabosho and the Cranberries (Fiction). McLellan, Joseph. (Nanabosho Series). Pemmican Publications Inc. (PEM), 1998. ISBN 0-921827-63-6.
Grade 4 - Cluster 4 – History of Manitoba

- Contributions of diverse ethnic and cultural communities (Aboriginal)

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 4; Student - Depth
Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

Nanabosho Dances (Fiction). McLellan, Joseph. (Nanabosho Series). Pemmican Publications Inc. (PEM), 1991. 52 p. ISBN 0-921827-14-8.

Grade 4 - Cluster 4 – History of Manitoba

- Contributions of diverse ethnic and cultural communities (Aboriginal)

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 4; Student - Depth
Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

Nanabosho: How the Turtle Got Its Shell (Fiction). McLellan, Joseph. (Nanabosho Series). Pemmican Publications Inc. (PEM), 1994. 24 p. ISBN 0-921827-40-7.

Grade 4 - Cluster 4 – History of Manitoba

- Contributions of diverse ethnic and cultural communities (Aboriginal)

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 4; Student - Depth
Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

Nanabosho and Kitchie Odjig (Fiction). McLellan, Joseph. (Nanabosho Series). Pemmican Publications Inc. (PEM), 1997. 48 p. ISBN 0-921827-58-X.

Grade 4 - Cluster 4 – History of Manitoba

- Contributions of diverse ethnic and cultural communities (Aboriginal)

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 4; Student - Depth
Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

Nanabosho, Soaring Eagle and the Great Sturgeon (Fiction). McLellan, Joseph. (Nanabosho Series). Pemmican Publications Inc. (PEM), 1993. 48 p. ISBN 0-921827-23-7.

Grade 4 - Cluster 4 – History of Manitoba

- Contributions of diverse ethnic and cultural communities (Aboriginal)

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 4; Student - Depth
Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

Nanabosho Steals Fire (Fiction). McLellan, Joseph. (Nanabosho Series). Pemmican Publications Inc. (PEM), 1990. 32 p. ISBN 0-921827-05-9.

Grade 4 - Cluster 4 – History of Manitoba

- Contributions of diverse ethnic and cultural communities (Aboriginal)

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 4; Student - Depth
Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

Nanabosho and the Woodpecker (Fiction). McLellan, Joseph. (Nanabosho Series). Pemmican Publications Inc. (PEM), 1995. 24 p. ISBN 0-921827-49-0.

Grade 4 - Cluster 4 – History of Manitoba

- Contributions of diverse ethnic and cultural communities (Aboriginal)

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 4; Student - Depth
Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

O Canada Puzzles for Kids Book 2 (Non-Fiction). Ross, Jesse. Bluefield Books (RAI), 2003. ISBN 1-894404-15-7.

Grade 4 - Cluster 2 – Geography of Canada

- Mapping

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 1; Student - Depth
Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

Our Country, Canada (Picture Book). Cario, Mary. Duval House Publishing (DHPB), 2001. 140 p. ISBN 1-55220-201-1.

Grade 4 - Cluster 1 – Geography of Canada

- Physical geography of Manitoba and Canada

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 1; Student - Depth
Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

The Peaceful School: Models That Work (Non-Fiction). Van Gorp, Hetty. Portage & Main Press (PEG), 2002. 115 p. ISBN 1-55379-000-6.

This teacher's reference fits the K–4 Manitoba Social Studies curriculum for the topics of conflict/bullying and Remembrance Day. The resource describes activities that would be useful for K–4 students to help them understand and promote a peaceful world.

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 2; Teacher Reference
Date Recommended: 2004-Aug-23

People and Plants: The Story of Corn: An Integrated Curriculum Unit for Grades 2 to 5 (Non-Fiction). Shay, Thomas, C.. St. Paul's College (SPT), 2004. 149 p.

Grade 4 – Cluster 4 – History of Manitoba

- Contributions of diverse ethnic and cultural communities (Aboriginal, francophone, European)

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 4; Teacher Reference
Date Recommended: 2004-Aug-23

Pomiuk, Prince of the North (Fiction). Walsh, Alice. Beach Holme Publishing Ltd. (LDC), 2004. 58 p. ISBN 0-88878-447-3.

Grade 4 – Cluster 5 – Canada's North – Yukon, NWT, Nunavut

- Stories, traditions and changes in ways of life in Canada's North

Note: Teacher Read-Aloud

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 - Cluster 5; Teacher Reference

Date Recommended: 2005-July-25

Prairie: A Natural History (Non-Fiction). Savage, Candace. Greystone Books (HCP), 2004. 308 p. ISBN 1-55054-985-5.

This teacher resource is recommended for Grades 2, 4, and 5. The clusters include:
Grade 2: Cluster 2: natural resources
Grade 4: Cluster 1: physical geography
Cluster 3: physical features
Grade 5: Cluster 1: mapping
Cluster 3: daily life (as background for the Fur Trade)

As a teacher reference, it discusses the Prairie in terms of a place in which to live with all the plants, insects, animals, and birds that co-exist there. The pictures/maps are colourful and the detailed content is well organized and easy to find. Black and white line drawings that illustrate the diversity of the Prairie are also included. The background information helps in dealing with environmental citizenship: (restoring and conserving the Prairie ecosystems). Integration with Science is supported.

Note: Teacher Background Information/Reference.

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 1; Grade 4 - Cluster 3; Teacher Reference

Date Recommended: 2004-Aug-23

A Prairie Boy's Summer (Fiction). Kurelek, William. Tundra Books Inc. (RAN), 1975. 48 p. ISBN 0-88776-116-X.

Grade 4 - Cluster 3 – Living in Manitoba

- Stories of events and individuals from the past

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 3; Student - Depth

Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

A Prairie Boy's Winter (Fiction). Kurelek, William. Tundra Books Inc. (RAN), 1973. 48 p. ISBN 0-88776-102-X.

Grade 4 - Cluster 3 – Living in Manitoba

- Stories of events and individuals from the past

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 3; Student - Depth
Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

Rachel, A Hutterite Girl (Fiction). Maendel, Rachel. Herald Press (Herald), 1999. 46 p. ISBN 0-8361-9119-6.

Grade 4 - Cluster 3 – Living in Manitoba

- People, places, and communities of Manitoba

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 3; Student - Depth
Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

Rand McNally Classroom Atlas of Canada and the World. Second Edition (Atlas). McNamara, Margaret. Rand McNally Canada (RNC), 2002. 48 p. ISBN 0-528-17779-X.

This softcover resource supports the study of Canada and the world in Clusters 1, 2, and 3 of the Manitoba **Grade 3** Social Studies curriculum, and Clusters 1, 2, 3, and 5 of the **Grade 4** Social Studies curriculum.

This atlas is skill-based, well organized, and user-friendly. It provides age-appropriate learning activities that could be further developed and/or adapted for Grade 3 or Grade 4 students. The activities appear to be relevant and meaningful to students.

This resource is current and accurate, and contains Canadian and Manitoba content. It includes useful graphics, diagrams, and illustrations, with subject matter that supports inclusion as well as promoting respect for

diversity. It offers a variety of learning strategies from diverse perspectives that show thoughtfulness and consideration of subject matter. It also supports multiple intelligences and active learning.

This resource promotes integration across other subject areas, and contains a glossary of geographical terms and a detailed index of locations. It contains clear headings and is well laid out.

Note: Teacher Background Information/Reference

Suggested Use: **Grade 3;** Grade 3 - Cluster 1; Grade 3 - Cluster 2; Grade 3 - Cluster 3;
Grade 4 Grade 4 - Cluster 1; Grade 4 - Cluster 2; Grade 4 - Cluster 3; Grade 4 - Cluster 5; Atlas - Systems International Metric Standards
Student - Breadth and Depth; Teacher Reference
Date Recommended: 2003-Mar-10

Rand McNally Classroom Atlas of Canada and the World Teacher's Guide (Atlas). McNamara, Margaret. Rand McNally Canada (RNC), 2001. 138 p. ISBN 0-88640-920-9.

This teacher resource package complements the student text *Classroom Atlas of Canada and the World*. This resource supports the study of Canada and the world in Clusters 1, 2, and 3 of the Manitoba **Grade 3** Social Studies curriculum, and Clusters 1, 2, 3, and 5 of the **Grade 4** curriculum.

It is skill-based, well organized, and user-friendly. It provides support for age-appropriate learning activities found in the textbook that could be further developed and/or adapted for these students.

It does not contain a glossary of geographical terms but it does have a detailed index that includes all the contents.

This resource is current and accurate, and contains Canadian and Manitoba content. It is well laid out with clear headings, and the three-ring binder format is very durable and convenient for teacher use.

Note: Teacher Background Information/Reference

Suggested Use: **Grade 3;** Grade 3 - Cluster 1; Grade 3 - Cluster 2; Grade 3 - Cluster 3;
Grade 4 Grade 4 - Cluster 1; Grade 4 - Cluster 2; Grade 4 - Cluster 3; Grade 4 - Cluster 5; Atlas - Systems International Metric Standards
Teacher Reference
Date Recommended: 2003-Mar-10

Seaside Alphabet (Non-Fiction). Grassby, Donna. Tundra Books Inc. (RAN), 2000. 32 p. ISBN 0-88776-438-X.

Grade 4 - Cluster 1 – Geography of Canada

- Physical geography

Suggested Use: **Grade 4;** Grade 4 - Cluster 1; Student - Depth
Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

See Saw Saskatchewan: More Playful Poems From Coast to Coast (Picture Book). Heidbreder, Robert. Kids Can Press (KCP), 2003. 32 p. ISBN 1-55337-392-8.

Grade 4 - Cluster 1 – Geography of Canada

- Mapping (graphic regions, oceans, major landforms, lakes, waterways, provinces, territories, capital cities)

Suggested Use: **Grade 4;** Grade 4 - Cluster 1; Student - Depth
Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

Skysisters (Picture Book). Waboose, Jan Bourdeau. Kids Can Press (KCP), 2000. ISBN 1-55074-699-5.

Grade 4 - Cluster 3 – Living in Manitoba

- Physical features

Suggested Use: **Grade 4;** Grade 4 – Cluster 3; Student - Depth
Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

Tapping the Gift (*Out-of-Print*) (Non-Fiction). Wheeler, Jordan. Pemmican Publications Inc. (PEM), 1991. 100 p. ISBN 0-921827-04-0.

Grade 4 - Cluster 4 – History of Manitoba

- Contributions of diverse ethnic and cultural communities

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 4; Teacher Reference

Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

Tools for Learning for Kids (Series). Arnold, Phyllis A. Nelson, a division of Thomson Canada, Limited (NEL), 2006.

- Tools for Learning: Book 1; Doing Research (ISBN 1-896081-51-7)
 - Managing Information and Ideas
- Tools for Learning: Book 2; Gathering Information (ISBN 1-896081-52-5)
 - Managing Information and Ideas
- Tools for Learning: Book 3; Looking At and Organizing Information (ISBN 1-896081-53-3)
 - Managing Information and Ideas
- Tools for Learning: Book 4; Passing on Information (ISBN 1-896081-54-1)
 - Managing Information and Ideas

The four-volume resource, full of “how to” ideas for research and study skills, could support all learners from grades 2 to 8.

The tools for reading in the content areas are useful for English language arts, social studies, science, mathematics, art, and drama. This colourful, well-organized resource highlights key words and employs excellent graphic organizers. There are 100 tools throughout the four books which include: portfolios, note-taking, bibliography production, cause and effect charts, making timelines, point of view, reading fiction and non-fiction, writing essays, and web page production.

Teacher Note: The content in the four volumes is highly relevant for Grades 2 to 8 students; however, the visuals may not be as

age appropriate for grades 7 and 8 students as they are for younger students.

Suggested Use: Grade 2; Grade 2 – Cluster 1; Grade 2 – Cluster 2; Grade 2 – Cluster 3;

Grade 3; Grade 3 – Cluster 1; Grade 3 – Cluster 2; Grade 3 – Cluster 3; Grade 3 – Cluster 4;

Grade 4; Grade 4 - Cluster 1; Grade 4 – Cluster 2; Grade 4 – Cluster 3; Grade 4 – Cluster 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 5;

Grade 5; Grade 5 - Cluster 1; Grade 5 – Cluster 2; Grade 5 – Cluster 3; Grade 5 – Cluster 4;

Grade 6; Grade 6 - Cluster 1; Grade 6 – Cluster 2; Grade 6 – Cluster 3; Grade 6 – Cluster 4;

Grade 7; Grade 7 - Cluster 1; Grade 7 – Cluster 2; Grade 7 – Cluster 3; Grade 7 – Cluster 4;

Grade 8; Grade 8 - Cluster 1; Grade 8 – Cluster 2; Grade 8 – Cluster 3; Grade 8 – Cluster 4; Grade 8 – Cluster 5;

Student – Depth; Teacher Reference

Date Recommended: 2006-July-20

The following five books are part of the *A True Book Series*:

- Lake Erie
- Lake Huron
- Lake Ontario
- Lake Superior
- St. Lawrence Seaway

A True Book: Lake Erie (Non-Fiction).

Armbruster, Ann. (*A True Book Series*). Scholastic Canada Ltd. (SCH), 1996. 48 p. ISBN 0-516-26102-9.

Grade 4 - Cluster 1 – Geography of Canada

- Mapping (geographic regions, oceans, major landforms, lakes, waterways, provinces, territories, capital cities)

Note: American geographical perspective – limited information relating to Canada.

Suggested Use: Grade 4; Grade 4 – Cluster 1; Student - Depth

Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

A True Book: Lake Huron (Non-Fiction).
Armbruster, Ann. (A True Book Series). Scholastic
Canada Ltd. (SCH), 1996. 48 p. ISBN 0-516-26103-7.

Grade 4 - Cluster 1 – Geography of Canada

- Mapping (geographic regions, oceans, major landforms, lakes, waterways, provinces, territories, capital cities)

Note: Terminology – American perspective.
Limited geographical points/areas of Canada.

Suggested Use: **Grade 4;** Grade 4 –
Cluster 1; Student - Depth
Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

A True Book: Lake Ontario (Non-Fiction).
Armbruster, Ann. (A True Book Series). Scholastic
Canada Ltd. (SCH), 1996. 48 p. ISBN 0-516-20014-3.

Grade 4 - Cluster 1 – Geography of Canada

- Mapping (geographic regions, oceans, major landforms, lakes, waterways, provinces, territories, capital cities)

Note: Terminology – American perspective.

Suggested Use: **Grade 4;** Grade 4 –
Cluster 1; Student - Depth
Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

A True Book: Lake Superior (Non-Fiction).
Armbruster, Ann. (A True Book Series). Scholastic
Canada Ltd. (SCH), 1996. 48 p. ISBN 0-516-26106-1.

Grade 4 - Cluster 1 – Geography of Canada

- Mapping (geographic regions, oceans, major landforms, lakes, waterways, provinces, territories, capital cities)

Note: Terminology – American perspective.

Suggested Use: **Grade 4;** Grade 4 –
Cluster 1; Student - Depth
Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

A True Book: St. Lawrence Seaway (Non-
Fiction). Armbruster, Ann. (A True Book Series).
Scholastic Canada Ltd. (SCH), 1996. 48 p.
ISBN 0-516-26114-2.

Grade 4 - Cluster 1 – Geography of Canada

- Mapping (geographic regions, oceans, major landforms, lakes, waterways, provinces, territories, capital cities)

Note: Terminology – American perspective.

Suggested Use: **Grade 4;** Grade 4 –
Cluster 1; Student - Depth
Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

Under a Prairie Sky (Picture Book). Carter,
Anne. Orca Book Publishers Ltd. (ORC), 2002.
ISBN 1-55143-226-9.

Grade 4 - Cluster 1 – Geography of Canada

- Physical geography of Manitoba and Canada
- Mapping (geographic regions, oceans, major landforms, lakes, waterways, provinces, territories, capital cities)

Suggested Use: **Grade 4;** Grade 4 –
Cluster 1; Student - Depth
Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

**Willy: The Curious Frog From Pruden's
Bog** (Picture Book). Anderson, Grant S..
Pemmican Publications Inc. (PEM), 2002. 42 p.
ISBN 1-894717-15-5.

Grade 4 - Cluster 3 – Living in Manitoba

- Environmental stewardship and sustainability

Suggested Use: **Grade 4;** Grade 4 –
Cluster 3; Student - Depth
Date Recommended: 2003-Aug-25

Grade 4: Alphabetical List of Resources by Cluster

Note: Some resources are listed under more than one cluster.

Grade 4 - Cluster 1

The Big Book of Canada: Exploring the Provinces and Territories
Eenie Meenie Manitoba: Playful Poems for Coast to Coast
The Great Canadian Adventure: An Introduction to Canada Teacher's Manual
The Great Canadian Adventure: Book 1: The Contest
The Great Canadian Adventure: Book 2: Location
The Great Canadian Adventure: Book 3: Our Country, Canada
The Great Canadian Adventure: Book 4: Provinces and Territories
The Great Canadian Adventure: Book 5: Proud to be Canadian
The Great Canadian Adventure: Set A Learning Cards
Hands-on Social Studies Grade Four
Heartland: A Prairie Sampler
InfoCanada: Geographical Regions: Appalachian Highland
InfoCanada: Geographical Regions: St. Lawrence Lowland
InfoCanada: Geographical Regions: Teacher's Guide
InfoCanada: Geographical Regions: The Arctic
InfoCanada: Geographical Regions: The Canadian Shield
InfoCanada: Geographical Regions: The Cordillera
InfoCanada: Geographical Regions: The Great Lakes Lowland
InfoCanada: Geographical Regions: The Interior Plains
InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories: Alberta
InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories: British Columbia
InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories: Manitoba
InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories: New Brunswick
InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories: Newfoundland and Labrador
InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories: Northwest Territories
InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories: Nova Scotia
InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories: Nunavut
InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories: Ontario
InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories: Prince Edward Island
InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories: Quebec
InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories: Saskatchewan
InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories: Teacher's Guide
InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories: Yukon
The Kid's Book of Canada
Meet the Group of Seven
A Mountain Alphabet
O Canada Puzzles for Kids Book 2
Our Country, Canada
Prairie: A Natural History
Rand McNally Classroom Atlas of Canada and the World
Rand McNally Classroom Atlas of Canada and the World Teacher's Guide
Seaside Alphabet
See Saw Saskatchewan: More Playful Poems From Coast to Coast
A True Book: Lake Erie

Grade 4: Alphabetical List of Resources by Cluster

Grade 4 - Cluster 1 (continued)

A True Book: Lake Huron
A True Book: Lake Ontario
A True Book: Lake Superior
A True Book: St. Lawrence Seaway
[Tools for Learning for Kids Books 1-4](#)
Under the Prairie Sky

Grade 4 - Cluster 2

All About Canadian Citizenship: Becoming a Canadian Citizen
All About Canadian Citizenship: Canadian Celebrations and Traditions
All About Canadian Citizenship: Children's Rights and Responsibilities
All About Canadian Citizenship: Citizen Participation
All About Canadian Citizenship: Conflict Resolution
All About Canadian Citizenship: Local Government
All About Canadian Citizenship: Making Laws
All About Canadian Citizenship: Teacher's Guide
All About Canadian Citizenship: The National Anthem
All About Canadian Citizenship: The Prime Minister
All About Canadian Citizenship: Voting
The Big Book of Canada: Exploring the Provinces and Territories
Canada Votes: How We Elect Our Government
Canada's Maple Leaf: The Story of Our Flag
The Great Canadian Adventure: An Introduction to Canada Teacher's Manual
The Great Canadian Adventure: Book 1: The Contest
The Great Canadian Adventure: Book 2: Location
The Great Canadian Adventure: Book 3: Our Country, Canada
The Great Canadian Adventure: Book 4: Provinces and Territories
The Great Canadian Adventure: Book 5: Proud to be Canadian
The Great Canadian Adventure: Set A Learning Cards
Hands-on Social Studies Grade Four
In Flanders Fields
Kids Make A Difference: Kids Communicate
InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories: Alberta
InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories: British Columbia
InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories: Manitoba
InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories: New Brunswick
InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories: Newfoundland and Labrador
InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories: Northwest Territories
InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories: Nova Scotia
InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories: Nunavut
InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories: Ontario
InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories: Prince Edward Island
InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories: Quebec
InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories: Saskatchewan
InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories: Teacher's Guide

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InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories: Yukon
In the Global Classroom 1
Is That Right? Critical Thinking and the Social World of the Young Learner
The Peaceful School: Models That Work
Rand McNally Classroom Atlas of Canada and the World
Rand McNally Classroom Atlas of Canada and the World Teacher's Guide
[Tools for Learning for Kids Books 1-4](#)

Grade 4 - Cluster 3

Geographical Names of Manitoba
The Great Canadian Adventure: An Introduction to Canada Teacher's Manual
The Great Canadian Adventure: Book 1: The Contest
The Great Canadian Adventure: Book 2: Location
The Great Canadian Adventure: Book 3: Our Country, Canada
The Great Canadian Adventure: Book 4: Provinces and Territories
The Great Canadian Adventure: Book 5: Proud to be Canadian
The Great Canadian Adventure: Set A Learning Cards
Hands-on Social Studies Grade Four: Manitoba: Past and Present
[The Hutterite Community Cookbook \(Out-of-Print\)](#)
InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories: Manitoba
In the Global Classroom 1
Lessons from Turtle Island: Native Curriculum in Early Childhood Classrooms
Li Minoush
Mistehay Sakahegan, the Great Lake: The Beauty and Treachery of Lake Winnipeg
Morning on the Lake
Prairie: A Natural History
A Prairie Boy's Summer
A Prairie Boy's Winter
Rachel, A Hutterite Girl
Rand McNally Classroom Atlas of Canada and the World
Rand McNally Classroom Atlas of Canada and the World Teacher's Guide
Skysisters
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Willy: The Curious Frog from Pruden's Bog

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All About...Famous Canadians From Manitoba
Flower Sack Flora
The Flower Beadwork People
The Great Canadian Adventure: An Introduction to Canada Teacher's Manual
The Great Canadian Adventure: Book 1: The Contest
The Great Canadian Adventure: Book 2: Location
The Great Canadian Adventure: Book 3: Our Country, Canada

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The Great Canadian Adventure: Book 4: Provinces and Territories
The Great Canadian Adventure: Book 5: Proud to be Canadian
The Great Canadian Adventure: Set A Learning Cards
Hands-on Social Studies Grade Four: Manitoba: Past and Present
InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories: Manitoba
Into the Sun
Li Minoush
Little Métis and the Métis Sash
A Name for a Métis
Nanabosho: The Birth of Nanabosho
Nanabosho: How the Turtle Got Its Shell
Nanabosho and Kitchie Odjig
Nanabosho and the Cranberries
Nanabosho and the Woodpecker
Nanabosho Dances
Nanabosho Steals Fire
Nanabosho, Soaring Eagle and the Great Sturgeon
People and Plants: The Story of Corn: An Integrated Curriculum Unit for Grades 2 to 5
Tapping the Gift (Out-of-Print)
Tools for Learning for Kids Books 1-4

Grade 4 - Cluster 5

All About...Famous Canadians From Nunavut
Baseball Bats for Christmas
Canadian Cities: Whitehorse: The Klondike Capital
Canadian Sites and Symbols: Northwest Territories
The Cremation of Sam McGee
Critical Challenges Across the Curriculum: The Resourcefulness of the Inuit
The Great Canadian Adventure: An Introduction to Canada Teacher's Manual
The Great Canadian Adventure: Book 1: The Contest
The Great Canadian Adventure: Book 2: Location
The Great Canadian Adventure: Book 3: Our Country, Canada
The Great Canadian Adventure: Book 4: Provinces and Territories
The Great Canadian Adventure: Book 5: Proud to be Canadian
The Great Canadian Adventure: Set A Learning Cards
Hands-on Social Studies Grade Four
InfoCanada: Geographical Regions: Appalachian Highland
InfoCanada: Geographical Regions: St. Lawrence Lowland
InfoCanada: Geographical Regions: Teacher's Guide
InfoCanada: Geographical Regions: The Arctic
InfoCanada: Geographical Regions: The Canadian Shield
InfoCanada: Geographical Regions: The Cordillera
InfoCanada: Geographical Regions: The Great Lakes Lowland
InfoCanada: Geographical Regions: The Interior Plains
InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories: Northwest Territories
InfoCanada: Provinces and Territories: Nunavut

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The Inuksuk Book

The Kid's Book of the Far North

Murdo's Story: A Legend From Northern Manitoba

Pomiuk, Prince of the North

Rand McNally Classroom Atlas of Canada and the World

Rand McNally Classroom Atlas of Canada and the World Teacher's Guide

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