

### Suggested Reading List for Middle School Directors

This list was compiled and edited by an Ad-Hoc committee from surveys taken by middle school and junior high directors at TETA over two years. This list is intended to be a **RESOURCE ONLY**. **Not all plays on this list are approved by UIL for contest.** Plays in the unapproved section may be submitted for approval but **approval is up to the discretion of the play reading committee.**

Currently Approved		
Play	Playwright	Publisher
Anatomy of Gray	Jim Leonard	Samuel French
And A Child Shall Lead	Michael Slade	Playscripts
Anne Frank and Me	Cherie Bennett	Dramatic Publishing
Antigone Now	Melissa Cooper	Playscripts
Chemical Imbalance	Lauren Wilson	Dramatists
Do Not Go Gentle	Suzan Zeder	Dramatic Publishing
Emperor's New Clothes	Greg Atkins	Samuel French
A Girl Called Opal	Robert Lindsey Nassif	Samuel French
The Honorable Urashima Taro	Coleman Jennings	Dramatic Publishing
John Lennon and Me	Cherie Bennett	Dramatic Publishing
Kamikaze Kate	John Summons	Dramatic Publishing
Lafayette No. 1	Mandy Connor	Playscripts
The Little Princess	RN Sandberg	Dramatic Publishing
The Magic Well	Herman Ammann	Dramatic Publishing
Marvelous Playbill	Tim Kelly	Dramatic Publishing
The Masque of Beauty and The Beast	Michael Brill	Anchorage
My Three Angels	Samuel Spewack	Various Publishers
Oz	Don Zolidis	Playscripts
Peter/Wendy	Jeremy Bloom	Playscripts
To See the Stars	Cynthia Mercati	Dramatic Publishing

Small Actors	Stephen Gregg	Dramatic Publishing
Small World of Millie McIvor	Ronald Burke	Dramatic Publishing
Still Life with Iris	Steven Dietz	Dramatic Publishing
Tell me You Love Me Junie Moon	D.D. Brooke	Dramatic Publishing
A Thousand Cranes	Kathryn Schultze-Miller	Dramatic Publishing
The Ugly Duckling	A.A. Milne	Samuel French
Wild Strawberries	Jerry Ayers	Internet Script
Wiley and the Hairy Man	Suzan Zeder	Anchorage
Yellow Boat	David Saar	Anchorage
Zink: the Myth, the Legend, the Zebra	Cherie Bennett	Dramatic Publishing

Need UIL Approval		
Play	Playwright	Publisher
Ago	Mandy Connor	Playscripts
937	Don Zolidis	Playscripts
The Audition*	Don Zolidis	Playscripts
Bless Cricket, Crest Toothpaste, and Tommy Tune	Linda Daugherty	Dramatic Publishing
Dorothy Meets Alice	Joseph Robinette	Dramatic Publishing
Dr. Sooney's Medicine	Jenny Cook and Lorraine Thompson	Heuer
Everyman and The Circus of Life	Travis Tyre	Dramatic Publishing
The Firecracker Incident	Don Zolidis	Dramatic Publishing

Game of Tiaras*	Don Zolidis	Playscripts
Gathering Blue	Lois Lowry adapted by Eric Coble	Dramatic Publishing
Governing Alice	C. Denby Swanson	Playscripts
Hush Little Celia, Don't Say a Word	Joseph Wallace	SamuelFrench
James and the Giant Peach	Roald Dahl dramatized by Richard R. George	Dramatic Publishing
The Penny Dreadfuls	Ray Sheers	Heuer
Perfect	Alan Haehnel	Playscripts
The Rehearsal	Don Zolidis	Playscripts
The Staggering Heartbreak of Jasmine Merriweather	Don Zolidis	Playscripts
The Very UnMerry Adventures of Robin Hood	Patrick Green	Playscripts
Walk Two Moons	Tom Arvetis	Dramatic Publishing

\*Plays marked with an asterisk have a mixed record of approvals/disapprovals through the UIL play reading committee. Proceed with caution.