

Lesson 6: Ways to Choose New Books

Supplies Needed:

- Ways We Can Pick Books Anchor Chart
- 2-3 books to demonstrate how to choose a new book
- “Why I Chose...” Exit Ticket
- Individual student book bags or baskets

Procedure:

- Gather the students and ask them how they know what kinds of books to put into their book bags while they are searching the classroom library.
- Display the Ways We Can Pick Books anchor chart and validate the answers from the chart that the students have shared.
- Discuss the other ways from the chart that the students did not share.
- Call for a volunteer to stand in front of the group and use the chart to decide if one of the books you have is one that they would put into their book baggie. If the student actually is interested in the book, after following the chart, he/she should be able to keep it for his/her book bag.
- Do the same with the remaining two books – giving students the chance to decide if it would be a good book to add to their book bag.
- Show and discuss the Exit Ticket for today. Let students know that you will expect a ticket from each and every student by the week’s end so that you can see if they are using the strategies from the anchor chart to help them decide.

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