English 2330.001: Introduction to Children’s Literature
Fall 2021
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IVC: Tues-Thurs 9:10-10:30

A semester long trip through the wild and wacky world of Children’s Literature. The list of required texts is below and other texts will be available via pdf files in Canvas or Perusall. I’ll give a fuller introduction on the first day of class. We’ll starting with fairy tales, and I will provide you with all the materials you need for the first two weeks of class. I recommend waiting to buy the books for the course until we’ve met for the first time (there are some options I’d like to explain).

Course work will include Canvas discussions, group presentations, and informal writing in a variety of formats. Attendance for the Tues-Thurs Zoom classes is mandatory.

Required Texts:

*Alice’s Adventures in Wonderland; Through the Looking-Glass; What Alice Found There*
By Carroll, Lewis
This book is available digitally through Inclusive Access or on the shelf in the Campus Store

*Mary Poppins*
By Travers, P. L.
Publisher: Houghton Mifflin Harcourt Publishing Company
This book is available digitally through Inclusive Access or on the shelf in the Campus Store
Roll of Thunder, Hear My Cry
By Taylor, Mildred D.
Publisher: Penguin Young Readers Group
This book is available digitally through Inclusive Access or on the shelf in the Campus Store.

Tuesday
By Wiesner, David
Publisher: Houghton Mifflin Harcourt Publishing Company
This book is available digitally through Inclusive Access or on the shelf in the Campus Store.

Birchbark House
By Erdrich, Louise
Publisher: Hachette B
A print copy of this book is available through the Campus Store and at other online booksellers. It is currently not available in digital format.

Wishtree
By Applegate, Katherine
Please do not buy a physical copy of this book. You will be purchasing it digitally through Perusall.
I will explain more about this on the first day of class.