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# Think Outside the Book: Create Context with Reading Treks



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YOURSELF IN  
THE CHAT!**

**ISTE**

**(International Society for Technology in Education)**

**Educator Standard 1B:**

**Educators pursue professional interests by creating and actively participating in local and global learning networks.**



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# Today's Goals

ISTE Standards for Educators Emphasis:  
1A; 1B; 2C; 5A; 5B

Participants will:

1. Understand how to use Reading Treks in the classroom;
2. Learn how Reading Treks are created; and
3. Plan a new Reading Trek you will create for your instructional setting.



Use maps, pictures, videos and other information to make a deeper connection.





How do you make real life connections to what your students are reading?



## Reading Treks:

- Map
- Instructional Guide

# Ideas for Using Reading Treks

Introduce a book

Create as a class

Post reading activity

Student creation

A photograph of three children sitting on a patterned surface, looking intently at tablets or smartphones they are holding. The child in the center is a young girl with long dark hair, and the child on the right is a boy. The child on the left is partially visible.

# Choosing a Book



## REAL PLACES

Make sure the book has actual geographic locations that can be found on a map.



## MULTIPLE LOCATIONS

Needs to have separate locations, not locations within the same building.



## SUPPORTING MATERIALS

You need to be able to gather supporting materials for each place in the book.



## Finding Materials and Copyright:

- Wikimedia
- Pixabay
- Europeana
- Flickr



# Assembling Your Trek

# Using the Paul Revere Trek

- Go to Padlet
- Add a post with an activity idea
- Comment on another post



# Cross-Curricular Connections

(Social Studies)  
The 57 Bus - Learn  
about judicial  
process at iCivics

(Art) - The Journey  
of York - Make an  
image collage

(Math) A Year  
Down Yonder -  
Make fork cookies

(Physical Ed)  
Nadia - Practice  
Yoga or tumbling  
activities

(Activism)  
Refugee - Collect  
"Spare change for  
change"

(Art) Mr. Popper's  
Penguins - Make  
paper penguins


(Math) Around the  
World right now -  
Make a sundial

(Social Studies)  
Harriet the Spy -  
Compare cities  
and suburbs

(Social Studies) -  
American born  
Chinese - Make a  
list of resources in  
the community



# Crowd Sourced Book Suggestions

- Go to <https://bit.ly/ISTE2021MyMap>
- Use the search bar at the top to find your location.
- Select + Add to Map.
- Click on the edit icon (  ).
- Change the pin title to the title of the book.
- Add your name in the description.

**\*\*Bonus points for adding an image/video.\*\***





# Reflection



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