MINI-GRANT SETS FOR NCTA TEACHERS 2018-19

For your mini-grant, you have two options. You can create a list of the teaching materials that you want for your classroom and/or your school OR you can select one of the pre-approved sets below.

OPTION 1: Customized Mini-grant
1. Use the University of Pittsburgh’s East Asia Gateway for Linking Educators (EAGLE) (http://www.eagle.pitt.edu/) to explore materials to include as part of your mini-grant order (you are not limited to items listed on the EAGLE, however). Many materials listed on this website include full descriptions of the items, URLs to purchasing sites like Amazon.com, and reviews by other teachers.
2. Completely fill out the Mini-Grant Order form and submit it to your seminar leader for approval.
3. Once your mini-grant request has been approved, NCTA will order the materials for you and send them to your seminar leader. You will receive the materials at your follow-up session for the NCTA seminar.

Please Note: These sets should cost around $100 excluding shipping. Please be aware of the fact that prices change, however. We order on Amazon using Amazon Prime as much as possible. Please do not submit an order using multiple “other sellers” through Amazon as these incur shipping charges. You may, of course, order through sources other than Amazon.

OPTION 2: Pre-Approved Mini-grant Sets
1. You may choose one of the Pre-Approved Mini-grant Sets (listed below, or found on our website at http://www.ucis.pitt.edu/ncta/minigrants.html). However, two teachers from the same school should not select the same set. Teachers should check with any previous NCTA alumni at their school to make sure that the materials from whatever sets they order are not duplicating materials the school already has. You always have the option to create a list that meets your needs and the needs of your school better (Option 1 above).
2. Completely fill out the Mini-Grant Order form and submit it to your seminar leader for approval, checking the appropriate “Pre-Approved Mini-grant Set” box.
3. All of these materials listed in these sets can be found on the EAGLE, where you will find full descriptions of the items, URLs to purchasing sites like Amazon.com, and reviews by other teachers. (http://www.eagle.pitt.edu/)
4. Once your mini-grant request has been approved, NCTA will order the materials for you and send them to your seminar leader. You will receive the materials at your follow-up session for the NCTA seminar.
SET A: FOR HIGH SCHOOL LEVEL

Book/Korea: *Every Falling Star: The True Story of How I Survived and Escaped North Korea* by Sungju Lee [$9.99]
- Publisher: Harry N. Abrams
- Date: 2016
- ISBN: 1419721321
- Winner of the 2017 Freeman Book Award for Young Adult/High School Literature

Book/Korea: *Who Ate Up All the Shinga* by Park Wan-Suh [$27.98 hardcover]
- Publisher: Oxford University Press
- Date: 1997 revised edition (paperback)
- ISBN: 0231148984

- Publisher: Oxford University Press
- Date: 1997 (paperback; revised edition)
- ISBN: 0195112075

Book/Japan: *Japanese Literature: From Murasaki to Murakami* by Marvin Marcus [$8.00]
- Publisher: Association for Asian Studies, Key Issues in Asian Studies
- ISBN-10: 0924304774

DVD/China: *China: A Century of Revolution (Three Disc Set)* [$22.99]
- Zeitgeist Films (2007) [available from the distributor]
- ASIN: B000Q7ZOLC

- PBS, 2005
- ASIN: B000BITU2K

SET B: FOR MIDDLE SCHOOL LEVEL

Book/Japan: *The Night Parade* by Kathryn Tanguary [$5.00]
- Publisher: Sourcebooks Jabberwocky, reprint edition
- Date: 2017
- ISBN: 149262327X
- Winner of the 2017 Freeman Book Award for Young Adult/Middle School Literature
Book/Japan: *Falling into the Dragon’s Mouth* by Holly Thomson. [$9.89]  
Publisher: Henry Hold and Co.  
Date: 2016  
ISBN: 1627791345  
Honorable Mention, 2017 Freeman Book Award for Young Adult/Middle School Literature

Book/China: *Bronze and Sunflower* by Cao Wenxuan [$11.89]  
Publisher: Candlewick  
Date: 2017  
ISBN: 0763688169

Book/China: *Boxers and Saints* boxed set by Gene Luen Yang [$21.38]  
Publisher: First Second; Box edition (2013)  
Date: 2013  
ISBN: 1596439246

Book/Korea: *When My Name was Keoko* by Linda Sue Park [$7.89]  
Publisher: HMH Books for Young Readers, Reprint edition  
Date: 2012  
ISBN: 0547722397

Book/East Asia: *Key Issues in Asian Studies: East Asian Societies* by W. Lawrence Neuman [$10.00]  
Publisher: Association for Asian Studies, Key Issues in Asian Studies  

DVD/China: *Secrets of the Forbidden City* [$13.61]  
PBS Distribution (2017)  
ASIN: B07577TH9C

DVD/Japan: *Kokoyaku* (High School Baseball; documentary) [$19.95]  
CustomFlix (2006)  
ASIN: B000GYI2H8

**SET C: FOR ELEMENTARY/INTERMEDIATE LEVEL**

Book/Japan: *The Funny Little Woman* (Picture Puffins) by Arlene Mosel  
Publisher: Puffin Books; Reissue edition (1993) [$5.99]  
Date: 1993  
ISBN: 0140547533

Book/China: *Daisy Comes Home* by Jan Brett [$6.99]  
Publisher: Puffin  
Date: 2005  
ISBN: 978-0142402702
Book/China: *The Emperor and the Kite* by Jane Yolen [$6.99]
- Publisher: Philomel
- Date: 1988
- ISBN-10: 0399214992

Book/China: *Lon Po Po: A Red-Riding Hood Story* from China by Ed Young [$7.99]
- Publisher: Puffin
- Date: 1996 edition
- ISBN-10: 0698113829

Book/Korea: *The Legend of Hong Kil Dong: The Robinhood of Korea* by Anne Sibley O'Brien [$8.95]
- Publisher: Charlesbrigde
- Date: 2008
- ISBN-10: 1580893031

Book/Korea: *The Firekeeper’s Son* by Linda Sue Park [currently: $6.99]
- Publisher: Sandpiper
- Date: 2009 edition
- ISBN-10: 0547237693

Book/Japan: *Sadako and the Thousand Paper Cranes* by Eleanor Coerr [$6.85]
- Publisher: Puffin
- Date: 2004 edition
- ISBN-10: 0142401137

Book/Japan: *The Crane Girl* [$14.73]
- Publisher: Shen’s Books
- Date: 2017
- ISBN: 1885008570
- Winner of the 2017 Freeman Book Award for Children’s Literature

Book/East Asia: *East Asian Societies* by W. Lawrence Neuman [$8.00]
- Publisher: Association for Asian Studies, Key Issues in Asian Studies

DVD/China: *Wild China* [$13.50]
- Produced by: BBC Home Entertainment.
- Date: 2008, ASIN: B0016I0AH8

DVD/Japan: *My Neighbor Totoro (Japan)* [$13.99]
- By Hayao Miyzaki;
- Distributed by Disney Presents Studio Ghibli
- Date: 2010, ASIN: B002ZTQV8Y