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Teaching About Evolution and the Nature of Science - National Academy of Sciences - 1998-05-06

Today many school students are shielded from one of the most important concepts in modern science: evolution. In engaging and conversational style, Teaching About Evolution and the Nature of Science provides a well-structured framework for understanding and teaching evolution. Written for teachers, parents, and community officials as well as scientists and educators, this book describes how evolution reveals both the great diversity and similarity among the Earth’s organisms; it explores how scientists approach the question of evolution; and it illustrates the nature of science as a way of knowing about the natural world. In addition, the book provides answers to frequently asked questions about issues and misconceptions about evolution. The book includes sample activities for teaching about evolution and the nature of science. For example, the book includes activities that investigate fossil footprints and population growth that teachers of science can use to introduce principles of evolution. Background information, materials, and step-by-step presentations are provided for each activity. In addition, this volume: Presents the evidence for evolution, including how evolution can be observed today. Explains the nature of science through a variety of examples. Describes how science differs from other human endeavors and why evolution is one of the best avenues for helping students understand this distinction. Answers frequently asked questions about evolution. Teaching About Evolution and the Nature of Science builds on the 1996 National Science Education Standards released by the National Research Council--and offers detailed guidance on how to evaluate and choose instructional materials that support the standards. Comprehensive and practical, this book brings one of today’s educational challenges into focus in a balanced and reasoned discussion. It will be of special interest to teachers of science, school administrators, and interested members of the community.

The Age of Sustainable Development - Jeffrey D. Sachs - 2015-03-03

Jeffrey D. Sachs is one of the world’s most perceptive and original analysts of global development. In a report combining empirical and practical foundations for how global citizens can use a holistic way forward to address the seemingly intractable worldwide problems of persistent extreme poverty, environmental degradation, and political-economic injustice: sustainable development. Sachs offers readers, students, activists, environmentalists, and policy makers the tools, metrics, and practical pathways they need to achieve Sustainable Development Goals. Far more than a rhetorical exercise, this book is designed to inform, inspire, and spur action. Based on Sachs’s twelve years as director of the Earth Institute at Columbia University, his thirteen years advising the United Nations secretary-general on the Millennium Development Goals, and his recent presentation of these ideas in a popular online course, The Age of Sustainable Development is a landmark publication and clarion call for all who care about our planet and global justice. Visit http://cup.columbia.edu/extras/supplement/sachs-9780231173148 for additional teaching materials for students and instructors, including chapter summaries, key concepts, problem sets, and slides.
With the intrigue of a psychological thriller, Camus’s masterpiece gives us *The Stranger* Matthew Ward. “the nakedness of man faced with the absurd” and describes the condition of recklessness alienation and spiritual exhaustion that characterized so much of twentieth-century life. First published in 1946; now in translation by Matthew Ward.

**U.S. History** - P. Scott Corbett - 2017-12-19
Published by OpenStax College. U.S. History covers the breadth of the chronological history of the United States and also provides the necessary depth to ensure the course is manageable for instructors and students alike. U.S. History is designed to meet the scope and sequence requirements of most courses. The authors introduce key forces and major developments that together form the American experience, with particular attention paid to considering issues of race, class and gender. The text provides a balanced approach to U.S. history, considering the people, events and ideas that have shaped the United States from both the top down (politics, economics, diplomacy) and bottom up (eyewitness accounts, lived experience).

**ANTHEM** - Ayn Rand - 101-01-01
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**Principles of Microeconomics for AP Courses** - Steven A Greenlaw - 2018
Principles of Microeconomics for AP(R) Courses covers scope and sequence requirements for an Advanced Placement(R) microeconomics course and is listed on the College Board’s AP(R) example textbook list. The text includes many current examples, which are presented in a politically equitable way. The outcome is a balanced approach to the theory and application of economics concepts. The images in this textbook are grayscale. Advanced Placement(R) and AP(R) are trademarks registered and/or owned by the College Board, which was not involved in the production of, and does not endorse, this product.

**Business Communication** - Peter Cardon - 2016-10-13
The Business Communication field is at a crossroads as communication technologies are reshaping how people communicate in the workplace. "Business Communication: Developing Leaders for a Networked World," by Peter Cardon, puts students at the center of business communication through the author's unique focus on credibility woven throughout the textbook chapters, forward looking vision built on traditional concepts, and practitioner and case-based approach. Students are more likely to read and reflect on the text, and are better positioned to understand the essentials of efficient and effective business communication, thereby transforming them into leaders for a networked world.