

Recommendations from Moms for Liberty - King County

It has become abundantly clear that our schools are more interested in indoctrination than education and spend more time on sexuality than civics. While not all families are able to homeschool, all families can teach truth at home and supplement or correct what their children might be learning at school.



Hazardous Tales by Nathan Hale: Yes, the author's real name is Nathan Hale. He has written a series of excellent graphic (comic book-style) novels on a variety of historical events ranging from World War I to the Alamo to the Donner Party. Kids love them. While I am not normally a fan of graphic novels, these explain complex information using pictures while maintaining high-level vocabulary and sentence structure. For grades 3-7.

The Story of the World by Susan Wise Bauer: The home-schooled author is an educator, historian and owner of four companies including the Well-Trained Mind Press. This particular series is a brief but engaging look at the history of humans from the earliest nomads to the end of the 20th century. The series is suitable as a read aloud for grades 1-2 and independent readers ranging from 3rd to 8th grade.



Rush Revere Series by Rush Limbaugh: Historical fiction suitable for readers from age 8 to 12 years, from our beloved conservative radio host. They cover topics ranging from the Pilgrims to the Presidents and from Paul Revere to the Star Spangled Banner.

The Tuttle Twins by Connor Boyack is a series of books and videos introducing kids to the great ideas of a free society. Topics include economics, civics, social principles and more - for ages 5-11. They are expanding selections to teach liberty and free-market principles to teens and even toddlers.



The Courageous Series, published by Voice of the Martyrs, is currently available at www.christianbook.com. During an age when “heroes” are chosen by how much money they make, their fame, “coming out” or how outrageous their latest tiktok challenge is, introduce your children to real heroes. This set of six books about heroes of the Christian faith is beautifully illustrated. Great for children ages 5-8.



Little can portray the horrors of fascism, communism or socialism better than the memories of those that actually lived through it or well-crafted stories of fictional characters thrust into chaotic or tragic events. Counteract the pro-socialism and anti-American message the children are getting in school by introducing them to the problems of totalitarianism. Consider reading them first, to determine if your child is ready for the content. I usually include a one-page write-up explaining the Christian and conservative view of fascism, socialism and communism. Trust me, that is not the message they are getting in government schools! Consider book titles such as:

Fascism:

Diary of Anne Frank
The Book Thief
Number the Stars
The Boy in the Striped Pajamas
The Hiding Place
Snow Treasure
Once, then and Now series

Socialism/Communism:

Red Scarf Girl
China's Son: Growing Up in the Cultural Revolution
The Endless Steppe
Animal Farm



Constitution Quest is a beautifully designed game available at www.constitutionquest.com. It is a fun way to learn and remember the Constitution.



www.classicalhistory.com has a variety of “Go Fish” cards that teach American history, Medieval History, American History and more.



Don't forget science kits (robotics, geology, chemistry and more) and fact cards for the car. Help them learn to differentiate between real science and ideology-driven consensus.

Supports and equipment like globes, binoculars, magnets, map puzzles, table placemats with math facts, shapes, colors and even the periodic table.



Don't neglect the **arts**. **Talk about what is worthy of listening to and what good art is.**



Schools are replacing **classic literature** with modern themes from diverse authors. Encourage the classics. Well-written books that have withstood the test of time expand vocabulary and not only allow children to explore great themes: adventure, love, courage etc but also provide them with cultural literacy. See reading lists from [Hillsdale](#) and [Core Knowledge](#).



Rather than material gifts, consider gifting your children and grandchildren experiences.

- Spend the day at a museum, take them for an evening with the symphony.
- Plan a vacation where they can explore real America: DC, Revolutionary or Civil War battlefields, Plymouth, Philadelphia or Boston.
- Watch movies and even TV with them and talk about the values of the characters, choices and consequences. Teach them to be discerning consumers of entertainment.

Grandparents, keep books, puzzles and games around the house for when the kiddos come to visit!

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