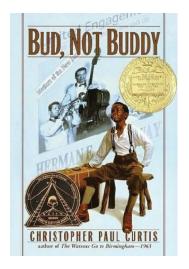
CHRISTOPHER PAUL CURTIS



BUD, NOT BUDDY



Thanks for looking at our complete teaching unit for Christopher Paul Curtis's fantastic novel, BUD, NOT BUDDY.

All 300+ pages/slides of activities, organizers, PowerPoints, and essays included in this bundle are designed to enhance your reading experience, save you (the teacher) prep time, and help your students enjoy and appreciate the novel that much more.

INCLUDED:

Pre-Reading Bias Activity (11 pages)

— CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RL.2

Google Earth Introduction Tour (40 locations)

— CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RL.29

Plot Chart Organizer Diagram Arc (1 page)

— CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RL.2

Conflict Graphic Organizer - 6 Types of Conflict (1 page)

CCSS.ÉLA-Literacy.RL.2

Characters Organizer (5 pages)

— CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RL.3

Settings Organizer (1 page)

CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RL.2

Symbols Organizer (8 pages)

- CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RL.2

Quickwrite Journal Writing Prompts - PwrPot (35 slides)

— CCSS.ELA-Literacy.W.1

Vocabulary Word Lists & Quizzes (18 pages)

— CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RL.4

Figurative Language PowerPoint (70 slides)

Figurative Language Analyzers (5 pages)

— ČCSS.ELA-Literacy.RL.4

— CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RL.7

Aesop's Fables Bedtime Stories (8 pages) — CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RL.7

Bud Caldwell's Rules & Things (2 pages)

— CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RL.7

Shenandoah Song Analysis (1 page)

— CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RL.7

Pop Quizzes (74 pages & slides)

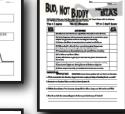
— CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RL.10

Persuasive Essay & Speech and Quotes Organizer (6 pgs)

— CCSS.ELA-Literacy.W.1

Movie vs. Novel Comparison (2 pages)



























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This is a suggested 7-week plan for students to study Christopher Paul Curtis's novel, BUD, NOT BUDDY. As with all teaching resources, this plan is for your reference and to give you ideas, and you should certainly adjust it according to your classroom's needs. This unit can be easily adjusted to meet the rigor of honors, regular, reading, or RSP students.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Hand out novel analysis packet - Plot, Conflict, Character, Essay	Read ch. 1	Read ch. 2	Read ch. 3	Vocabulary Quiz #1
Organizer, Etc.	Read Novel		· · · · · · · · ·	-
Pre-Reading Bias Activity	Quickwrite	Quickwrite	Quickwrite	Work on novel analysis organizers.
Read ch. 4-5	Read ch. 6 Aesop's Fables	Read ch. 7-8	Read ch. 8-9	Vocabulary Quiz #2
Stop to do quickwrites an	nd discussions whenever yo	ou reach the corresponding	g section of the novel.	
Quickwrite	Quickwrite	Quickwrite	Quickwrite	Work on novel analysis organizers.
Read ch. 10	Read ch. 11	Read ch. 12	Read ch. 12	Vocabulary
Work on Rules & Things Activity	। se Google Earth as you tra [,] ।	l vel along Bud's journeys to ı	l show the geography. I	Quiz #3
Quickwrite	Quickwrite	Quickwrite	Quickwrite	Work on novel analysis organizers.
Read ch. 13	Read ch. 14	Read ch. 15	Read ch. 16-17	Work on novel analysis organizers.
Give Comprehension Pop	Quizzes whenever studer	its had at-home reading or	you need to assess their u	-
Shenandoah Activity	Quickwrite	Quickwrite	Quickwrite	Vocabulary Quiz #4
Discuss the Essay/	Read ch. 18	Read ch. 19	Read Afterward	Vocabulary
Speech			Figurative Language Activity	Quiz #5
Start outlining essay/speech ideas	Quickwrite	Quickwrite	Quickwrite	Work on Essay/Speech
Work on Essay/Speech				Vocabulary
	Movie vs.	Novel Comp	arison	Quiz #6
	Watch the film and h	ave students compare the	movie to the novel.	Work on Essay/Speech
Quickwrite				11 31K 311 E33dy/ Speech
Work on Essay/Speech	Work on Essay/Speech		nis time can be used to rev	l ise their 1st drafts or peer
Symbols Activity		edit before they turn in th	ieir final versions.	



activities pedagogy BUD, NOT BUDDY

We know...opening that .zip folder to find all these cool resources can be a tad bit overwhelming. That's why we've explained the various activities in this unit and the Common Core standards each one accomplishes.

Activity	CC Standard	Pedagogy	
Google Earth Activity	Literacy.RL.9	Using free software available through Google.com, the class will enjoy a multimedia tour through the locations in the story. Many of them will be zoomed in to 3D, ground-level views. All of them will give the students a close-up view of the world's geography and how the locations can come to life as they see the world there in class.	
		Choose from a few options: (1) show them the tour of the world beforehand (withholding plot information to avoid spoilers) so they can see where you're going, (2) show them as the story unfolds, or (3) show them after the story is over as an eye-opening review.	
PreReading Bias Activity & Discussion	Students are challenged with nine controversial statements created to divide the students into two sides. We like to go of by question and have students physically separate to differe of the classroom. "If you agree, come to this sideIf you disa come to this side. Try not to be a maybe or I don't know." The have students on both sides express their opinions, while the teacher offers challenging-yet-respectful questions back to speaker. As students move through the statements, they'll be activating prior knowledge about the deeper issues in the swhile practicing their polite argument skills and getting emotionally connected to the story's ideas.		
Plot Organizer	Literacy.RL.2	While reading the novel, students will analyze the 6 parts of the plot and find scenes/events that fit into each of the parts. The graphic-rich organizer will visually remind of the tension map of the story as they read.	
Conflict Organizer	Literacy.RL.2	¦ While reading the novel, students will analyze the 6 kinds conflict and find scenes/events that illustrate the various kinds of conflict.	
Characters Organizer	Literacy.RL.3	Students will follow the various characters through the story and analyze various details/quotes/situations about them. They will consider physical descriptions, inner desires, and important traits about those characters in order to determine uniqueness and importance to the story.	



Activity	CC Standard	Pedagogy	
Setting Organizer	Literacy.RL.2	While reading the novel, students will consider important settings, harvest supporting quotes that discuss those settings, then analyze the importance/significance of those quotes	
Figurative Language	Literacy.RL.4	Students will analyze various passages from the story and determine which kind of figurative language is used. Students will have to identify, compare, and analyze the phrases in a number of different exercises.	
Figurative Language Instructional PowerPoint	Literacy.RL.1 Literacy.RL.2 Literacy.W.1	We set out to make the most helpful, most compelling, most graphically attractive teaching resource for you to introduce your learners to all the various figurative language. This 70+ slide PowerPoint will help you introduce how every many you need to teach your level of learners. Two Parts to the PowerPoint: > 23 Instructional Slides with definitions and examples > 22 Quiz Review Slides with quote from novel or song for students to analyze > 22 Quiz ReTeach Slides with explanation of why this quote was this figurative language WARNING: This does include an instruction and quiz slide on Double Entendre. By definition, double entendres are "inappropriate" or risque, so please see if this is good for your students before using. You can simply delete those slides from the quiz section.	
Symbols	Literacy.RL.4	Students will use this sweet-looking graphic organizer to analyze 6 key symbols/motifs from the novel. They will make note of 2-3 key quotes about each symbol. Then they will analyze what deeper meaning the symbol means in the novel.	
Vocabulary Lists & Quizzes	Literacy.RL.4 Literacy.L.4	We've all seen the matching or multiple choice vocabulary assessments with the words in one column and the dictionary definitions in the other. These assessments require the students to understand the context of the word in a sentence from the novel. Not only does this require them to know the definition, but it forces them to use the word in the right situation.	



Activity	CC Standard	Pedagogy	
Quickwrite Writing Prompts	Literacy.RL.1 Literacy.RL.2 Literacy.W.1	These writing prompts require students to write their unedited off-the-cuff responses to various quotes, situations, issues that arise from within the story. The questions take the students into memories from their lives (activating prior knowledge), connections with the story's characters and history (encouraging empathetic reading and understanding), and deep areas of thematic meaning (spurring informal argumentation). These discussions might prove to be some of the most meaningful explorations your students experience.	
Comprehension Pop Quizzes	Literacy.RL.10	These quizzes are crafted to assess whether or not students read the chapters. If the students read the chapters, they should earn 100%sif they didn't read, they should not be able to guess their way to success. These can also be used as exit cards or quick comprehension assessments to see if the teacher needs to further explain the main events of the chapters.	
Song Study "Shenandoah"	Literacy.RL.7	Students will study the song, "Shenandoah," going line by line and analyze the meaning of the lines and what significance they might have to the overall meaning of the novel. They will also get a comical kick out of watching/listening to the YouTube song.	
Aesop's Fables	Literacy.RL.7	Read through and discuss a few of these Aesop's Fables or maybe make a gallery reading walk with stations for the kids. Whichever option you choose, students will be able to connect better to Bud and to Aesop and maybe connect Bud's Rules & Things with Aesop.	
Bud Caldwell's Rules & Things Activity	Literacy.RL.7	Students will read through Bud's rules and try to soak in and understand the kinds of things he makes rules about. Then after you've led them in a discussion about what each rule is about, students will have a blast making their own Rules & Things.	
Essay / Speech	Literacy.W.1 Literacy.W.9 Literacy.SL.1 Literacy.SL.4 Literacy.SL.6	Students will choose from a few deep topics to either write an essay or turn their essay outline into a speech on the topic. During the speeches, students will need to understand and chart the speakers' thesis statements. And for you no-hassle grading rubrics are included to make your teaching life easier and save you time.	
Novel vs. Film Comparison	Literacy.RL.7	Students will compare the film to the novel, analyzing the similarities and differences in various aspects of the two works of art.	