

Graphic Novels: Improving Literacy one Book at a Time

Challenge

Sidney Huntington School needed a more complete graphic novel and manga section for student and teacher use. Many Students have low reading levels and are also reluctant readers.

Solution

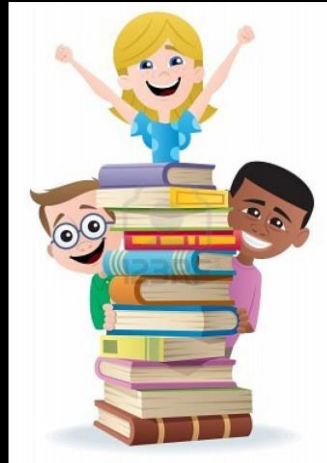
Create a 100+ must-have list of graphic novels and manga suitable for classroom and personal use.

Deliverables

1. Must Have Graphic Novel and Manga list
2. Survey Results
3. Literature Review – Why Graphic Novels and Manga
4. Literature Review – Resources
5. Graphic Novel Policy/Definition

Outcomes

A diverse collection that includes subject area use in Math/Science, History, and Language Arts, as well as a list of personal reading choices. Students will have access to multiple Graphic Novels and Manga choices that of interest.

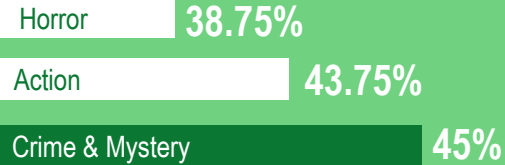


56%

Out of 80 students, over half the students surveyed indicated that they have used their school library to check out material in the past 6 months.

What do students think?

Top 3 Book Genres



Series Or No Series?

52.50% of students reported that they would rather have access to many sequels in a long series

What do students desire in graphic novels/manga?

