

# GRADE 11 ARGUMENTATION UNIT TEXT SETS

This chart lists the unit texts, organized by the "text sets" associated with the progression of instructional activities. Additional texts for some of the sets are indicated with an AT. As an Open Educational Resource, the unit employs texts that are accessible on the web for free without any login information, membership requirements or purchase. Because of the ever-changing nature of website addresses, links are not provided. Teachers and students can locate these texts through web searches using the information provided.

#	TITLE	AUTHOR	DATE	SOURCE/PUBLISHER
<b>Text Set #1: Background Informational Texts</b>				
1.1	Crime and Punishment in America - Ch. 1 and 2	Elliott Currie	1998	Metropolitan Books
1.2	The High Budgetary Cost of Incarceration	John Schmitt, Kris Warner, and Sarika Gupta	6/2010	Center for Economic and Policy Research
1.3	The Punishing Decade: Prison and Jail Estimates at the Millenium	Justice Policy Institute	5/2000	Justice Policy Institute
<b>Text Set #2: Additional Background Informational Texts</b>				
2.1	Criminal Justice Ethics, Chapter 5: The Purpose of Criminal Punishment	Cyndi Banks	1/30/2004	Sage Publications
2.2	Jurisdictional Technical Assistance Package for Juvenile Corrections - Chapter 3: Balanced and Restorative Justice: Historical Perspective	Ann H. Crowe	12/2000	Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention
2.3	How Defendants' Mental States Affect Their Responsibility for a Crime	Nolo - Law for All	NA	Nolo - Law for All
AT	What are poverty thresholds and poverty guidelines?	University of Wisconsin-Madison	4/16/2013	Institute for Research on Poverty
AT	Cognitive Neuroscience and the Future of Punishment, Introduction	O. Carter Snead	12/28/2010	Brookings
AT	Reasons for Supporting and Opposing Capital Punishment in the USA: A Preliminary Study	Eric G. Lambert, Alan Clarke and Janet Lambert	1/2010	Internet Journal of Criminology (IJC)
AT	Prison Population Around the Globe	Shan Carter	7/19/2013	New York Times
AT	A Brief History of Juvenile Justice in America	Elizabeth S. Scott, Laurence Steinberg	Fall 2008	The Future of Children
AT	When to Punish, and When to Rehabilitate	Various	6/5/2012	New York Times
AT	Incorporating Restorative and Community Justice Into American Sentencing and Corrections	Leena Kurki	9/ 1999	U.S. Department of Justice; Sentencing and Corrections
AT	Restoring Rehabilitation to the American Juvenile Justice System	Perry Moriearty	9/2012	Jurist.org
<b>Text Set #3: Political Cartoons</b>				
3.1	Guillotine Justice	Chris Slane	7/20/2005	politicalcartoons.com
3.2	US Prison System	Dave Granlund	NA	davegranlund.com
<b>Text Set #4: Seminal Arguments</b>				
4.1	Treating youth like youth: why it's time to "raise the age" in New York	Gabrielle Horowitz-Prisco	7/2013	The Correctional Association of New York
4.2	Miller v. Alabama - Syllabus and Dissenting Opinion	Supreme Court Justice Roberts	6/25/2012	Supreme Court
4.3	The Left's Prison Complex: The case against the case against jail	Eli Lehrer	10/9/2000	The Heritage Foundation
4.4	Help Thy Neighbor and Go Straight to Prison	Nicholas D. Kristof	8/10/2013	New York Times
<b>Text Set #5: Additional Arguments</b>				
5.1	Lessons from death row inmates	David R. Dow	June 2012	Ted Talk
5.2	A Different Justice: Why Anders Breivik Only Got 21 Years for Killing 77 People	Max Fisher	8/24/2012	The Atlantic
5.3	The Conservative Case Against More Prisons	Vikrant P. Reddy and Marca A. Levin	3/6/2013	The American Conservative
5.4	The Ultimate Punishment: a Defense	Ernest van den Haag	1986	Frontline, PBS
5.5	Right on Crime, Statement of Principles	NA	2010	Rightoncrime.com
AT	The Conservative Case Against More Prisons	Vikrant P. Reddy and Marca A. Levin	3/6/2013	The American Conservative
AT	Cruel and Unusual Punishment	Equal Justice Initiative	11/2007	Equal Justice Initiative
AT	Speech in Favor of the Death Penalty	John Stuart Mill	NA	Sandiego.edu
AT	Keeping Adolescents out of Prison	Laurence Steinberg & Ron Haskins	Fall 2008	The Future of Children
AT	Can Forgiveness Play a Role in Criminal Justice?	Paul Tullis	1/4/2013	New York Times