



## GRADE 8, MODULE 1: OVERVIEW

<b>CENTRAL TEXTS</b>	1. Thanhha Lai, <i>Inside Out &amp; Back Again</i> (New York: HarperCollins, 2011), ISBN: 978-0-061-96278-3.
	2. Tod Olson, “The Vietnam Wars,” <i>Scholastic</i> , February 24, 1995, 16–20.
	3. Joseph Shapiro and Sandra Bartlett, “Forgotten Ship: A Daring Rescue as Saigon Fell,” audio text, National Public Radio, August 31, 2010, as found at <a href="http://npr.org/templates/story/story.php?storyId=129484369">npr.org/templates/story/story.php?storyId=129484369</a> .
	4. “Forgotten Ship: A Daring Rescue as Saigon Fell.” Written transcript from: <a href="http://www.npr.org/templates/transcript/transcript.php?storyId=129484369">http://www.npr.org/templates/transcript/transcript.php?storyId=129484369</a> .
	5. Units 2 and 3 will include additional informational texts; see separate Unit Overviews for details.