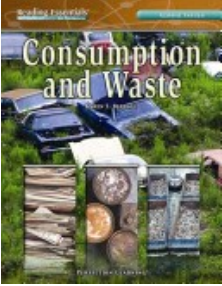


Combating a “Throw-Away Culture”

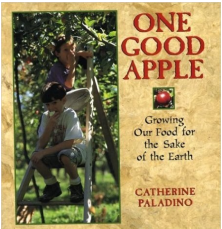
Resources for the Classroom

Grades 6—8



Consumption and Waste by Karen E. Bledsoe

Americans are consuming more than ever--and creating more waste. The waste stream can be managed with landfills, incinerators, or recycling, but reducing waste by being a



One Good Apple by Catherine Paladino

One Good Apple makes a case for healthier agricultural practices, exploring the destructiveness of pesticides and fertilizers to everything from small organisms to the water we drink. The author shows how, in our attempt to control nature, we are growing food that harms us and the balance of nature. This book empowers our next generation of



WALL-E

At first glance, Disney's *Wall-E* is a critique of consumerism, however, other themes of how technology has allowed humanity to forget the beauty of creation and human friendships are also present. Director and writer, Andrew Stanton, has cited his Christian faith as his