## **American Contributions**

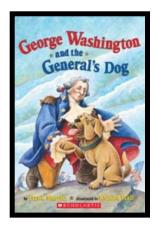
# Paired Readings

# **Objectives:**

- Read grade-level fiction and non-fiction on the same topic.
- Describe connections between ideas and events within a text
- Identify similarities and differences between two texts on the same topic.
- Differentiate between books that tell stories and books that give information.

### **Procedure:**

- Read books that are literary and informational on the same topic (ex: Rookie Bio & a Fictional Story).
- Discuss how reading a story about a historic person differs from reading a biography on that same person.
  - How are these books connected?
  - How is the main character different/same in the fictional story and the biography?
- Make a list of characteristics of each genre.



#### **CCSS**

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