

Social Justice Literature

Title of Book: Click Clack Moo
Author: Doreen Cronin
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What social topic/s does this book address:

- ability
- Environment
- Strike/negotiation/consensus/decision making

Brief synopsis of the book: Cows and chickens get together and ask the farmer for electric blankets. When he refuses, they go on strike and decide to negotiate with the farmer. They make an agreement. The ducks see the benefits and follow the cow's lead.

Is this story authentic in regard to:

- story line
- today's society
- social topic
- characters

Is this story:

- Respectful
- Engaging
- Honoring

Does this story directly talk about the social topic or does it tell a story using a social topic as a subtle background?

Subtle background with vocabulary.

Would you read this story to your class? yes

Would you want your child's teacher to read this story? Yes

What big ideas or questions do you see emerging from this book?
How do we make fair decisions? Who benefits from negotiation?