Many of the sites listed have books in English, Spanish or are bilingual. Even for those books that are only in English, they are titles that Spanish instructors could recommend to English Language Arts (ELA) and English Language Learners (ELL) teachers to possibly connect Hispanic culture themes outside of the language classroom. Ideally this could build collaborations between ELA and WL to develop interdisciplinary projects. Connections with Colleges of Education literature and literacy programs are another way to build bridges with WL curriculum.

SECTION 1
RESEARCH ON INTEGRATING CHILDREN’S/YOUNG ADULT LITERATURE


The Americas Award: Honoring Latino/a Children's and Young Adult Literature of the Americas. Edited by Laretta Henderson  
https://www.bookdepository.com/Americas-Award-Laretta-Henderson/9781498501606

TedTalk: The Danger of a Single Story. Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie  
https://youtu.be/D9lhs241zeg
Consortium of Latin American Studies Programs (CLASP) - Americas Awards Program
http://claspprograms.org/pages/detail/62/Teaching-Resources
CLASP supports K-12 and post-secondary professional development and encourages excellence in teaching and program development. CLASP provides a collection of books by themes that are in English and bilingual, with some books including lesson plan units.

Pura Belpré Book Award Page
http://www.ala.org/alsc/awardsgrants/bookmedia/belpremedal
The Pura Belpré Award, established in 1996, is presented annually to a Latino/Latina writer and illustrator whose work best portrays, affirms, and celebrates the Latino cultural experience in an outstanding work of literature for children and youth.
List of Authentic Spanish Books for Kids  
by Elisabeth Alvarado @spanishmamablog (Facebook)  
https://spanishmama.com/bilingual-books-spanish-english/  
No Spanglish home is complete without a stash of bilingual books for kids in Spanish and English. Spanish Mama has a separate post of authentic children’s books in Spanish, with a focus on Latino culture. Spanish Mama provides a list which includes books originally written in English or translated from a third language.

Scholastic Reads  
The classic Scholastic Book company offers 11 dual language board books and picture books, which are a great way to get started on making it easier for families to enjoy reading aloud together and strengthening second-language acquisition through the introduction of new words and sounds.
Buzzfeed offers a colorful and vibrant list of 26 bilingual kids books “that'll have everyone speaking en Español.”

¡Colorín colorado!

Colorín-Colorado: Colorín-Colorado offers materials targeted for ELL and/or bilingual classroom educators, but with some innovative and creative thinking behind them. There are materials that could be applied to the Spanish classroom.

https://www.colorincolorado.org/booklist/celebrate-reading-two-languages-bilingual-booklist
https://www.colorincolorado.org/es/para-educadores-enseñanza-estudiantes-bilingües
https://www.colorincolorado.org/es/families/criar-niños-bilingües
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goodreads

A list with ratings on the texts. Mostly for elementary/basic level.

https://www.goodreads.com/list/show/124189.Best_Bilingual_Storytime_Books
Common Sense Media
https://www.commonsensemedia.org/lists/bilingual-books-englishspanish
Compiled by the reputable Common Sense Media group, the titles include a summary, a rating, and provides a few questions to ask the young readers. They also compile the books by author should you want to find more books that way or reach out to an author for a classroom talk or activity.

Salsa: Spanish for Children_ PBS Sponsored video storytelling and activities
This entails purchasing the SALSA set, but could be a valuable addition to a district FLES program. SALSA blends puppets, animation, live action and music to create a unique experience for first-time learners of Spanish language and culture.
https://florida.pbslearningmedia.org/collection/salsa-spanish-for-children/?gclid=CjwKCAjw77BRA_EiwAF8yHPjgKyn3kiKoAWCsJSC0kIgvhZtlhyJ_GxiMr5x2qbB2LMAxFzS5fRoCEK YQAvD_BwE
SAMPLE ACTIVITIES

Coming soon...

SECTION 4
SELECT AUTHORS

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