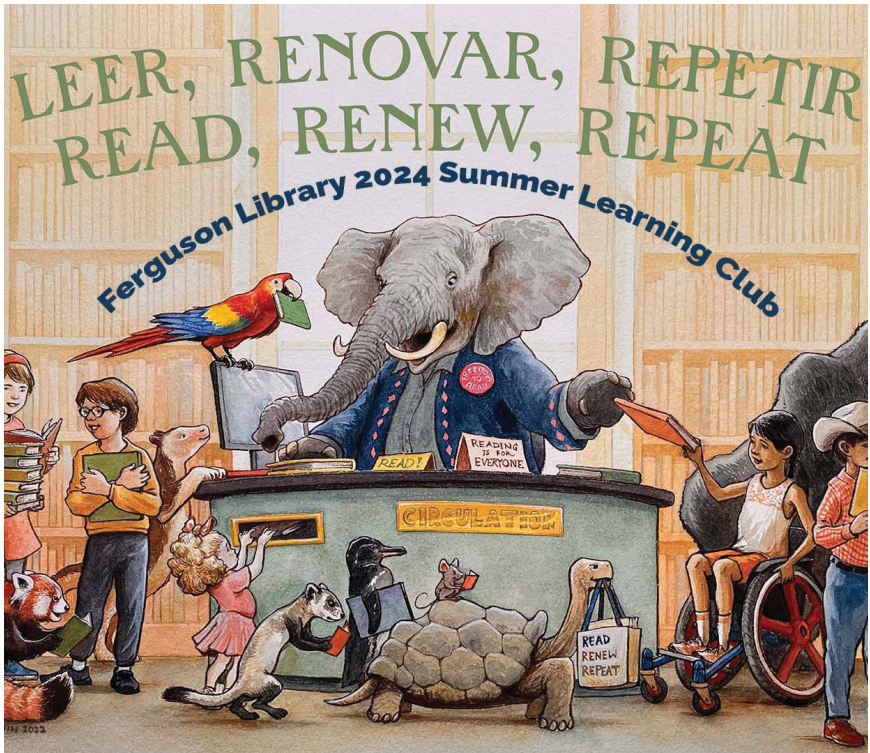


# Summer Reading List 2024

Pre-K to Grade 8



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# Pre-K & Kindergarten

## Favorite Picture Books

(E PIC unless otherwise noted)

Atinuke	<i>Catch That Chicken!</i>
Asher, Sandy	<i>Chicken Story Time</i>
Ashman, Linda	<i>When the Storm Comes</i>
Berger, Carin	<i>In the Night Garden</i>
Boiger, Alexandra	<i>Max and Marla Are Having a Picnic</i>
Cepeda, Joe	<i>Rafa Counts on Papa</i>
Charlton-Trujillo, E.E.	<i>A Girl Can Build Anything</i>
Cherry, Matthew A.	<i>Hair Love</i>
Cousins, Lucy	<i>A Good Place</i>
de la Peña, Matt	<i>Last Stop on Market Street</i>
Denise, Anika	<i>Gato Guapo</i>
Elya, Susan Middleton	<i>The Three Billy Goats Buenos</i>
Faruqi, Reem	<i>Amira's Picture Day</i>
Fehr, Daniel	<i>There's a Cow in My Bed</i>
Fleming, Denise	<i>Underground</i>
Goetz, Steve	<i>Old MacDonald Had a Truck</i>
E SPA Gonzalez, Raul	<i>iVamos! Let's Go to Market</i>
Heder, Thyra	<i>Alfie (The Turtle That Disappeared)</i>
Henkes, Kevin	<i>Summer Song</i>
Higgins, Ryan T.	<i>Mother Bruce</i>
Ho, Joanna	<i>Eyes That Kiss in The Corners</i>
John, Jory	<i>The Bad Seed</i>
Kang, Anna	<i>You Are (Not) Small</i>
Khan, Hena	<i>Like the Moon Loves the Sky</i>
Keller, Laurie	<i>Potato Pants!</i>
LaRochelle, David	<i>How to Apologize</i>
Love, Jessica	<i>Julián is a Mermaid</i>
Martinez-Neal, Juana	<i>Alma and How She Got Her Name</i>
McGregor, Dennis	<i>You Stole My Name</i>
McQuinn, Anna	<i>Lola Plants a Garden</i>
Mora, Oge	<i>Thank you, Omu!</i>
Morris, Richard T.	<i>Bear Came Along</i>
Olson, Jennifer Gray	<i>Ninja Bunny</i>

Penfold, Alexandra	<i>Big Feelings</i>
Pizzoli, Greg	<i>Mister Kitty is Lost!</i>
Rex, Adam	<i>School's First Day of School</i>
Reynolds, Aaron	<i>Creepy Pair of Underwear!</i>
Rockwell, Anne	<i>Let's Go to the Hardware Store</i>
Salmon, Caspar	<i>How to Count to One: (And Don't Even Think About Bigger Numbers!)</i>
Scanlon, Liz Garton	<i>All the World</i>
Seeger, Laura Vaccaro	<i>Green</i>
Sendak, Maurice	<i>Where the Wild Things Are</i>
Shea, Susan A.	<i>Do You Know Which Ones Will Grow?</i>
Sima, Jessie	<i>Not Quite Narwhal</i>
Stein, David Ezra	<i>Interrupting Chicken</i>
Sutton, Sally	<i>Demolition</i>
Trimmer, Christian	<i>Teddy's Favorite Toy</i>
Underwood, Deborah	<i>Finding Kindness</i>
Wilson, Karma	<i>Bear Can't Wait</i>
Yolen, Jane	<i>How Do Dinosaurs Eat Their Food?</i>

## Early Beginning Readers & Predictable Picture Books

(E BEG unless otherwise noted)

Bolger, Kevin	<i>See Fred Run</i>
Degen, Bruce	<i>I Said, "Bed!"</i>
Dotlich, Rebecca Kai	<i>Digger the Dinosaur</i>
Grant, Judyann	<i>Chicken Said, "Cluck!"</i>
Lucas, Sally	<i>Dancing Dinos Go to School</i>
Kenah, Katharine	<i>The Best Seat in Kindergarten</i>
Meisel, Paul	<i>I See a Cat</i>
Milgrim, David	<i>Go, Otto, Go!</i>
Otheguy, Emma	<i>Reina Ramos Works It Out!</i>
E SPA Parks, Carmen	<i>Farmer's Market/Día de Mercado</i>
Rau, Dana Meachen	<i>Robot, Go Bot!</i>
Riley, J.D.	<i>Axel the Truck</i>
E PIC Rinker, Sherri Duskey	<i>Goodnight, Goodnight, Construction Site</i>
Shea, Bob	<i>Ballet Cat</i>
Stemple, Heidi E.	<i>Chicken Karaoke</i>
Tabor, Corey R.	<i>Fox the Tiger</i>

Willems, Mo  
Yoon, Salina

*Elephant and Piggie*  
*Duck, Duck, Porcupine!*

## Folk Tales & Poetry

E PIC Archer, Micha *Daniel Finds a Poem*  
E 821.54 E Elliott, David *In the Sea*  
E 398.2 F Fernihough, Jo *The Crow and the Peacock*  
E 398.2 PRINCESA Elya, Susan Middleton *La Princesa and the Pea*  
E 398.2 ANANSI Kimmel, Eric *Anansi and the Talking Melon*  
E 398.2 M MacDonald, Margaret Read *Fat Cat: A Danish Folktale*  
E 398.2 AESOP Sneed, Brad *Aesop's Fables*  
E PIC Taback, Simms *Joseph Had a Little Overcoat*  
E PIC Thong, Roseanne *Noodle Magic*  
E 821 V VanDerwater, Amy Ludwig *Forest Has a Song: Poems*  
E 398.2 RUMPEL Zelinsky, Paul O. *Rumpelstiltskin*

## Informational Books

E BEG 595.7 A Arnold, Tedd *Fly Guy Presents: Insects*  
E 152.142 B Brocket, Jane *Spotty, Stripy, Swirly: What are Patterns?*  
E 386.223 G Garland, Michael *Tugboat*  
E 613.704 G Gates, Mariam *Good Morning Yoga: A Pose-by-Pose  
Wake-Up Story*  
E 530 J Jenkins, Martin *Bird Builds a Nest*  
E 591.472 K Keating, Jess *Pink is for Blobfish: Discovering the World's  
Perfectly Pink Animals*  
E 910 K Kerley, Barbara *The World is Waiting for You*  
E 599.799 L Lawler, Janet *Walrus Song*  
E PIC Lynn, Jacque *Space Matters*  
E 629.454 M McReynolds, Linda *Eight Days Gone*  
E 597.92 M Montgomery, Sy *The Book of Turtles*  
E 629.225 O Olson, K.C. *Construction Countdown*  
E 598.144 P Page, Robin *The Beak Book*  
E 331.7 P Paul, Miranda *Whose Hands Are These? A Community  
Helper Guessing Book*  
E 635.083 P Percival, Kari *How to Say Hello to a Worm: A First Guide  
to Outside*

E 575.68 P Portis, Antionette

E 550 S Sayre, April Pulley

E 591 S Sirotich, Erica

E 594.56 S Slade, Suzanne

E 594.147 S Stewart, Melissa

E 598.072 W Ward, Jennifer

*A Seed Grows*

*Thank You, Earth: A Love Letter to Our Planet*

*Can We Be Friends? Unexpected Animal*

*Friendships from Around the World*

*Behold the Octopus!*

*Seashells: More Than a Home*

*How to Find a Bird*

# Grade 1

## Favorite Picture Books

(E PIC unless otherwise noted)

Agee, Jon	<i>Life on Mars</i>
Arnaldo, Monica	<i>Mr. S</i>
Barnett, Mac	<i>The Wolf, the Duck and the Mouse</i>
Brosgol, Vera	<i>Leave Me Alone!</i>
Burach, Ross	<i>The Very Impatient Caterpillar</i>
Carr, Matt	<i>Superbat</i>
Cornwall, Gaia	<i>Jabari Jumps</i>
Cummings, Troy	<i>Can I Be Your Dog?</i>
DaCosta, Barbara	<i>Nighttime Ninja</i>
Fisher, Lalena	<i>Friends Beyond Measure</i>
Garza, Cynthia Leonor	<i>Lucia the Luchadora</i>
Genhart, Michael	<i>Spanish is the Language of My Family</i>
Harrison, Vashti	<i>Big</i>
Haughton, Chris	<i>Shh! We Have a Plan</i>
Henkes, Kevin	<i>Waiting</i>
Higgins, Ryan	<i>We Don't Eat Our Classmates</i>
E BEG 821 H Hoberman, Mary Ann	<i>You Read to Me, I'll Read to You: Very Short Stories to Read Together</i>
Jarvis, Peter	<i>Alan's Big Scary Teeth</i>
CONCEPT Khan, Hena	<i>Golden Domes and Silver Lanterns: A Muslim Book of Colors</i>
Kugler, Tina	<i>Snail &amp; Worm Again</i>
LaRocca, Rajani	<i>Summer is for Cousins</i>
Maier, Brenda	<i>The Little Red Fort</i>
Mora, Oge	<i>Saturday</i>
Pizzoli, Greg	<i>The Book Hog</i>
Quintero, Isabel	<i>My Papi Has a Motorcycle</i>
Sriram, Meera	<i>A Garden in My Hands</i>
Tatsukawa, Maya	<i>The Bear in My Family</i>
Taylor, Sean	<i>Hoot Owl, Master of Disguise</i>
Vernick, Audrey	<i>I Won a What?</i>
Viva, Frank	<i>Outstanding in the Rain</i>

Vo, Young  
Willems, Mo  
Zhang, Kat

*Gibberish*  
*That Is Not a Good Idea!*  
*Amy Wu and the Patchwork Dragon*

## Beginning Readers

(E BEG unless otherwise noted)

Adler, David	<i>Don't Throw it to Mo!</i>
Arnold, Tedd	<i>A Pet for Fly Guy</i>
J COMIC Battersby, Katherine	<i>Cranky Chicken</i>
J BEG Bell, Cece	<i>Rabbit &amp; Robot: The Sleepover</i>
J BEG Birney, Betty G.	<i>Humphrey's Really Wheely Racing Day</i>
Butler, Dori	<i>King &amp; Kayla and the Case of the Mysterious Mouse</i>
Cordell, Matthew	<i>Cornbread &amp; Poppy</i>
dePaola, Tomie	<i>When Andy Met Sandy</i>
Derting, Kimberly	<i>Vivi Loves Science: Wind and Water</i>
Fenske, Jonathan	<i>Nothing Fits a Dinosaur</i>
Henkes, Kevin	<i>Penny and Her Marble</i>
J BEG Himmelman, John	<i>Tales of Bunjitsu Bunny</i>
Iwai, Melissa	<i>Gigi &amp; Ojiji</i>
Lin, Grace	<i>Ling &amp; Ting: Together in All Weather</i>
Milgrim, David	<i>Go, Otto, Go!</i>
Morris, J.E.	<i>Flubby Is Not a Good Pet!</i>
E SPA Pilkey, Dav	<i>Perrazo y Perrito/Big Dog &amp; Little Dog</i>
Rylant, Cynthia	<i>Annie and Snowball and the Book Bugs Club</i>
Schaefer, Carole	<i>Monkey and Elephant and the Babysitting Adventure</i>
Willems, Mo	<i>Who is the Mystery Reader?</i>

## Folk Tales

E 398.2 B Barnett, Mac	<i>The Three Billy Goats Gruff</i>
E 398.2 D Don, Lari	<i>The Legend of the First Unicorn</i>
E 398.2 RED Elya, Susan Middleton	<i>Little Roja Riding Hood</i>
E 398.2 M MacDonald, Margaret Read	<i>Give Up, Gecko!: A Folktale from Uganda</i>
E 398.2 M McDermott, Gerald	<i>Monkey: A Trickster Tale from India</i>



E 398.2 AESOP Pinkney, Jerry	<i>The Grasshopper &amp; the Ants</i>
E PIC Pinkney, Jerry	<i>The Little Mermaid</i>
E 398.2 CINDER Sierra, Judy	<i>The Gift of the Crocodile: A Cinderella Story</i>
E PIC Stead, Philip C.	<i>The North Wind and the Sun</i>
E 398.2 RAPUNZEL Woollvin, Bethan	<i>Rapunzel</i>

## Poetry

E 821 A Alexander, Kwame	<i>Animal Ark</i>
E PIC Gray, Gary	<i>I'm From</i>
E 821.08 J Janeczko, Paul B.	<i>Firefly July: A Year of Very Short Poems</i>
E 381.41 L Latham, Irene	<i>Fresh Delicious: Poems from the Farmers' Market</i>
E PIC Levinson, Suzy	<i>Animals in Pants</i>
E SPA 821 P Paschkis, Julie	<i>Flutter &amp; Hum: Animal Poems / Aleteo y Zumbido: Poemas de Animales</i>
E 821 R Ruddell, Deborah	<i>The Popcorn Astronauts: And Other Biteable Rhymes</i>
E 398.8 S Sehgal, Kabir	<i>Mother Goose Goes to India</i>
E 821 S Sidman, Joyce	<i>Swirl by Swirl: Spirals in Nature</i>
E 821 J Johnston Taylor, Susan	<i>Animals in Surprising Shades</i>

## Informational Books

E 513.21 A Adler, David A.	<i>Place Value</i>
E 591.47 A Arndt, Ingo	<i>Best Foot Forward: Exploring Feet, Flippers, and Claws</i>
E 595.729 B Bestor, Sheri	<i>Good Trick, Walking Stick!</i>
E BEG 523.4 C Carney, Elizabeth	<i>Planets</i>
E 641.509 C Clickard, Carrie	<i>Dumpling Dreams: How Joyce Chen Brought the Dumpling from Beijing to Cambridge</i>
E BEG 590 D Davidson, Rose M.	<i>Odd Animals</i>
E 612 F Fishman, Seth	<i>Power Up</i>
E 591.44 G Gianferrari, Maria	<i>Terrific Tongues!</i>
E 551.21 H Heos, Bridget	<i>I'm a Volcano!</i>
E 580 H Hirsch, Rebecca E.	<i>Plants Can't Sit Still</i>
E 709 K Kügler, Tina & Carson	<i>In Mary's Garden</i>

E 595.44 L Lanan, Jessica *Jumper: A Day in the Life of a Backyard Jumping Spider*

E 599.769 L London, Jonathan *Otters Love to Play*

E 551.48 L Lyon, George Ella *All the Water in the World*

E BEG 629.133 M Macaulay, David *Jet Plane: How it Works*

E 597.858 M Martinez, Claudia Guadalupe *Not a Monster*

E 612.82 M McAnulty, Stacy *Brains! Not Just a Zombie Snack*

E 550 M McAnulty, Stacy *Earth!: My First 4.54 Billion Years*

E 598.764 M Meisel, Paul *My Tiny Life by Ruby T. Hummingbird*

E 595.789 M Mosco, Rosemary *Butterflies Are Pretty . . . Gross!*

E 641.824 P Pizzoli, Greg *Pizza: A Slice of History*

EB CAPLAN Rockliff, Mara *Try It!: How Frieda Caplan Changed the Way We Eat*

E 599.36 S Sayre, April Pulley *Squirrels Leap, Squirrels Sleep*

E 513.26 S Souders, Taryn *Whole-y Cow: Fractions are Fun*

E 794.8 T Tate, Don *Jerry Changed the Game! How Engineer Jerry Lawson Revolutionized Video Games Forever*

EB PROCTER Valdez, Patricia *Joan Procter, Dragon Doctor*

## Grade 2

### Favorite Picture Books

(E PIC unless otherwise noted)

Barton, Chris	<i>Fire Truck vs. Dragon</i>
Beaty, Andrea	<i>Ada Twist, Scientist</i>
Gehl, Laura	<i>I Got a Chicken for My Birthday</i>
Heder, Thyra	<i>Alfie (The Turtle that Disappeared)</i>
Isadora, Rachel	<i>The Princess and the Pea</i>
J BEG Johnston, Tony	<i>Levi Strauss Gets a Bright Idea</i>
Kostecki-Shaw, Jenny Sue	<i>Same, Same, but Different</i>
Medina, Meg	<i>Tia Isa Wants a Car</i>
Offill, Jenny	<i>17 Things I'm Not Allowed to Do Anymore</i>
Ortega, Mirelle	<i>Magic: Once Upon a Faraway Land</i>
Santat, Dan	<i>After the Fall: How Humpty Dumpty Got Back Up Again</i>
Steig, William	<i>Sylvester and the Magic Pebble</i>
Watts, Jeri Hanel	<i>Piece of Home</i>

### Beginning Readers

(E BEG unless otherwise noted)

Braillier, Max	<i>A Walk in the Dark and Other Scary Stories</i>
Davies, Jacqueline	<i>Sydney &amp; Taylor Explore the Whole Wide World</i>
DiCamillo, Kate	<i>Mercy Watson: Princess in Disguise</i>
Egan, Tim	<i>Dodsworth in Tokyo</i>
Gregorich, Barbara	<i>Waltur Paints Himself Into a Corner: And Other Stories</i>
Joyner, Andrew	<i>Boris on the Move</i>
Kessler, Liz	<i>Poppy the Pirate Dog &amp; the Missing Treasure</i>
Kvasnosky, Laura McGee	<i>Zelda and Ivy: The Big Picture</i>
LaReau, Kara	<i>The Infamous Ratsos Live! In Concert!</i>
Manushkin, Fran	<i>Pedro, First Grade Hero</i>
J BEG Quakenbush, Robert	<i>Henry's Important Date</i>
J BEG Snicket, Lemony	<i>The Dark</i>

## Early Chapter Books

(J BEG unless otherwise noted)

Adler, David A.	<i>Cam Jansen</i>
Angleberger, Tom	<i>Inspector Flytrap</i>
Barrows, Annie	<i>Ivy + Bean Series</i>
Beaty, Andrea	<i>The Why Files: Bug Bonanza</i>
Blume, Judy	<i>Friend or Fiend? With the Pain &amp; the Great One</i>
Cazet, Denys	<i>Minnie and Moo: The Case of the Missing Jelly Donut</i>
Citro, Asia	<i>Zoey and Sassafras</i>
Cummings, Troy	<i>Notebook of Doom</i>
DiCamillo, Kate	<i>Bink &amp; Gollie, Best Friends Forever</i>
Faruqi, Saadia	<i>Meet Yasmin!</i>
Goodner, David	<i>Kondo &amp; Kezumi Visit Giant Island</i>
Hale, Shannon and Dean	<i>Princess in Black</i>
Hanton, Abby	<i>Dory Fantasmagory</i>
Keller, Laurie	<i>The Adventures of Arnie the Doughnut</i>
Kirby, Lee	<i>Super Turbo Saves the Day!</i>
Kirby, Stan	<i>Captain Awesome</i>
Lyons, Kelly Starling	<i>Miles Lewis: Whiz Kid</i>
Lowry, Lois	<i>The Gooney Bird Collection</i>
McDonald, Andrew	<i>Real Pigeons Fight Crime</i>
McDonald, Megan	<i>Stink, Superhero Superfan</i>
Medina, Juana	<i>Juana &amp; Lucas</i>
Milway, Alex	<i>Pigsticks and Harold and the Incredible Journey</i>
Nuurali, Siman	<i>Sadiq and the Desert Star</i>
Osborne, Mary Pope	The Magic Treehouse series
Smith, Nikki Shannon	<i>The Amazing Life of Azaleah Lane</i>
Sternberg, Julie	<i>Like Carrot Juice on a Cupcake</i>
Thomson, Melissa	<i>Keena Ford and the Field Trip Mix-Up</i>
Willems, Mo	<i>The Story of Diva and Flea</i>

## Folk Tales

- E 398.2 B Bryan, Ashley *Can't Scare Me!*
- E 398.2 FIN dePaola, Tomie *Fin M'Coul: The Giant of Knockmany Hill*
- E 398.2 D Divakaruni, Chitra Banerjee *Grandma and the Great Gourd:  
A Bengali Folktale*
- J 398.2 T Thomas, Joyce Carol *What's the Hurry, Fox?: And Other Animal  
Stories*
- E 398.2 K Kimmel, Eric A. *Joha Makes a Wish: A Middle Eastern Tale*
- E 398.2 BEAUTY Lee, H. Chuku *Beauty and the Beast*
- E 398.2 M MacDonald, Margaret Read *Mabela the Clever*
- E 398.2 M MacDonald, Margaret Read *Go to Sleep, Gecko! A Balinese Folktale*
- J BEG Noble, Trina Hakes *The Legend of the Jersey Devil*
- E 398.2 RED Pinkney, Jerry *Little Red Riding Hood*
- J BEG Sunami, Kitoba *How the Fisherman Tricked the Genie*
- E 398.2 W Wade, Mary Dodson *No Year of the Cat*

## Poetry

- J 821 F Florian, Douglas *UnBEElievables: Honeybee Poems and  
Paintings*
- E 821 G Giovanni, Nikki *I Am Loved*
- E 821 G Greenfield, Eloise *Brothers & Sisters: Family Poems*
- J 821.08 H Hoberman, Mary Ann *Forget-me-nots: Poems to Learn by Heart*

## Informational Books

- E 572.435 B Beck, W.H. *Glow: Animals with Their Own Night-Lights*
- J SPA 782.4 B Brown, Monica *My Name is Celia/Me Llamó Celia: The Life  
of Celia Cruz/La Vida de Celia Cruz*
- EB BRAILLE Bryant, Jennifer *Six Dots: A Story of Young Louis Braille*
- E 595.79 C Chrustowski, Rick *Bee Dance*
- E 579 D Davies, Nicola *Tiny Creatures: The World of Microbes*
- E 594.58 F Fleming, Candace *Giant Squid*
- J 363.728 F Flynn, Sarah Wassner *This Book Stinks! Gross Garbage, Rotten  
Rubbish, and the Science of Trash*
- E 598.942 G George, Jean Craighead *The Eagles are Back*
- E 791.33 G Gerstein, Mordicai *The Man Who Walked Between the Towers*
- E 932.014 H Hartland, Jessie *How the Sphinx Got to the Museum*

E 551.48 H Hodgson, Rob	<i>When Cloud Became a Cloud</i>
E 597.3 H Holub, Joan	<i>I Am the Shark</i>
E 292 K Karas, G. Brian	<i>Young Zeus</i>
E 599.943 L Levine, Sara	<i>Tooth by Tooth: Comparing Fangs, Tusks, and Chompers</i>
E 523.2 M Manley, Curtis	<i>Just Right: Searching for the Goldilocks Planet</i>
E 599.785 M Mattick, Lindsay	<i>Finding Winnie: The True Story of the World's Most Famous Bear</i>
E 664.6 M McCarthy, Meghan	<i>Pop! The Invention of Bubble Gum</i>
E 598.71 R Roth, Susan L.	<i>Parrots Over Puerto Rico</i>
J 709.011 S Salyer, Hannah	<i>Ancestry</i>
J 612.2 S Siy, Alexandra	<i>Sneeze!</i>
E 571.786 S Stewart, Melissa	<i>Summertime Sleepers: Animals that Estivate</i>
E 786.8 S Stocker, Shannon	<i>Listen: How Evelyn Glennie, a Deaf Girl, Changed Percussion+</i>
E 641.822 W Wang, Andrea	<i>Magic Ramen: The Story of Momofuku Ando</i>
E 597.3 W Williams, Lily	<i>If Sharks Disappeared</i>
EB HADID Winter, Jeanette	<i>The World is Not a Rectangle: A Portrait of Architect Zaha Hadid</i>
EB COUSTEAU Yaccarino, Dan	<i>The Fantastic Undersea Life of Jacques Cousteau</i>

## Graphic Novels

(J COMIC unless otherwise noted)

Blabey, Aaron	<i>The Bad Guys</i>
Burks, James	<i>Bird and Squirrel on Ice</i>
Cody, Matthew	<i>Cat Ninja</i>
Goldman, Todd Harris	<i>Hound Heroes: Beware the Claw</i>
Ferry, Beth	<i>Fox and Rabbit</i>
Hatke, Ben	<i>Zita the Spacegirl</i>
Jamieson, Victoria	<i>The Great Pet Escape</i>
Pilkey, Dav	<i>Cat Kid Comic Club</i>
Pilkey, Dav	<i>Dog Man</i>
Pizzoli, Greg	<i>Baloney and Friends Going Up!</i>
Venable, Colleen AF	<i>Guinea Pig, Pet Shop Private Eye</i>
Viva, Frank	<i>Gotta Go!</i>
Winick, Judd	<i>Hilo. The Boy Who Crashed to Earth (series)</i>

# Grade 3

Lexile Levels have been added after each title when available

## Biography

JB ZELENSKY Bolte, Mari	<i>Volodymyr Zelensky: Heroic Leader of Ukraine</i> [830L]
JB WILLIAMS Buckley, James	<i>Who Are Venus and Serena Williams?</i>
EB NICHOLS Dalton, Angela	<i>To Boldly Go: How Nichelle Nichols and Star Trek Helped Advance Civil Rights</i>
EB ESZTERHAS Eszterhas, Suzi	<i>My Wild Life: Adventures of a Wildlife Photographer</i> [890L]
JB FAWCETT Pizzoli, Greg	<i>The Quest for Z: the True Story of Explorer Percy Fawcett and a Lost City in the Amazon</i> [NC1190L]
EB JOHNSON Slade, Suzanne	<i>A Computer Called Katherine: How Katherine Johnson Helped Put America on the Moon</i> [760L]
EB SIMONE Todd, Traci N.	<i>Nina: A Story of Nina Simone</i>
EB HADID Winter, Jeanette	<i>The World is Not a Rectangle: A Portrait of Architect Zaha Hadid</i>

## Fantasy & Science Fiction

(J BEG unless otherwise noted)

J FIC Elliott, Zetta	<i>Dragons in a Bag</i> [740L]
J FIC Harrold, A. F.	<i>The Imaginary</i> [720L]
Himmelman, John	<i>Blasting Through the Solar System! Science Hero #2</i>
Osborne, Mary Pope	<i>Rhinos at Recess</i>

## Mystery

(J BEG unless otherwise noted)

Angleberger, Tom	<i>DJ Funkyfoot: Butler for Hire!</i>
Cronin, Doreen	<i>Gimme Shelter: #5 Misadventures and Misinformation</i> [600L]
J FIC Eulberg, Elizabeth	<i>The Great Shelby Holmes</i>
Howe, James	<i>Tales from the House of Bunnacula</i> [670L]

- J PBK Kelly, David *Ball Park Mysteries: The Colorado Curveball*  
[520L]
- J PBK Singer-Hunt, Elizabeth *Secret Agent Jack Stalwart*

## Fiction

(J BEG unless otherwise noted)

- Bruel, Nick *Bad Kitty: Supercat*
- E SPA Brown, Monica *The Turquoise Room/El Cuarto Turquesa*
- J FIC Fleming, Candace *Ben Franklin's in My Bathroom* [510L]
- Dougherty, John *Stinkbomb and Ketchup-Face and the Badness of Badgers*
- Gutman, Dan *My Weird School* [610L]
- Hale, Shannon *The Princess in Black and the Prince in Pink*  
[550L]
- Higgins, Carter *Audrey L & Audrey W: Best Friends-ish* [790L]
- Kline, Suzy *Horrible Harry Says Goodbye* [540L]
- E PIC Kensky, Jessica *Rescue & Jessica* [550L]
- McDonald, Megan *Bunny and Clyde*
- J FIC Pennypacker, Sara *Completely Clementine* [720L]
- Robinson, Sharon *Under the Same Sun* [710L]
- Smith, Nikki Shannon *The Amazing Life of Azaleah Lane* [610L]  
*Stories*
- Tarshis, Lauren *I Survived the Great Chicago Fire, 1871* [730L]
- Tarshis, Lauren *I Survived the San Francisco Earthquake, 1906* [610L]
- E PIC Woodson, Jacqueline *Each Kindness* [640L]

## Folk Tales & Poetry

- J 821 A Alexander, Kwame *The Undefeated*
- E 821 D Davies, Nicola *Outside Your Window: A First Book of Nature*
- E 821 L Larios, Julie Hofstrand *Delicious: Poems Celebrating Street Food Around the World* [500L]
- J 821 L Latham, Irene *Can I Touch Your Hair?: Poems of Race, Mistakes, and Friendship*
- E 821 L Lewis, J. Patrick *Poem-mobiles: Crazy Car Poems*
- E 809.933 T Tonatiuh, Duncan *Feathered Serpent and the Five Suns: A Mesoamerican Creation Myth*
- E 821 W Wright, Richard *Seeing Into Tomorrow: Haiku* [650L]



## Informational Books

- E 599.789 B Bardoe, Cheryl *Bei Bei Goes Home: A Panda Story*
- E 597.87 G Gravel, Elise *The Toad*
- E 572.435 B Beck, W.H. *Glow: Animals with Their Own Night-Lights* [760L]
- E 796.323 B Bryant, Jen *Above the Rim: How Elgin Baylor Changed Basketball*
- J 974.71 B Byrd, Robert *Liberty Arrives! How America's Grandest Statue Found Her Home* [900L]
- E 520 C Chin, Jason *Your Place in the Universe*
- J 597.3 S DK Publishing *Sharkpedia*
- E BEG 398.2 D Drimmer, Stephanie Warren *Mythical Beasts* [930L]
- E 306.362 H Hubbard, Rita *The Oldest Student: How Mary Walker Learned to Read* [830L]
- J 590 J Jenkins, Steve *Animals by the Numbers: A Book of Animal Infographics* [940L]
- E 567.9 J Judge, Lita *Born to Be Giants: How Baby Dinosaurs Grew to Rule the World* [970L]
- J 796.357 B Kelly, David *Miracle Mud: Lena Blackburne and the Secret Mud That Changed Baseball* [480L]
- E 323 K King, Martin Luther *I Have a Dream* [1030L]
- E 632.693 L Lord, Cynthia *Borrowing Bunnies: A Surprising True Tale of Fostering Rabbits*
- J 623.82 M Macauley, David *Crossing on Time: Steam Engines, Fast Ships, and a Journey to the New World* [1200L]
- E 628.925 M McCarthy, Meghan *Firefighters' Handbook* [720L]
- J 910.916 M Messner, Kate *The Titanic*
- E 786.219 R Rusch, Elizabeth *The Music of Life: Bartolomeo Cristofori and the Invention of the Piano* [980L]
- E 328.730 R Russell-Brown, Katheryn *She Was the First! The Trailblazing Life of Shirley Chisholm*
- E 091 T Tonatiuh, Duncan *A Land of Books: Dreams of Young Mexihcah Word Painters*
- J 794 S Stone, Tanya Lee *Pass Go and Collect \$200: The Real Story of How Monopoly Was Invented* [930L]
- E 791.5 S Sweet, Melissa *Balloons Over Broadway: The True Story of the Puppeteer of Macy's Parade* [1000L]
- E 595.78 T Thomas, Isabel *Moth: An Evolution Story*

E 796.357 V Vernick, Audrey	<i>Brothers at Bat: The True Story of an Amazing All-Brother Baseball Team</i> [780L]
E 597.3 W Weiss, Matt	<i>Please Be Nice to Sharks: Fascinating Facts About the Ocean's Most Misunderstood Creatures</i> [810L]
E 973.049 Y Yang, Kelly	<i>Yes, We Will: Asian Americans Who Shaped This Country</i>

## Graphic Novels

Atkinson, Cale	<i>Simon and Chester: Super Detectives!</i>
Barnett, Mac	<i>First Cat in Space</i>
Brown, Don	<i>A Shot in the Arm #3</i>
Brown, Don	<i>Rocket to the Moon #1</i>
J COMIC STARWARS Brown, Jeffrey	<i>Star Wars Jedi Academy</i>
Cody, Matthew	<i>Cat Ninja</i>
Goldman, Todd H.	<i>Hound Heroes: Beware the Claw!</i>
Gravel, Elise	<i>King of the Birds</i>
Kilpatrick, Karen	<i>P.I. Butterfly: Gone Guppy, Case #1</i>
Quinn, Jordan	<i>Dragon Kingdom of Wrenly</i>
Steinke, Aron Nels	<i>Mr. Wolf's Class: Mystery Club</i>
Tysoe, Alina	<i>The Great Puptective</i>

# Grade 4

(Lexile Levels have been added after each title when available)

## Biography

- JB PELE Cline-Ransome, Lesa *Young Pelé, Soccer's First Star*
- JB TALLCHIEF Day, Christine *She Persisted: Maria Tallchief* [940L]
- J 782.421 H Hill, Laban Carrick *When the Beat was Born: DJ Kool Herc and the Creation of Hip Hop* [AD770L]
- JB KING Krull, Kathleen *Women Who Broke the Rules: Coretta Scott King* [880L]
- E 641.812 N Nickel, Sandra *Nacho's Nachos: The Story Behind the World's Favorite Snack*
- E PIC R Rosenstock, Barb *The Noisy Paint Box: The Colors and Sounds of Kandinsky's Abstract Art* [AD630L]
- E 551.460 R Rosenstock, Barb *Otis and Will Discover the Deep: The Record-Setting Dive of the Bathysphere* [AD620L]
- EB SAGAN Sisson, Stéphanie *Star Stuff: Carl Sagan and the Mysteries of the Cosmos* [AD760L]
- J 796.357 T Tavares, Matt *Henry Aaron's Dream* [AD920L]
- EB KELLER Rappaport, Doreen *Helen's Big World: The Life of Helen Keller* [770L]
- E 782.421 F Weatherford, Carole Boston *R-E-S-P-E-C-T: Aretha Franklin, the Queen of Soul* [AD830L]

## Fantasy & Science Fiction

(J FIC unless otherwise noted)

- Anderson, M. T. *Elf Dog & Owl Head* [660L]
- J STARWARS Bracken, Alexandra *The Princess, the Scoundrel and the Farm Boy: an Original Retelling of Star Wars: New Hope* [800L]
- also J SPA DiCamillo, Kate *The Tale of Despereaux* [670L]
- Gibbs, Stuart *Space Case* [750L]
- Henderson, Leah *The Magic in Changing Your Stars* [640L]
- Holm, Jennifer *The Lion of Mars* [530L]

Martin, Ann M.	<i>The Doll People</i> [630L]
Mejia, Tehlor Kay	<i>Paola Santiago and the River of Tears</i> [840L]
Mlynowski, Sarah	<i>Upside-down Magic</i> [500L]
Pflugfelder, Bob	<i>Nick and Tesla's Solar-Powered Showdown: A Mystery with Sun-Powered Gadgets You Can Make Yourself</i> [710L]
Stead, Rebecca and Wendy Mass	<i>The Lost Library</i> [640L]
Van Eekhout,	<i>Greg Cog</i>

## Fiction

(J FIC unless otherwise noted)

Applegate, Katherine	<i>Wishtree</i> [590L]
Baptiste, Tracey	<i>The Jumbies</i> [680L]
Bildner, Phil	<i>A Whole New Ballgame</i> [540L]
Blume, Judy	<i>Tales of a Fourth Grade Nothing</i> [470L]
Cervantes, Angela Gaby,	<i>Lost and Found</i> [640L]
DiCamillo, Kate	<i>Ferris</i>
J COMIC Jamieson, Victoria	<i>Roller Girl</i> [GN440L]
Kapit, Sarah <i>Get a Grip,</i>	<i>Vivy Cohen!</i> [650L]
Look, Lenore	<i>Alvin Ho, Allergic to Girls, School, and Other Scary Things</i> [600L]
Look, Lenore	<i>Ruby Lu, Brave and True</i> [640L]
Méndez, Yamile Saied	<i>Shaking Up the House</i>
Messner, Kate	<i>Marty McGuire</i> [660L]
Mian, Zanib	<i>Planet Omar: Accidental Trouble Magnet</i> [820L]
also J COMIC Peirce, Lincoln	<i>Big Nate</i> [520L]
Pennypacker, Sara	<i>Pax</i> [760L]
Sachar, Louis	<i>Sideways Stories from Wayside School</i> [530L]
Sumner, Jamie	<i>Roll with It</i> [740L]
Swanson, Matthew and Robbi Behr	<i>Ben Yokoyama and the Cookie of Doom</i> [630L]
Watson, Renée	<i>Ways to Make Sunshine</i> [760L]
Williams-Garcia, Rita	<i>Clayton Byrd Goes Underground</i> [710L]
Woods, Brenda	<i>The Blossoming Universe of Violet Diamond</i> [670L]

## Mystery

(J FIC unless otherwise noted)

J BEG Angleberger, Tom	<i>Inspector Flytrap</i> [510L]
Barnett, Mac	<i>Mac B., Kid Spy: Mac Undercover</i> [460L]
Eulberg, Elizabeth	<i>The Great Shelby Holmes</i> [690L]
J COMIC Goerz, Gillian	<i>Shirley &amp; Jamila Save Their Summer</i>
Horvath, Polly	<i>Mr. and Mrs. Bunny – Detectives</i>
	<i>Extraordinaire!</i> [730L]
Merritt, Kory	<i>No Place for Monsters</i>
Messner, Kate	<i>Capture the Flag</i> [700L]

## Folk Tales & Poetry

J 821.08 G Giovanni, Nikki	<i>Hip Hop Speaks to Children: A Celebration of Poetry with a Beat</i> [NP]
J 821 H Harris, Chris	<i>My Head Has a Bellyache: And More Nonsense for Mischievous Kids and Immature Grownups</i>
E 821.52 H Hughes, Langston	<i>Sail Away</i>
J 821 L Lewis, J. Patrick	<i>Everything is a Poem</i> [NP]
J COMIC O'Connor, George Zeus:	<i>King of the Gods</i> [GN640L]

## Historical Fiction

(J FIC unless otherwise noted)

Behar, Ruth	<i>Lucky Broken Girl</i> [670L]
Dallas, Sandra	<i>Red Berries, White Clouds, Blue Sky</i> [640L]
Holm, Jennifer L.	<i>Full of Beans</i> [490L]
McKissack, Patricia	<i>Abby Takes a Stand</i> [580L]

## Informational Books

J 597.96 B Bishop, Nic	<i>Snakes</i> [620L]
J COMIC Brown, Don	<i>Older than Dirt: A Kinda-Sorta Biography of Earth</i> [GN730L]
J 516.15 C Campbell, Sarah	<i>Mysterious Patterns: Finding Fractals in Nature</i> [1040L]

- E 388.42 C Corey, Shana *The Secret Subway* [AD810L]
- E 594.58 F Forrester, Amy Seto *Search for a Giant Squid: Pick Your Path* [610L]
- J 599.635 H Hatkoff, Isabella Owen & Mzee: *The True Story of a Remarkable Friendship* [AD920L]
- J 599.773 I Isabella, Jude *Bringing Back the Wolves: How a Predator Restored an Ecosystem* [1020L]
- E 579.5 K Keller, Joy *Fungus is Among Us!* [710L]
- E 796.425 M McCarthy, Megan *The Wildest Race Ever: The Story of the 1904 Olympic Marathon* [760L]
- J 292.13 N Napoli, Donna Jo *Treasury of Greek Mythology: Classic Stories of Gods, Goddesses, Heroes & Monsters* [860L]
- E 551.48 P Paul, Miranda *Water is Water: A Book About the Water Cycle* [680L]
- J 828 R Roth, David and Rinee Shah *LOL 101: A Kid's Guide to Writing Jokes* [640L]
- J 623.43 S Siy, Alexandra *Cars on Mars* [1240L]
- E 633.74 S Stewart, Melissa *No Monkeys, No Chocolate* [AD740L]
- J 973.099 T Townsend, Michael *Michael Townsend's Where Do Presidents Come From?: and Other Presidential Stuff of Super Great Importance* [GN770L]
- J 323.119 W Wallace, Sandra Neil *The Teachers March!: How Selma's Teachers Changed History* [700L]

# Grade 5

(Lexile Levels have been added after each title when available)

## Biography

J COMIC WHO Blas, Terry	<i>Who Was the Voice of the People?: Cesar Chavez</i> [GN500L]
JB EARHART Fleming, Candace	<i>Amelia Lost: The Life and Disappearance of Amelia Earhart</i> [930L]
J COMIC also J SPA COMIC Martin, Pedro	<i>Mexikid: A Graphic Memoir</i>
J COMIC MERCADO Mercado, Yehudi	<i>Chunky</i>
JB JACKSON Moses, Sheila P.	<i>Who is Ketanji Brown Jackson?</i>
JB PAULSEN Paulsen, Gary	<i>Gone to the Woods: Surviving a Lost Childhood</i> [1030L]
JB ROBINSON Robinson, Sharon	<i>Child of the Dream: A Memoir of 1963</i> [740L]
JB COLLINS Schyffert, Bea	<i>The Man Who Went to the Far Side of the Moon: The Story of Apollo 11 Astronaut Michael Collins</i> [860L]
JB WHITE Sweet, Melissa	<i>Some Writer!: The Story of E.B. White</i> [1030L]
JB ULMER Ulmer, Mikaila	<i>Bee Fearless: Dream Like a Kid</i> [960L]
JB MINETA Warren Andrea	<i>Enemy Child : The Story of Norman Mineta, a Boy Imprisoned in a Japanese American Internment Camp During WWII</i> [1030L]

## Historical Fiction

(J FIC unless otherwise noted)

DiCamillo, Kate	<i>Raymie Nightingale</i> [550L]
J COMIC Hale, Nathan	<i>Blades of Freedom (Nathan Hale's Hazardous Tales)</i> [GN270L]
Hiranandani, Veera	<i>The Night Diary</i> [700L]
Lai, Thanhha	<i>Inside Out &amp; Back Again</i> [800L]
Luqman-Dawson, Amina	<i>Freewater</i>
J BEG Tarshis, Lauren	<i>I Survived the Galveston Hurricane, 1900</i> [560L]
Williams-Garcia, Rita	<i>One Crazy Summer</i> [750L]
Selznick, Brian	<i>The Invention of Hugo Cabret</i> [820L]

## Folk Tales & Poetry

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| J 821 F Fleischman, Paul     | <i>Joyful Noise: Poems for Two Voices</i> [NP]                                    |
| J 398.2 H Hamilton, Virginia | <i>Her Stories: African American Folktales Fairy Tales, and True Tales</i> [960L] |
| J FIC Keller, Tae            | <i>When You Trap a Tiger</i> [590L]   |
| J 821.08 K Kennedy, Caroline | <i>Poems to Learn by Heart</i>  |
| J 398.2 N Napoli, Donna Jo   | <i>Treasury of Magical Tales from Around the World</i>                            |
| J 398.2 S Schwartz, Alvin    | <i>Scary Stories to Tell in the Dark</i> [640L]                                   |
| J SC Smith, Cynthia Leitich  | <i>Ancestor Approved: Intertribal Stories for Kids</i>                            |

## Mystery

(J FIC unless otherwise noted)

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| Buckley, Michael            | <i>The Fairy Tale Detectives</i> [780L]           |
| Bertman, Jennifer Chambliss | <i>Book Scavenger</i> [810L]                      |
| Chari, Sheela               | <i>Finding Mighty</i> [590L]                      |
| Currie, Lindsay             | <i>Scratch Scratch</i> [HL610L]                   |
| Dowd, Siobhan               | <i>The London Eye Mystery</i> [640L]              |
| Gibbs, Stuart               | <i>Bear Bottom</i> [820L]                         |
| Korman, Gordon              | <i>Unplugged</i>                                  |
| Lukoff, Kyle                | <i>Too Bright to See</i> [790L]                   |
| Johnson, Varian             | <i>The Parker Inheritance</i> [610L]              |
| Snicket, Lemony             | <i>The Bad Beginning</i> [1010L]                  |
| Snyder, Zilpha K.           | <i>The Egypt Game</i> [1010L]                     |
| Spencer, Octavia            | <i>The Case of the Time-Capsule Bandit</i> [680L] |
| Stead, Rebecca              | <i>Liar and Spy</i> [670L]                        |
| Turnage, Sheila             | <i>Three Times Lucky</i> [560L]                   |

## Fantasy & Science Fiction

(J FIC unless otherwise noted)

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| Baptiste, Tracey | <i>The Jumbies</i> [680L]           |
| Chadda, Sarwat   | <i>City of the Plague God</i>       |
| Cline, Ernest    | <i>Bridge to Bat City</i>           |
| Collins, Suzanne | <i>Gregor the Overlander</i> [690L] |



Dahl, Roald	<i>Charlie and the Chocolate Factory</i> [810L]
DuPrau, Jeanne	<i>The City of Ember</i> [680L]
Emerson, Kevin	<i>Last Day on Mars</i>
Ewing, Eve L	<i>Maya and the Robot</i> [700L]
also J COMIC Gaiman, Neil	<i>The Graveyard Book</i> [820L]
Gidwitz, Adam	<i>A Tale Dark and Grimm</i> [690L]
Holm, Jennifer	<i>Lion of Mars</i> [530L]
also J COMIC L'Engle, Madeleine	<i>A Wrinkle in Time</i> [740L]
Mejia, Tehlor Kay	<i>Paola Santiago and the River of Tears</i> [840L]
Murray, James S	<i>Alien Summer</i> [690L]
Peters, Shawn	<i>The Unforgettable Logan Foster</i>
Philbrick, W.R.	<i>The Big Dark</i> [780L]
T FIC Riordan, Rick	<i>Daughter of the Deep</i> [700L]
Roanhorse, Rebecca	<i>Race to the Sun</i>
Smith, Cynthia Leitich	<i>Sisters of the Neversea</i>
Stephens, John	<i>The Emerald Atlas</i> [720L]
White, J. A.	<i>Archimancy</i>

## Fiction

(J FIC unless otherwise noted)

Bajaj, Varsha	<i>Thirst</i>
J COMIC Bell, Cece	<i>El Deafo</i>
Birdsall, Jeanne	<i>The Penderwicks</i> [800L]
Black, Holly	<i>Doll Bones</i> [840L]
Booth, Coe	<i>Kinda Like Brothers</i> [660L]
Bowling, Dusti	<i>Across the Desert</i>
Bradley, Kimberly Brubaker	<i>Fighting Words</i>
Buyea, Rob	<i>Because of Mr. Terrupt</i> [560L]
Faruqi, Saadia	<i>A Thousand Questions</i>
Draper, Sharon M.	<i>Out of My Mind</i> [700L]
Grabenstein, Chris	<i>The Smartest Kid in the Universe</i> [640L]
Hunt, Lynda Mullaly	<i>Shouting at the Rain</i> [HL560L]
J COMIC Johnson, Varian	<i>Twins</i> [GN360L]
Kadohata, Cynthia	<i>Saucy</i> [730L]
Kelkar, Supriya	<i>American as Paneer Pie</i> [840L]
Khan, Hena	<i>Amina's Voice</i> [800L]
King, A. S.	<i>Attack of the Black Rectangles</i>

Kinney, Jeff	<i>Diary of a Wimpy Kid: Greg Heffley's Journal</i> [950L]
Levy, Dana Alison	<i>The Misadventures of the Family Fletcher</i> [750L]
Marks, Janae	<i>From the Desk of Zoe Washington</i>
Martin, Ann M.	<i>Rain Reign</i> [720L]
McDunn, Gillian	<i>Caterpillar Summer</i> [540L]
Ponti, James	<i>City Spies</i> [750L]
Respicio, Mae	<i>How to Win a Slime War</i> [660L]
Reynolds, Jason	<i>As Brave as You</i> [750L]
also J SPA Ryan, Pam M.	<i>Becoming Naomi Léon</i> [830L]
Saeed, Aisha	<i>Amal Unbound</i> [HL600L]
Stone, Nic	<i>Clean Getaway</i> [780L]
Warga, Jasmine	<i>Other Words for Home</i> [930L]
Weeks, Sarah	<i>Pie</i> [930L]
Woodson, Jacqueline	<i>Harbor Me</i> [630L]

## Informational Books

J 324.623 C Chambers, Veronica	<i>Finish the Fight: The Brave Revolutionary Women Who Fought for the Right to Vote</i>
J 305.8 C Cherry-Paul, Sonja	<i>Stamped (For Kids): Racism, Antiracism and You</i>
J 382.44 C Cottman, Michael H.	<i>Shackles From the Deep: Tracing the Path of a Sunken Slave Ship, a Bitter Past, and a Rich Legacy</i> [1160L]
J 629.454 F Floca, Brian	<i>Moonshot: The Flight of Apollo 11</i> [AD830L]
J 070.43 G Gravel, Elise	<i>Killer Underwear Invasion!: How to Spot Fake News, Disinformation &amp; Conspiracy Theories</i> [GN500L]
E 577.34 G Gualinga, Patricia	<i>Stand as Tall as Trees: How an Amazonian Community Protected the Rain Forest</i> (also J SPA)
J 551.552 H Hopkinson, Deborah	<i>The Deadliest Hurricanes Then and Now</i> [990L]
J 305.8 J Jewell, Tiffany	<i>This Book is Anti-Racist</i>
J 641.512 K Karmel, Annabel	<i>Annabel Karmel's Fun, Fast &amp; Easy Children's Cookbook</i> [980L]

- J 745.5 K Keller, Sunny *Life Hacks for Kids*
- E 304.6 M McCann, Jacqueline *If the World Were 100 People: a Visual Guide to Our Global illage* [AD830L]
- J 595.799 M Markle, Sandra *The Case of the Vanishing Honeybees: A Scientific Mystery* [980L]
- J 910.916 M Messner, Kate *The Titanic* [1020L]
- J COMIC Panafieu, Jean-Baptiste *History of the World in Comics*
- J 597.95 P Patent, Dorothy Hinshaw *Lizard Scientists: Studying Evolution in Action*
- J 972.91 S Sheinkin, Steve *Fallout: Spies, Superbombs, and the Ultimate Cold War Showdown* [890L]
- J 796.525 S Soontornvat, Christina *All Thirteen: The Incredible Cave Rescue of the Thai Boys' Soccer Team* [1020L]
- J 973.099 S Spradlin, Michael *Close Calls: How Eleven U.S. Presidents Escaped from the Brink of Death*
- J 363.738 S Simon, Seymour *Climate Action: What Happened and What We Can Do*
- E 520 L Larson, Kristen W. *The Fire of Stars: The Life and Brilliance of the Woman Who Discovered What Stars are Made Of*
- J 612 W Wicks, Maris *Human Body Theater* [GN920L]
- J 796 Z Zuckerman, Gregory *Rising Above: How 11 Athletes Overcame Challenges in Their Youth to Become Stars* [1010L]

# Grade 6

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## Adventure

(J FIC unless otherwise noted)

Bowling, Dusti	<i>The Canyon's Edge</i> [750L]
Esplin, J.L.	<i>96 Miles</i> [760L]
Hicks, Deron	<i>The Van Gogh Deception</i> [750L]
Gibbs, Stuart	<i>Charlie Thorne and the Last Equation</i> [850L]
Ponti, James	<i>City Spies 1-3</i>
Trueit, Trudi Strain	<i>Explorer Academy Series</i> [660L-700L]
Yee, Lisa	<i>A Royal Conundrum (The Misfits)</i> [820L]

## Biography

J 920 B Baptiste, Tracey	<i>African Icons: Ten People Who Shaped History</i> [1160L]
JB BRIDGES Bridges, Ruby	<i>This is Your Time</i> [940L]
JB FINDER Finder, Rena	<i>My Survival: A Girl on Schindler's List</i> [970L]
JB HOUDINI Fleischman, Sid	<i>Escape!: The Story of the Great Houdini</i> [940L]
JB HEUMANN Heumann, Judith	<i>Rolling Warrior: The Incredible, Sometimes Awkward, True Story of a Rebel Girl on Wheels Who Helped Spark a Revolution</i> [760L]
JB LIN Rubin, Susan Goldman	<i>Maya Lin: Thinking with her Hands</i> [980L]

## Fantasy & Science Fiction

(J FIC unless otherwise noted)

Alston, B.B.	<i>Amari and the Night Brothers</i> [700L]
Auxier, Jonathan	<i>The Night Gardener</i> [690L]
Chokshi, Roshani	<i>Aru Shah and the End of Time</i> [630L]
Delaney, Joseph	<i>Revenge of the Witch</i> [840L]
Kelly, Erin Entrada	<i>The First State of Being</i>

Korman, Gordon	<i>The Hypnotists</i> [750L]
Meloy, Maile	<i>The Apothecary</i> [740L]
Prineas, Sarah	<i>The Magic Thief</i> [680L]
Rowling, J.K.	<i>Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone</i> [880L]
Soontornvat, Christina	<i>The Last Mapmaker</i> [740L]

## Fiction

(J FIC unless otherwise noted)

Arnold, Marie	<i>The Year I Flew Away</i>
T FIC Benjamin, Ali	<i>The Thing About Jellyfish</i> [740L]
Bow, Erin	<i>Simon Sort of Says</i>
Cisneros, Ernesto	<i>Efrén Divided: A Novel</i> [710L]
Currie, Lindsay	<i>The Peculiar Incident on Shady Street</i>
Draper, Sharon M	<i>Blended</i> [610L]
Erskine, Kathryn	<i>Mockingbird</i> [INC630L]
Gaiman, Neil	<i>Coraline</i> [740L]
Gemeinhart, Dan	<i>Scar Island</i> [610L]
Gidwitz, Adam	<i>A Tale Dark and Grimm</i> [690L]
Giles, Lamar	<i>The Last Last-Day-of-Summer</i> [740L]
Graff, Lisa	<i>The Great Treehouse War</i> [890L]
Harrell, Rob	<i>Wink</i> [580L]
Hernandez, Carlos Alberto	<i>Sal &amp; Gabi Break the Universe</i> [700L]
J FIC, T FIC Hiaasen, Carl	<i>Flush</i> [770L]
Ireland, Justina	<i>Ophie's Ghost</i>
Johnson, Varian	<i>Playing the Cards You're Dealt</i>
Jung, Mike	<i>The Boys in the Back Row</i> [860L]
L'Engle, Madeleine	<i>A Ring of Endless Light</i> [810L]
T FIC Lupica, Mike	<i>Heat</i> [940L]
Palacio, R.J.	<i>Wonder</i> [790L]
Patterson, James	<i>Middle School: The Worst Years of My Life</i> [700L]
Reynolds, Jason	<i>Look Both Ways: A Tale Told in Ten Blocks</i> [750L]
J SC Smith, Cynthia Leitich	<i>Ancestor Approved: Intertribal Stories for Kids</i>
Stroud, Jonathan	<i>The Screaming Staircase</i> [720L]
Wilson, Lakita	<i>Sparkle</i> [770L]
Woodson, Jacqueline	<i>Before the Ever After</i> [780L]

## Folk Tales & Poetry

- J FIC, J COMIC Alexander, Kwame *Booked* [660L]  
J 821 F Fleischman, Paul *Joyful Noise: Poems for Two Voices* [NP]  
J 398.2 G García Esperón, María *The Sea-Ringed World*  
J 821.08 K Kennedy, X.J. *Knock at a Star: A Child's Introduction to Poetry* [NP]  
J 398.2 N Napoli, Donna Jo *Treasury of Magical Tales from Around the World*  
J 398.21 R Ramirez, Janina *Goddess: 50 Goddesses, Spirits, Saints and Other Female Figures Who Have Shaped Belief*  
J FIC Woodson, Jacqueline *Brown Girl Dreaming* [990L]

## Graphic Novels & Comics

- J COMIC Christmas, Johnnie *Swim Team*  
J COMIC Craft, Jerry *Class Act* [GN 340L]  
J COMIC Gaiman, Neil *Coraline* [740L]  
J COMIC LaMotte, Lily *Measuring Up* [HL360]  
J FIC, J COMIC Montgomery, L.M. *Anne of Green Gables* [760L]  
J COMIC Muro, Jennifer *Primer*  
J COMIC SCIENCE *The Periodic Table of Elements: Understanding the Building Blocks of Everything*  
J COMIC Sullivan, Tom *Unsolved Case Files: No. 001 Escape at 10,000 Feet: D.B. Cooper & the Missing Money*  
T GN Telgemeier, Raina *Sisters* [GN290L]

## Historical Fiction

(J FIC unless otherwise noted)

- Alexander, Kwame *The Door of No Return* [NP]  
Anderson, Laurie Halse *Chains* [780L]  
Bradley, Kimberly Brubaker *The War That Saved My Life* [580L]  
Draper, Sharon *Stella by Starlight* [740L]  
Gratz, Alan *Allies* [780L]

Lai, Thanhha	<i>Inside Out &amp; Back Again</i> [800L]
Nayeri, Daniel	<i>The Many Assassinations of Samir, the Seller of Dreams</i>
Patterson, James	<i>Becoming Muhammad Ali</i> [1010L]

## Mystery

(J FIC unless otherwise noted)

Arden, Katherine	<i>Dark Waters</i> [HL550]
Ecton, Emily	<i>he Great Vandal Scandal</i> [510L]
Grabenstein, Chris	<i>Escape from Mr. Lemoncello's Library</i> [720L]
Johnson, Varian	<i>The Parker Inheritance</i> [610L]
Mass, Wendy	<i>The Candymakers</i> [740L]
Ponti, James	<i>Framed! A T.O.A.S.T. Mystery</i> [680L]
Sherry, Maureen	<i>Walls Within Walls</i> [770L]
Stevens, Robin	<i>Murder is Bad Manners</i> [910L]
Stewart, Trenton Lee	<i>The Mysterious Benedict Society</i> [900L]
J FIC, T FIC Timberlake, Amy	<i>One Came Home</i> [690L]
T FIC Thomas, Leah	<i>Because You'll Never Meet Me</i> [HL660L]

## Nonfiction & Informational Books

J 569.909 B Berger, Lee R.	<i>The Skull in the Rock: How a Scientist, a Boy, and Google Earth Opened a New Window on Human Origins</i> [1140L]
J 599.4 C Carson, Mary Kay	<i>The Bat Scientists</i> [1010L]
J 523.887 D DeCristofano, Carolyn	<i>A Black Hole Is NOT a Hole</i> [900L]
J 976.6 G Grann, David	<i>Killers of the Flower Moon: The Osage Murders &amp; the Birth of the FBI: Adapted for Young Readers</i> [1090L]
J 728.372 H Harshman, Marc	<i>Fallingwater</i> [620L]
J 305.8 T Hudson, Wade, ed.	<i>The Talk: Conversations About Race, Love &amp; Truth</i> [780L]
J 004.167 K Kachala, Elaine	<i>Superpower? The Wearable-Tech Revolution</i> [880L]
J WB 641.595 L Lin, Grace	<i>Chinese Menu: The History, Myths, and Legends Behind Your Favorite Foods</i>
J 974.402 M Messner, Kate	<i>The Mayflower</i> [1030L]

J 031.02 N National Geographic Kids *Almanac 2025*

J 629 R Ralphs, Matt *Transported: 50 Vehicles That Changed the World*

J 910.41 T Thuras, Dylan *Atlas Obscura Explorer's Guide for the World's Most Adventurous Kid* [910L]

J 959.704 T Townley, Alvin *Captured: An American Prisoner of War in North Vietnam* [880L]



# Grade 7

(Lexile Levels have been added after each title when available)

## Biography

- J 796.323 A Abdul-Jabbar, Kareem *Becoming Kareem: Growing Up On and Off the Court* [990L]
- JB BOYCE Boyce, Jo Ann Allen *This Promise of Change: One Girl's Story in the Fight for School Equality* [1000L]
- J 364.12 D Day, Nicholas *The Mona Lisa Vanishes: A Legendary Painter, a Shocking Heist, and the Birth of a Global Celebrity*
- JB FRANKLIN Freedman, Russell *Becoming Ben Franklin: How a Candlemaker's Son Helped Light the Flame of Liberty* [1170L]
- J 920.72 H Hudson, Cheryl Willis *Brave, Black, First: 50+ African American Women Who Changed the World* [NC1270L]
- J COMIC Jamieson, Victoria *When Stars Are Scattered* [GN530L]
- J 323.092 J Joy, Angela *Choosing Brave: How Mamie Till-Mobley and Emmet Till Sparked the Civil Rights Movement* [680L]
- J 940.53 L Levi, Lia *Just a Girl: A True Story of World War II*
- T FIC, J PBK Park, Linda Sue *A Long Walk to Water: Based on a True Story* [720L]
- T 362.7092 O351f Ogle, Rex *Free Lunch* [HL490L]
- J 333.72 R Rohmer, Harriet *Heroes of the Environment: True Stories of People Who Are Helping to Protect Our Planet* [1070L]
- JB ARNOLD Sheinkin, Steve *The Notorious Benedict Arnold: A True Story of Adventure, Heroism, & Treachery* [990L]
- JB MINETA Warren, Andrea *Enemy Child: The Story of Norman Mineta, a Boy Imprisoned in Japanese American Internment Camp During World War II* [1030L]
- J 323.092 W Weatherford, Carole *Voice of Freedom: Fannie Lou Hamer, Spirit of the Civil Rights Movement* [820L]
- J FIC Woodson, Jacqueline *Brown Girl Dreaming* [990L]

## Poetry

- J FIC Alexander, Kwame *The Door of No Return* [NP]  
J FIC Bowles, David *They Call Me Güero: A Border Kid's Poems* [850L]  
J FIC Comrie, Cortne *Rain Rising*  
J 821 G Grimes, Nikki *Legacy: Women Poets of the Harlem Renaissance*  
J FIC Mendez, Jasminne *Aniana del Mar Jumps In* [NP]  
T 821 N994a Nye, Naomi Shihab *A Maze Me: Poems for Girls* [NP]  
J FIC Patterson, James *Becoming Muhammad Ali: A Novel* [1010L]  
T 821 R463f Reynolds, Jason *For Everyone* [980L]  
J FIC Salazar, Aida *Land of the Cranes* [890L]  
T 821.54 S568w Sidman, Joyce *What the Heart Knows: Chants, Charms & Blessings*

## Historical Fiction

- T FIC Chee, Traci *We Are Not Free* [860L]  
J FIC Draper, Sharon M. *Stella by Starlight* [740L]  
T FIC Gratz, Alan *Refugee* [800L]  
J FIC Hopkinson, Deborah *The Plot to Kill a Queen: A Royal Spy Story in Three Acts, Also Including the Princess Saves the Cakes, A One Act Play to Perform with a Company of Friends*  
J FIC Kadohata, Cynthia *Kira-Kira* [740L]  
T FIC Lee, Stacey *The Downstairs Girl* [810L]  
J FIC Marsh, Katherine *The Lost Year* [710L]  
T FIC McCaughrean, Geraldine *Where the World Ends* [900]  
J FIC Nayeri, Daniel *Everything Sad is Untrue: (A True Story)* [800L]  
J FIC Pasternack, Sofiya *Black Bird, Blue Road*  
T FIC Sepetys, Ruta *Between Shades of Gray* [HL 490]

## Mystery

- T FIC Barnes, Jennifer Lynn *The Naturals* [HL690]  
T FIC Carriger, Gail *Etiquette & Espionage* [HL780L]

J FIC Chari, Sheela	<i>Finding Mighty</i> [590L]
J FIC Gerber, Alyson	<i>The Liars Society</i> [640L]
J FIC Gibbs, Stuart	<i>Charlie Thorne and the Last Equation</i> [850L]
J FIC Johnson, Varian	<i>The Parker Inheritance</i> [610L]
T FIC Kuehn, Stephanie	<i>By the Time You Read This I'll Be Gone</i> [780L]
J FIC Levy, Dana Alison	<i>It Wasn't Me</i> [740L]
T FIC McManus, Karen	<i>One of Us is Lying</i> [HL730L]
J FIC Milford, Kate	<i>Greenglass House</i> [800L]
J FIC Ponti, James	<i>City Spies</i> [750L]
J FIC Standish, Ali	<i>The Improbable Tales of Baskerville Hall</i>
J FIC Sumner Johnson, Janet	<i>The Final Word</i>
J FIC Raskin, Ellen	<i>The Westing Game</i> [750L]

## Fantasy & Science Fiction

J FIC Brennan, Linda Crotta	<i>The Selkie's Daughter</i>
J FIC Chainani, Soman	<i>The School for Good and Evil</i> [830L]
J FIC Choksi, Roshani	<i>Aru Shah and the End of Time</i> [630L]
J FIC Clark, P. Djèli	<i>Abeni's Song</i> [620L]
J FIC, J COMIC Gaiman, Neil	<i>The Graveyard Book</i> [820L]
J FIC Higuera, Donna Barba	<i>Alebrjjes</i>
J FIC LaRocca, Rajani	<i>Sona and the Golden Beasts</i>
J FIC Lee, Yoon Ha	<i>The Dragon Pearl</i> [780L]
T FIC Little Badger, Darcie	<i>A Snake Falls to Earth</i> [HL710]
T FIC Lu, Marie	<i>Batman: Nightwalker</i> [800L]
T FIC Maas, Sarah J.	<i>Throne of Glass</i> [HL790L]
J FIC Mbalia, Kwame	<i>Tristan Strong Punches a Hole in the Sky</i> [HL680L]
T FIC Meyer, Marissa	<i>Cinder</i> [790L]
T FIC Okorafor, Nnedi	<i>Akata Witch</i> [HL590L]
T FIC Reynolds, Jason	<i>Miles Morales: Spider-Man</i> [HL710L]
T FIC Riordan, Rick	<i>The Sun and the Star: a Nico di Angelo Adventure</i> [670L]
T FIC Shusterman, Neal	<i>Dry</i> [790L]
J FIC Smith, Ronald	<i>Black Panther: The Young Prince</i> [580L]
J COMIC Sterling, Zach	<i>Mabuhay!</i> [GN300L]
T FIC Taylor, Laini	<i>Strange the Dreamer</i> [HL820L]
J FIC Ursu, Anne	<i>The Troubled Girls of Dragomir Academy</i>
J FIC Zhao, Katie	<i>The Last Gamer Standing</i> [760L]

## Fiction

T FIC Alexander, Kwame	<i>The Crossover</i> [750L]
T FIC Bodeen, S.A.	<i>The Raft</i> [HL680L]
J FIC Braden, Ann	<i>The Benefits of Being an Octopus</i> [770L]
J FIC Cartaya, Pablo	<i>The Epic Fail of Arturo Zamora</i> [750L]
J FIC Giles, Chrystal	<i>Not an Easy Win</i> [770L]
J FIC Harrington, C.C.	<i>Wildoak</i>
J FIC Harrell, Rob	<i>Wink</i> [580L]
J FIC Kadohata, Cynthia	<i>Checked</i> [760L]
J FIC Keller, Tae	<i>The Science of Breakable Things</i> [840L]
J FIC Kuyatt, Meg Eden	<i>Good Different</i> [830L]
J FIC Moore, David Barclay	<i>The Stars Beneath Our Feet</i> [650L]
J FIC Pancholy, Maulik	<i>The Best At It</i> [HL620L]
J FIC Reynolds, Jason	<i>Look Both Ways</i> [750L]
J FIC Schmidt, Gary D.	<i>Okay for Now</i> [850L]
T FIC Sedgwick, Marcus	<i>Revolver</i> [880L]
J FIC Stone, Nic	<i>Clean Getaway</i> [780L]
T FIC Sullivan, Tara	<i>The Bitter Side of Sweet</i> [810L]
J FIC Wyman, Christina	<i>Jawbreaker</i> [760L]

## Manga & Graphic Novels

T GN Dauvillier, Loïc	<i>Hidden: A Child's Story of the Holocaust</i> [GN530L]
J COMIC Gudsnuik, Kristen	<i>Making Friends</i> [GN340L]
J COMIC Keenan, Sheila	<i>Dogs of War</i> [GN490L]
J COMIC Knisley, Lucy	<i>Stepping Stones</i> [GN500L]
J COMIC Leyh, Kat	<i>Snapdragon</i> [GN210L]
T GN Ottaviani, Jim	<i>Primates: The Fearless Science of Jane Goodall, Dian Fossey, and Biruté Galdikas</i>
T GN Petty, Kate Reed	<i>The Leak</i> [GN350L]
J COMIC Pimienta, Jose	<i>Twin Cities</i> [GN510]
J COMIC Santat, Dan	<i>A First Time for Everything</i>
J COMIC Steinkellner, Emma	<i>The Okay Witch</i> [GN390L]
J COMIC Thummler, Brenna	<i>Sheets</i> [GN400L]
T GN Tynion IV, James	<i>Wynd, Book One: The Flight of the Prince</i>
T GN Williams, Lily	<i>Look on the Bright Side</i>
T GN Yang, Gene Luen	<i>Dragon Hoops</i> [HL550L]

## Informational Books

- J 940.472 B Bascomb, Neal *The Grand Escape: The Greatest Prison Breakout of the 20th Century* [1070L]
- J 324.623 B Bausum, Ann *With Courage and Cloth: Winning the Fight for a Woman's Right to Vote* [970L]
- J 976.044 B Brown, Don *Drowned City: Hurricane Katrina & New Orleans* [GN920L]
- J 920 C *Teen Trailblazers: 30 Daring Boys Whose Dreams Changed the World*
- J 323.119 C Chambers, Veronica *Call and Response: The Story of Black Lives Matter*
- J 364.15 C Crowe, Chris *Getting Away with Murder: The True Story of the Emmett Till Case* [1210L]
- J 324.623 D Dionne, Evette *Lifting As We Climb: Black Women's Battle for the Ballot Box*
- J 327.127 F Favreau, Marc *Spies: The Secret Showdown Between America and Russia*
- J 614.573 F Fitzharris, Lindsey *Plague Busters: Medicine's Battles with History's Deadliest Diseases*
- J 940.542 H Heiligman, Deborah *Torpedoed: the True Story of the World War II Sinking of "The Children's Ship"* [840L]
- J 353.997 J Jarrow, Gail *The Poison Eaters: Fighting Danger and Fraud in Our Food and Drugs* [1020L]
- J 616.9 M Murphy, Jim *Invincible Microbe: Tuberculosis and the Never-Ending Search for a Cure* [1200L]
- J 940.531 P Partridge, Elizabeth *Seen and Unseen: What Dorothea Lange, Toyo Miyatake, and Ansel Adam's Photographs Reveal About the Japanese American Incarceration* [990L]
- J 940.531 R Rappaport, Doreen *Beyond Courage: The Untold Story of Jewish Resistance During the Holocaust* [1030L]
- J 973.709 S Sheinkin, Steve *Lincoln's Grave Robbers* [930L]
- J 688.722 S Stone, Tanya Lee *The Good, the Bad, and the Barbie* [1120L]

# Grade 8

(Lexile Levels have been added after each title when available)

## Biography

- J 920 B Beccia, Carlyn *They Lost Their Heads!: What Happened to Washington's Teeth, Einstein's Brain, and Other Famous Body Parts* [1010L]
- J 508 B Beil, Karen Magnuson *What Linnaeus Saw: A Scientist's Quest to Name Every Living Thing* [1110]
- J 920 B Bolden, Tonya *Changing the Equation: 50+ US Black Women in STEM*
- T 970.00497 G199a Gansworth, Eric *Apple: Skin to the Core*
- J 940.54 G Greenfield, Amy Butler *The Woman All Spies Fear: Code Breaker Elizabeth Smith Friedman and Her Hidden Life*
- T GN Krosoczka, Jarret J. *Hey Kiddo: How I Lost My Mother, Found My Father, and Dealt with Family Addiction* [HL510L]
- T 306.768 K962b Kuklin, Susan *Beyond Magenta: Transgender Teens Speak Out* [HL600L]
- T796.334 M847b Morgan, Alex *Breakaway* [960L]
- T 362.77569 O35p Ogle, Rex *Punching Bag*
- J 595.70 S Sidman, Joyce *The Girl Who Drew Butterflies: How Maria Merian's Art Changed Science* [1110L]
- T GN Smith, Tommie *Victory. Stand!: Raising My Fist for Justice*
- T371.822 S881g Stone, Tanya Lee *Girl Rising: Changing the World One Girl at a Time* [1050L]
- J 305.23 Y Yousafzai, Malala *We are Displaced: My Journey and Stories From Refugee Girls Around the World*

## Poetry

- J FIC Arango, Beatriz *Iveliz Explains It All* [940L]
- J 821.08 C Carlson, Lori M. *Cool Salsa: Bilingual Poems on Growing Up Latino in the United States*
- T 821 G862o Grimes, Nikki *Ordinary Hazards: a Memoir* [840L]
- T FIC Heppermann, Christine *Ask Me How I Got Here*

T 821 L579c León, Amyra	<i>Concrete Kids</i> [NP]
J 940.542 L Lowry, Lois	<i>On the Horizon</i> [HL580L]
T FIC McBride, Amber	<i>We are All So Good at Smiling</i> [NP]
J 821.08 P Paschen, Elise	<i>Poetry Speaks Who I Am</i>
T 821 S644d Smith, Crystal Simone	<i>Dark Testament: Poems</i> [NP]
T FIC Venkatraman, Padma	<i>A Time to Dance</i> [720L]

## Historical Fiction

(T FIC unless otherwise noted)

Chee, Traci	<i>We Are Not Free</i> [860L]
Cline-Ransom, Lesa	<i>For Lamb</i>
Gratz, Alan	<i>Projekt 1065</i> [780L]
Hammonds Reed, Christina	<i>The Black Kids</i> [HL830L]
Hughes, Dean	<i>Four-Four-Two</i> [820L]
Hur, June	<i>The Red Palace</i> [HL 780]
Lee, Mackenzi	<i>The Lady's Guide to Petticoats and Piracy</i>
McCormick, Patricia	<i>Purple Heart</i> [760L]
Medina, Meg	<i>Burn Baby Burn</i> [HL680L]
Mills, Wendy	<i>All We Have Left</i> [880L]
Polydoros, Aden	<i>City Beautiful</i>
Schwartz, Dana	<i>Anatomy: A Love Story</i>
Sepetys, Ruta	<i>Out of the Easy</i> [HL590L]
Shabazz, Ilyasah	<i>The Awakening of Malcolm X: A Novel</i> [HL 650]
J FIC Wiles, Deborah	<i>Countdown</i> [800L]

## Mystery

(T FIC unless otherwise noted)

Barnes, Jennifer Lynn	<i>The Inheritance Games</i> [690L]
J FIC Doyle, Sir Arthur Conan	<i>The Hound of the Baskervilles</i> [HL590L]
Emezi, Akwaeke	<i>Pet</i> [820L]
Gagnon, Michelle	<i>Don't Turn Around</i> [HL710L]
Giles, Gail	<i>Dead Girls Don't Write Letters</i> [550L]
Haddon, Mark	<i>The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-time</i> [1090L]
Henry, Katie	<i>Gideon Green in Black + White</i>

Johnson, Maureen	<i>Truly Devious</i> [HL680L]
Lee, Y.S.	<i>A Spy in the House</i> [HL680L]
McQuiston, Casey	<i>I Kissed Shara Wheeler</i>
McManus, Karen	<i>One of Us is Lying</i> [HL730L]
Ostow, Micol	<i>Amity</i> [HL780L]
also J FIC Pullman, Philip	<i>The Ruby in the Smoke</i> [750L]
Roux, Madeleine	<i>Asylum</i> [HL720]
Ruby, Laura	<i>Bone Gap</i> [HL810L]
Sedoti, Chelsea	<i>The Hundred Lies of Lizzie Lovett</i> [HL680]
Sheinmel, Alyssa	<i>A Danger to Herself and Others</i> [HL790L]

## Fantasy & Science Fiction

(T FIC unless otherwise noted)

Adeyemi Tomi	<i>Children of Blood and Bone</i> [HL670L]
J FIC Anderson, John David	<i>Stowaway</i>
Anderson, Lily	<i>Scout's Honor</i> [850L]
Bardugo, Leigh	<i>King of Scars</i> [HL810L]
Bardugo, Leigh	<i>Six of Crows</i> [HL790L]
Blake, Elly	<i>Frostblood</i> [HL750L]
Bracken, Alexandra	<i>The Darkest Minds</i> [870L]
also T SPA Cashore, Kristin	<i>Graceling</i> [730L]
Clayton, Dhonielle	<i>The Belles</i> [HL650L]
Condie, Allyson Braithwaite	<i>Matched</i> [HL680L]
Cordova Zoraida	<i>Labyrinth Lost</i> [630L]
Deonn, Tracy	<i>Legendborn</i> [HL730L]
also J FIC, J SPA Farmer, Nancy	<i>The House of the Scorpion</i> [660L]
Ireland, Justina	<i>Dread Nation</i> [870L]
Kemmerer, Brigid	<i>A Curse So Dark and Lonely</i> [HL580L]
Kirby, Matthew J.	<i>Star Splitter</i> [790L]
Little Badger, Darcie	<i>Elatsoe</i>
Lim, Elizabeth	<i>Six Crimson Cranes</i> [HL790L]
also T GN Lu, Marie	<i>Legend</i> [HL710L]
Meyer, Marissa	<i>Renegades</i> [860L]
Oliver, Lauren	<i>Delirium</i> [920L]
Onyebuchi, Tochi	<i>War Girls</i> [HL790L]
also J COMIC, J FIC, T SPA Pullman, Philip	<i>The Golden Compass</i> [930L]
Schwab, Victoria	<i>This Savage Song</i> [830L]



Scott, Michael	<i>The Alchemyst (The Secrets of the Immortal Nicholas Flamel)</i> [890L]
Shusterman, Neal	<i>Scythe</i> [830L]
Stiefvater, Maggie	<i>The Scorpio Races</i> [840L]
J FIC Soontornvat, Christina	<i>The Last Mapmaker</i> [740L]
Tahir, Sabaa	<i>An Ember in the Ashes: a novel</i> [HL680L]
Taylor, Laini	<i>Daughter of Smoke and Bone</i> [850L]
J FIC Tolkien, J.R.R.	<i>The Hobbit</i> [1000L]
Turner, Megan Whelan	<i>The Thief</i> [920L]
Yancey, Richard	<i>The 5th Wave</i> [HL690L]

## Fiction

(T FIC unless otherwise noted)

Alexander, Kwame	<i>Swing</i> [HL610L]
also T GN Anderson, Laurie	<i>Speak</i> [690L]
Colbert, Brandy	<i>Little and Lion</i> [HL820L]
Gervais, Alison	<i>The Silence Between Us</i> [940L]
Giles, Gail	<i>Girls Like Us</i> [HL570L]
J FIC Greenwald, Tommy	<i>Game Changer</i> [750L]
Johnson, Angela	<i>The First Part Last</i> [790L]
Khorram, Adib	<i>Darius the Great is Not Okay</i> [HL710L]
Lockhart, E.	<i>We Were Liars</i> [HL600L]
J FIC March, Katherine	<i>Nowhere Boy</i> [810L]
<i>Myers, Walter Dean</i>	<i>Sunrise Over Fallujah</i> [780L]
Oshiro, Mark	<i>Anger Is a Gift</i> [HL710L]
Oseman, Alice	<i>Radio Silence</i> [HL760L]
Petrus, Junauda	<i>The Stars and the Blackness Between Them</i> [890L]
Reynolds, Jason	<i>All American Boys</i> [HL770L]
Ribay, Randy	<i>After the Shot Drops</i> [HL730L]
Smyth, Clara	<i>Not My Problem</i>
Stewart, Erin	<i>The Words We keep</i> [HL680L]
also T SPA Torres Sanchez, Jenny	<i>We Are Not From Here</i>
Woodson, Jacqueline	<i>Miracle's Boys</i> [660L]
Zoboi, Ibi	<i>Pride</i> [HL720L]

## Manga & Graphic Novels

(T GN unless otherwise noted)

Bardugo, Leigh & Pendergast, Dani	<i>Demon in the Wood: A Shadow and Bone Novel</i>
T GN Brown, Don	<i>In The Shadow of the Fallen Towers</i>
Brown, Don	<i>The Unwanted: Stories of the Syrian Refugees</i>
Feder, Tyler	<i>Dancing at the Pity Party</i>
Lewis, John	<i>March (Book One)</i> [GN760L]
Lutes, Jason	<i>Houdini: The Handcuff King</i> [GN640L]
J 509 N Nott, Dan	<i>Hidden Systems: Water, Electricity, the Internet, and the Secrets Behind the Systems We Use Every Day</i> [GN 1320]
Ostertag, Molly Knox	<i>The Girl From The Sea</i>
Shusterman, Neal	<i>Courage to Dream: Tales of Hope in the Holocaust</i>
Spiegelman, Art	<i>Maus</i> [NP]
T FIC Stevenson, Noelle	<i>Lumberjanes: Beware the Kitten Holy</i> [GN390L]
Tamaki, Mariko	<i>Harley Quinn: Breaking Glass</i>
Watters, Shannon	<i>Hollow</i>
Wilson, G. Willow	<i>Ms. Marvel #1, No Normal</i> [GN420L]

## Informational Books

J 664.109 A Aronson, Marc	<i>Sugar Changed the World: A Story of Magic, Spice, Slavery, Freedom, and Science</i> [1130L]
J 362.196 B Bausum, Ann	<i>Viral: The Fight Against Aids in America</i>
T 342.730878 B658j Blumenthal, Karen	<i>Jane Against the World: Roe v. Wade and the Fight for Reproductive Rights</i>
J 947.08 R Fleming, Candace	<i>The Family Romanov: Murder, Rebellion &amp; the Fall of Imperial Russia</i> [950L]
J 305.896 H Hartfield, Claire	<i>A Few Red Drops: The Chicago Race Riot of 1919</i> [1120L]

J 614.42 J Johnson, Steven	<i>Extra Life: The Astonishing Story of How We Doubled Our Lifespan</i> [1220L]
J 323.119 M Magoon, Kekla	<i>Revolution in Our Time: The Black Panther Party's Promise to the People</i> [1200L]
T 949.703 S116c Sabic-El-Rayess, Amra	<i>The Cat I Never Named: A True Story of Love, War, and Survival</i>
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