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#### Dear Parents/Guardians:

Reading is a fundamental life skill that opens the door to knowledge at all levels. <u>Learning to read</u> is essential to achieving success in the educational process. <u>Reading to learn</u> is essential for the gathering of appropriate information and gaining understanding. The more we read the more necessary knowledge we gain for further reading and learning.

Our Elementary Summer Reading List provides a variety of selections. We believe that the suggestions provided on this list support our reading program and appropriate skill development.

We encourage parents to provide opportunities for your children to access quality reading materials throughout the summer months. Any support that you can offer to your child's emerging literacy skills is very important. Reading with your child without regard to his/her age is an excellent strategy to encourage a strong literacy foundation.

Please do not hesitate to call your child's teacher or principal if you have any questions about selections that are not on our list.

Have a great summer!

Sincerely,

Marianne Serratore Assistant Superintendent

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# Summer Reading list

## Kindergarten

How to Make a Mudpie Rozanne Lanczak Williams I Can Read Rozanne Lanczak Williams I Can Write Rozanne Lanczak Williams I See Colors Rozanne Lanczak Williams

I See Patterns Linda Benton I See Shapes Marcia Fries

#### Late K / Early Grade 1

Where Do Monsters Live? Rozanne Lanczak Williams Where's Your Tooth? Rozanne Lanczak Williams City Mouse and Country Mouse Rozanne Lanczak Williams

Scaredy Cat Rozanne Lanczak Williams

Joshua James Likes Trucks Catherine Petrie Looking for Halloween Kathleen Urmston

# Grade 1 (1st quarter)

Just Like Dad Monica Hiris Just Like Mom Monica Hiris

Sammy Kathleen Urmston Dressed Up Sammy Kathleen Urmston

The Chick and the Duckling Mira Ginsburg The Good Bad Cat Nancy Antle

Ice is...Whee! Carol Greene Hot Rod Harry Catherine Petrie

It Looked Like Spilt Milk Charles Green Shaw

Just Like Me Barbara Neasi

The Little Brother Ben Karen Cogan My Tiger Cat Marilyn Frankford

The Strongest Animal Janice Boland All by Myself Mercer Mayer **Animal Babies** Bobbie Hamsa

The Foot Book Dr. Seuss Get Lost, Becka! Shirley Simon

# Grade 1 (2nd quarter)

Cookie's Week Cindy Ward Just Like Daddy Frank Asch More Spaghetti, I Say Rita Golden Gehman

I'm a Caterpillar Jean Marzollo Rachel Albanese / Laura Smith At the Apple Farm

Plane Rides Pamela Walker Rod Campbell Dear Zoo Rosie's Walk Pat Hutchins A Dark, Dark Tale Ruth Brown

Fun at the Amusement Park

Katie Couldn't Carla's Ribbons Just for You

Skating on Thin Ice Wait, Skates! Jason's Bus Ride

A New House for Mole and Mouse

Little Panda

Peanut Butter and Jelly Shopping at the Mall

Grade 1 (3rd quarter)

George Shrinks Katie Did It

Mama Cut My Hair Pancakes for Breakfast

Gifts for Dad Goodnight Moon

You'll Soon Grow into Them, Titch

Are You My Mother? Big Dog...Little Dog Green Eggs and Ham

Hop on Pop

I Can Read with My Eyes Shut!

Hattie and the Fox

Just a Mess

Just Grandma and Me Just Me and My Dad Just Me and My Puppy

There's a Nightmare in My Closet

Messy Bessey

Happy Birthday, Sam

Henny Penny

A Kiss for Little Bear Spot's Birthday Party

Late Grade 1/ Early Grade 2

Fox and His Friends (series) Henry and Mudge (series) Mr. Putter and Tabby (series)

Poppleton (series) Clifford (series) Little Bear (series)

Young Cam Jansen (series)

The Cat in the Hat

Harold and the Purple Crayon

The Doorbell Rang Little Gorilla Marilyn Frankford Becky Bring McDaniel

Leslie Harper
Mercer Mayer
Louise Everett
Mildred Johnson
Harriet Ziefert
Harriet Ziefert
Sherry Bowen
Nadine Westcott
Kathleen Urmston

William Joyce

Becky Bring McDaniel

Lisa Wilkinson Wendi Silvano Karen Evans

Margaret Wise Brown

Pat Hutchins Philip Eastman Philip Eastman

Dr. Seuss
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Dr. Seuss
Mem Fox
Mercer Mayer
Mercer Mayer
Mercer Mayer
Mercer Mayer
Mercer Mayer
Fred McKissack
Pat Hutchins

Paul Galdone

Else Holmelund Minarik

Eric Hill

E & J Marshall Cynthia Rylant Cynthia Rylant Cynthia Rylant Norman Bridwell E.H. Minarik David Adler Dr. Seuss

Crockett Johnson Pat Hutchins Ruth Bornstein Mouse Tales Mouse Soup

Bats Big Cats

Fantastic Frogs!
Dig Dig Digging

Insects

And I Mean It, Stanley The Doorbell Rang

Harold and the Purple Crayon

Mouse Soup Mouse Tales

Spot's First Christmas The Cat in the Hat

City Mouse-Country Mouse Clifford, the Big Red Dog Clifford, the Small Red Puppy

Little Bear Owl at Home

## Grade 2 (1st quarter)

Frog & Toad (series) Nate the Great (series) Gerald and Piggie (series)

Franklin (series)
Happy Birthday, Moon
Bedtime for Frances (series)
If You Give a Mouse a Cookie

The Art Lesson Strega Nona

The Teacher from the Black Lagoon

All About Things People Do Endangered Animals A House Spider's Life The Apple Pie Tree

Corduroy Caps for Sale

The Gingerbread Boy Miss Nelson is Missing!

# Grade 2 (2<sup>nd</sup> quarter)

Amelia Bedelia (series) Cam Jansen (series) Pee Wee Scouts (series) Triplet Trouble (series) Milo and Jazz (series) Pinky and Rex (series) Horrible Harry (series)

Arnold Lobel Arnold Lobel Lily Wood Lynette Evans Fay Robinson Margaret Mayo Carolyn MacLulich Crosby Bonsall Pat Hutchins Crockett Johnson Arnold Lobel Arnold Lobel Eric Hill Dr. Seuss John Wallner Norman Bridwell Norman Bridwell

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M Weinman Sharmat

Mo Willems

Paulette Bourgeois

Frank Asch Russell Hoban

Laura Joffe Numeroff

Tomie dePaola Tomie dePaola Mike Thaler

Melanie & Chris Rice

Faith McNulty John Himmelman

Zoe Hall Don Freeman Esphyr Slobodkina Paul Galdone Harry Allard

Peggy Parish David Adler Judy Delton D. Dadey & M. Jones

Lewis B. Montgomery

James Howe Suzy Kline Song Lee (series) Judy Moody (series)

Stink (series)-(J.Moody's Brother)

Amanda Pig (series) Pinky and Rex (series) George and Martha (series)

The Dog Who Pitched a No Hitter (series)

**Great Ghosts** 

Snap! Chomp

Chickens Aren't the Only Ones

Grade 2 (3rd quarter)

Calendar Club Mysteries (series)

Flat Stanley (series)
Jenny Archer (series)
Junie B. Jones (series)
The Littles (series)
Marvin Redpost (series)
Arthur Chapter Books
Bailey School Kid Series
Magic Tree House Series

Cloudy With A Chance Of Meatballs

Double Play At Short Skateboard Tough Wingman On Ice From Seed To Plant American Heroes

The Great Dinosaur Hunt

Fish Face

The Lucky Baseball Bat
The Mad Scientist
Mally's Bilgring

Molly's Pilgrim

In Aunt Lucy's Kitchen My Pops Is Tops! No Biz like Showbiz No Bones About It How a House is Built Suzy Kline

Megan Mcdonald Megan Mcdonald Jean V Leeuwen James Howe James Marshall Matthew Christopher

Daniel Cohen Melvin Berger Melvin Berger

Ruth Heller

Nancy Star Jeff Brown Ellen Conford Barbara Parks John Peterson Louis Sachar Marc Brown

Debbie Dadey and Marcia Jones

Mary Pope Osborne Judy Barrett Matt Christopher Matt Christopher Matt Christopher

Gail Gibbons

Jo Albee and Wiley Blevins

Irene Schultz
Patricia Reilly Giff
Matt Christopher
Irene Schultz
Barbara Cohen
Cynthia Rylant
Nancy Krulik
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Gail Gibbons

#### Late Grade 2/ Early Grade 3

Julian Stories (series) Horrid Henry (series)

Adam Joshua Capers (series)

Herbie Jones (series) A-Z Mysteries (Series) Amber Brown (series)

Chalk Box Kid, The

Ann Cameron Francesca Simon Janice Lee Smith Suzy Kline

Ron Roy

Paula Danziger Clyde R. Bulla Cloud Book

Jigsaw Jones (series)

Leftovers, The (sports series)

Max Malone (series)

Rookie Biographies (series)

Say Hola, Sarah School's Out

Dancing with Manatees The Grapes of Math James Preller Tristan Howard Charlotte Herman Wil Mara Patricia Reilly Giff

Tomie DePaola

Patricia Reilly Giff Johanna Hurwitz Faith McNulty Greg Tang

## Grade 3 (2nd quarter)

Ramona (series)

Ralph S. Mouse (series) Box Car Children (series) Chet Gecko Mysteries (series)

Aldo (series)

Ali Baba Bernstein (series)

Animals (NF series) Good Grief...Third Grade Look Out, Washington D.C.!

Meg Mackintosh Mysteries (series)

Pony Pals (series) Rent A Third Grader

Story of Jackie Robinson, Bravest

Man in Baseball

Beverly Cleary Beverly Cleary

Gertrude Chandler Warner

Bruce Hale

Johanna Hurwitz Johanna Hurwitz Kevin J. Holmes Colleen McKenna Patricia Reilly Giff Lucinda Landon Jeanne Betancourt

B.B. Hiller

Margaret Davidson

## Grade 3 (3rd quarter)

Wayside School (series) Encyclopedia Brown (series) David Mortimore Baxter (series)

All About Sam

Best Enemies (series)

George's Marvelous Medicine

Twits, The Ghost Fox, The

Hundred Penny Box, The

Last Look

Laura Ingalls Wilder: Growing Up

in the Little House

Thank You, Jackie Robinson

Time Warp (series)
Yang Stories (series)
Animals in the Dark
A Dinosaur Named Sue
The Journey of a Butterfly

Louis Sachar Donald J. Sobol Karen Tayleur Lois Lowry

Kathleen Leverich

Roald Dahl Roald Dahl Laurence Yep Sharon B. Mathis Clyde Bulla

Patricia Reilly Giff

Barbara Cohen Jon Scieszka Lensey Namioka Seymour Simon Fay Robinson Carolyn Scarce

# Late Grade 3/ Early Grade 4

Fudge (series)

James and the Giant Peach

Bunnicula

Anastasia (series) Joshua T. Bates (series) Ace Lacewing, Bug Detective Aliens Ate My Homework

Amazing But True Sports Stories

Baseball Turnaround The Goalkeeper in Charge Cloud Tea Monkeys

Dial M for Mongoose: A Chet Gecko Mystery

Jim Ugly

The Ghost on Saturday Night Good-bye, Chicken Little

Homer Price

How to Talk to Your Cat

The Kite Fighters

Little House on the Prairie Little House in the Big Woods

Farmer Boy Morgan's Zoo Spaceheads

There's a Boy in the Girl's Bathroom

Addy Learns a Lesson

Attila the Hun

The Cold & Hot Winter

Cornelia and the Audacious Escapades of

the Somerset Sisters
The Disappearance
Finding Meridian
The Fire of Friendship

Help! I'm a Prisoner in the Library

Hide and Seek

How to Rule the School

Just Juice

Legend of the Pharaoh's Tomb

The New Girl
The Power of Five
Santa Paws
Totally Crushed!
Chato's Kitchen
You Be the Detective

From Head to Toe: The Amazing Human Body

and How it Works

Caving: Exploring Limestone Caves

Celebrating Ramadan

Predators

Judy Blume Roald Dahl James Howe Lois Lowry Susan Shreve David Biedrzycki Bruce Coville

Phyllis & Zander Hollander

Matt Christopher Matt Christopher

Mal Peet Bruce Hale Sid Fleischman Sid Fleischman Betsy Byars Robert McClosky

Jean Craighead George

Linda Sue Park Laura Ingalls Wilder Laura Ingalls Wilder Laura Ingalls Wilder

James Howe Jon Scieszka Louis Sachar Connie Porter Sean Price

Johanna Hurwitz Lesley Blume

Elizabeth Lenhard Elizabeth Lenhard Elizabeth Lenhard Eth Clifford

Peter Lerangis
Kathryn Lay
Karen Hesse
Allan Jones
Jillian Brooks
Elizabeth Lenhard
Nicholas Edwards

Kiki Thorpe Gary Soto Marvin Miller Barbara Seuling

Larry Dane Brimner Diane Hoyt-Goldsmith

Sandra Markle

## Grade 4 (2nd quarter)

No Talking The Landry News

The Last Holiday Concert

Lost and Found The Jacket The School Story

And Then What Happened Paul Revere? The Big Nap: A Chet Gecko Mystery

Trouble is My Beeswax: A Chet Gecko Mystery

**Body Check** 

The Boy of a Thousand Faces The Boy Who Lost his Face

Nighty-Nightmare

Chance and the Grand Rascal Mr. Mysterious & Company Charlie and the Glass Elevator

Circle of Gold The 18<sup>th</sup> Emergency The Midnight Fox The Computer Nut Flashcards of my Life

How Tia Lola Saved the Summer

It Came From Ohio!: My Life as a Writer

Jeremy Thatcher, Dragon Hatcher

The Monster's Ring The Library Card The Night Fairy

Nothing's Fair in Fifth Grade

Pigs Might Fly Snow Treasure

The Trumpet of the Swan

Eye of Eternity

A Friendship for Today

Albert Einstein Caleb's Story Crackback

Crispin: At the Edge of the World

Dead Man's Chest

The Family Under the Bridge

Freaky Friday Freedom Crossing

The Great Googlestein Museum Mystery

Honus & Me Satch & Me

They Came from Center Field

Inkheart

Andrew Clements Andrew Clements Andrew Clements

Andrew Clements Andrew Clements Andrew Clements

Jean Fritz Bruce Hale Bruce Hale

Matt Christopher Brian Selznick Louis Sachar James Howe Sid Fleischman Sid Fleischman Roald Dahl Betsy Byars Betsy Byars Betsy Byars William Steig

Charise Mencle Harper

Julia Alvarez
R. L. Stine
Bruce Coville
Bruce Coville
Jerry Spinelli
Laura Amy Schlitz
Barthe DeClements
Dick King-Smith
Marie McSwigan

E.B. White Chris Archer Patricia McKissack Joanne Mattern Patricia MacLachlan

John Coy

Avi

Chris Archer Natalie Carlson Mary Rodgers Margaret Clark Jean Van Leeuwen

Dan Gutman Dan Gutman Dan Gutman Cornelia Funke Jennifer, Hecate, Macbeth, William McKinley,

and Me. Elizabeth

The Last of the Sky Pirates

Lawn Boy Magic or Not? Marie Curie The Maze of Bones

Misty of Chincoteague The Mystery of the Cupboard

Once Upon a Crime The Unusual Suspects

Stuart Little
The Wanigan
The Winner's Walk
How to Eat Fried Worms

Story of Thomas Alva Edison

George Washington: A Picture Book

Biography

Shiloh

E. Konigsburg

Paul Stewart Gary Paulsen Edward Eager Keith Brandt Rick Riordan Marguerite Henry Lynee Banks

Michael Buckley Michael Buckley

E. White Gloria Whelan

Nancy Patterson Thomas Rockwell Margaret Davidson James Cross Giblin

Phyllis Reynolds Naylor

Grade 4 (3rd quarter)

The Million Dollar Putt Granny Torrelli Makes Soup

Strange Happenings

Matilda

The Janitor's Boy

Tales from the Five Kingdom (series)

The Contest: Everest #1
The Cry of the Crow

The Missing 'Gator of Gumbo Limbo

The Cybil War

Eliza's Freedom Road

Extreme Animals: The Toughest Creatures

on Earth

Horse Hooves and Chicken Feet:

Mexican Folktales

The Houdini Box Monster of the Year A Night Without Stars Sahara Special

Sideways Arithmetic from Wayside

The Star Fisher

Sounder Taking Sides

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Dan Gutman Sharon Creech

Avi

Roald Dahl

Andrew Clements Vivian French Gordon Korman

Jean Craighead George Jean Craighead George

Betsy Byars Jerdine Nolen Nicola Davies

Neil Philip

Brian Selznick
Bruce Coville
James Howe
Esme Codell
Louis Sachar
Lawrence Yep
William Armstrong

Gary Soto

Late Grade 4 / Early Grade 5

Babe & Me (series)

The Kid Who Ran for President

Dan Gutman Dan Gutman Abner & Me Mickey & Me Shoeless Joe & Me Jackie & Me

Sammy Keyes (series) The Chronicles of Narnia The Horse and His Boy

The Last Battle

Danny the Champion of the World

Boy

Harriet the Spy Joey Pigza (trilogy) The Tiger Rising About the B'nai Bagels The Akhenaten Adventure The Blue Djinn of Babylon

Birdwing

Bridge to Terabithia Preacher's Boy

The Children of the Green Knowe An Enemy at Green Knowe

Chu Ju's House Daniel's Walk Fire Star Inkspell

Marisol and Magdalena The Problem Child Regarding the Sink Regarding the Trees

Sam I Am Saving Shiloh

The Journal of Scott Pendleton Collins

Stolen by the Sea

Terrier Tracker Woodsong Baby

Shh! We're Writing the Constitution

Dan Gutman Dan Gutman Dan Gutman Dan Gutman

C. S. Lewis

Wendelin Van Draanen

C. S. Lewis
C. S. Lewis
Roald Dahl
Roald Dahl
Louise Fitzhugh
Jack Gantos
Kate DiCamillo
E. Konigsburg
Philip Kerr
Philip Kerr
Rafe Martin

Katherine Paterson Katherine Paterson

L. Boston L. Boston Gloria Whelan Michael Spooner Chris Lacey

Cornelia Funke; Anthea Bell

Veronica Chambers

Michael Buckley; Peter Ferguson

Kate Klise Kate Klise Ilene Cooper Phyllis Naylor Walter Myers Anna Myers Tamora Pierce Gary Paulsen Gary Paulsen

Patricia MacLachlan

Jean Fritz

# Grade 5

Knots in My Yo-yo String

Wringer Loser The BFG

The Egypt Game Ginger Pye

A Girl Called Boy The Boggart

The Boggart and the Monster

Jerry Spinelli

Jerry Spinelli Jerry Spinelli Roald Dahl

Zilpha Keatley Snyder

Eleanor Estes
Belinda Hurmence
Susan Cooper
Susan Cooper

The Boy Next Door

The Boy Who Saved Baseball

Charlie's Raven The City of Ember The People of Sparks

The Cobra King of Kathmandu

The Escape
Midnight Magic
No More Dead Dogs
The Secret Garden
A Single Shard
Skeleton Man
Stealing Freedom

Surviving the Applewhites

The Watsons Go to Birmingham- 1963 The Pirate Princess and Other Fairy Tales Make Fake Blood and 18 More Amazing

Special Effects Materials and Processes

The Wizard of Oz

Laura Dower
John Ritter
Jean George
Jeanne DuPrau
Jeanne DuPrau
Philip Kerr
K. Applegate

Avi

Gordon Korman Frances Burnett Linda Park Joseph Bruchac Elisa Carbone Stephanie Tolan Christopher Curtis

Neil Philip Sandra Markle

Peter D. Riley Frank L. Baum

## Late Grade 5/Early Grade 6

Heat Stargirl

Esperanza Rising

Harry Potter & the Sorcerer's Stone

Old Yeller

Absolutely Normal Chaos Accidents May Happen

Achoo! AHA!

Alice in Wonderland An American Plague

Star Wars Autumn Street Bard of Avon

The Beasts of Clawstone Castle

Bernie Magruder & the Bats in the Belfry

The Biggest Klutz in Fifth Grade

Bloomability Blue Willow

The Boy of the Painted Cave

Call Me Maria The Champ

Daughter of the Mountains

Egyptian Diary

Encyclopedia Prehistorical Dinosaurs The Fall of the Amazing Zalindas

The Fighting Ground

Mike Lupica Jerry Spinelli Pam Munoz Ryan J. K. Rowling Fred Gipson Sharon Creech Charlotte Jones

Trudee Romanek Trudee Romanek Lewis Carroll Jim Murphy Patricia Wrede Lois Lowry Diane Stanley Eva Ibbotson

Phyllis Naylor

Bill Wallace; Patricia MacDonald

Sharon Creech

Doris Gates; Paul Lantz

Justin Denzel Judith Cofer

Tonya Bolden; R. Christie Louise Rankin; Kurt Wiese Richard Platt; David Parkins

Robert Sabuda; Matthew Reinhart

Tracy Mack

Avi

Give Me Liberty The Good Liar The Green Book

Having a Great Time (Really!) at

Camp Resolve

The Higher Power of Lucky The House of Dies Drear

Jip, His Story Journey Home Keeping a Journal Kensuke's Kingdom The Legend of Blue Jacket

Letters from Camp

Locomotion

The Lousiana Purchase

The Monstrous Memoirs of a Mighty

**McFearless** 

Mrs. Frisby and the Rats of NIMH

Mud City

The Music of Dolphins

On the Far Side of the Mountain

The Ordindary Princess Pictures of Hollis Woods Pleasing the Ghost The Rainbow People Remember Not to Forget

Saladin

The Search for Belle Prater

Silent Witness Sojourner Truth

Surviving Aunt Marsha

Tadpole

**Tuck Everlasting** 

The Twenty-One Balloons

The Vile Village

What Do Fish Have to Do With Anything?

A Wind in the Door

The Wolves of Willoughby Chase

Grade 6

Inside Out and Back Again

A Wrinkle in Time

Crispin: The Cross of Lead

Missing May

The Young Man and the Sea

Shelter Dogs Hope Was Here Aquamarine

Behind the Mountain

Laura Elliot Gregory Maguire

Jill Paton Walsh Joanna Korba

Susan Patron; Matt Phelan

Virginia Hamilton
Katherine Paterson
Yoshiko Uchida
Trudi Trueit
Michael Morpurgo
Michael Spradlin
Kate Klise; M. Klise
Jacqueline Woodson

Gail Sakurai Ahmet Zappa

Robert O'Brien
Deborah Ellis
Karen Hesse
Jean George
M. Kaye
Patricia Giff
Sharon Creech
Laurence Yep

Norman Finkelstein Diane Stanley Ruth White Robin Friedman Patricia McKissack Sofie Laguna

Ruth White
Natalie Babitt

William Pene DuBois Lemony Snicket

Avi

Madeleine L'Engle

Joan Aiken; Pat Marriott

Thanhha Lai Madeleine L'Engle

Avi

Cynthia Rylant Rodman Philbrick

Peg Kehret Joan Bauer Alice Hoffman Edwidge Danticat Blood on the River

The Pack

The Case of the Missing Marquees

Child of the Owl Dragonwings Sea Glass

The Serpent's Children

City of Masks

Crispin: The Cross of Lead

**Drift House** 

The Face of the Shadow The Mystery of Lord Sha Quadehar the Sorcerer

A Family Apart Flight to Freedom Miracle on 49<sup>th</sup> Street

The Mysterious Benedict Society

Raven's Gate

Roll of Thunder, Hear My Cry

Shiloh Season Silver on the Tree

Space Station Seventh Grade

Torn Thread True North Walk Two Moons The Wayfinder

Grade 6

An Acceptable Time The Angel Experiment School's Out- Forever Blizzard's Wake Call It Courage

Catherine, Called Birdy The Dark is Rising

Feathers

A Girl Named Disaster

Greenwitch The Grey King Homeless Bird The Invisible Man

Kira-Kira

The Looking Glass Wars M.C.Higgins, the Great The Midwife's Apprentice The Opal Deception

The Opai Deception

Peter and the Shadow Thieves and the Starcatchers

The Revenge of the Shadow King

Elisa Carbone
Elisa Carbone
Nancy Springer
Laurence Yep
Laurence Yep
Laurence Yep
Laurence Yep
Mary Hoffman

Avi

Dale Peck

Erik L'Homme; Ros Schwartz

Erik L'Homme Erik L'Homme Joan Nixon

Rodman Philbrick Mike Lupica

Trenton Stewart; Carson Ellis

Anthony Horowitz

Anthony Horowi Mildred Taylor Phyllis Naylor Susan Cooper Jerry Spinelli Anne Isaacs Kathryn Lasky Sharon Creech Darcy Pattison

Madeleine L'Engle James Patterson James Patterson Phyllis Naylor Armstrong Sperry Karen Cushman Susan Cooper

Jacqueline Woodson

Nancy Farmer Susan Cooper Susan Cooper Gloria Whelan

H. Wells

Cynthia Kadohata Frank Beddor Virginia Hamilton Karen Cushman Eoin Colfer Dave Barry

Derek Benz

Stones in Water

Owen and Mzee: The Language of Friendship

Anne Frank: Beyond the Diary:

A Photographic Remembrance

Sarah Bishop

Donna Jo Napoli Isabella Hatkoff Rian Verhoeven

Scott O'Dell

#### **Grades 6/7/8**

Becoming Naomi Leon The Black Canary Bloody Jack

City of Flowers
A Corner of the Universe
The Ear, the Eye, and the Arm

Gilda Joyce, Psychic Investigator

How I Live Now

In the Belly of the Bloodhound

Lizzie Bright and the Buckminster Boy

Milkweed

My Brother Sam Is Dead

Our Secret, Siri Aang

Genius: A Photobiography of Albert Einstein

The Day Martin Luther King, Jr. Was Shot:

Pam Ryam
Jane Curry
Louis Meyer
Mary Hoffman
Ann Martin
Nancy Farmer
Jennifer Allison
Meg Rosoff
Louis Meyer
Gary Schmidt
Jerry Spinelli

James Collier; Christopher Collier

Cristina Kessler

Marte Ferguson Delano

James Haskins

A Photohistory of the Civil Rights Movement

#### Grades 7/8 & Above

The Adventures of Tom Sawyer

Bat 6

Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde

Kidnapped Treasure Island The Forgotten Heroes

The Pigman and Me

The Pigman's Legacy Quidditch Through the Ages Summer of My German Soldier The Day the Women Got the Vote:

A Photo History of the Women's Right

Movement

Mark Twain
Virginia Wolff
Robert Stevenson
Robert Stevenson
Robert Stevenson
Clinton Cox
Paul Zindel
Paul Zindel

J. K. Rowling
Bette Greene
Nancy Price Graff