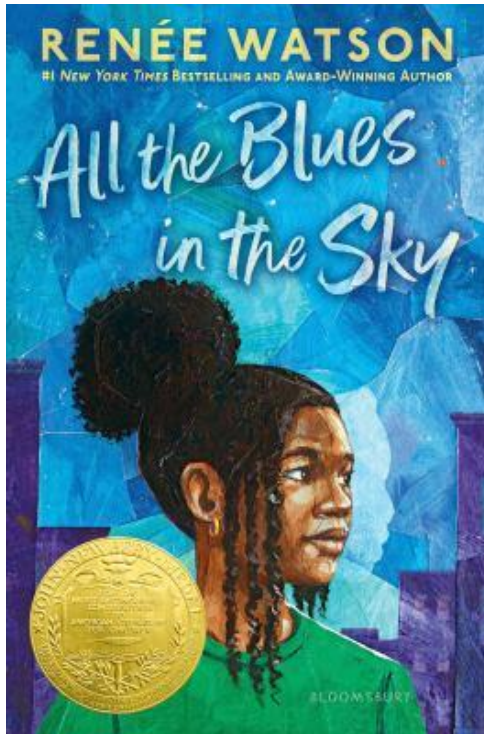


Newbery Medal and Honor Books

2026 Medal Winner

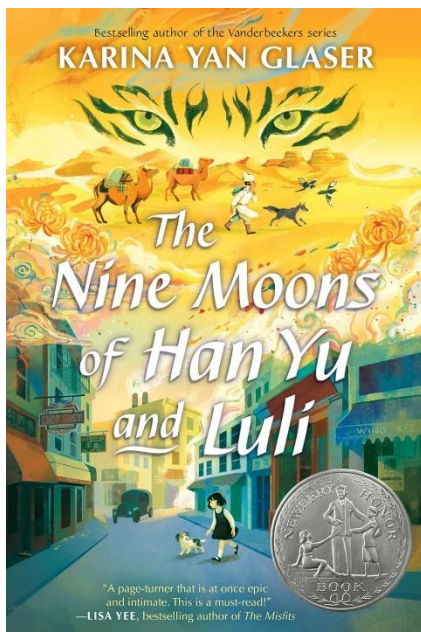


All the Blues in the Sky is the 2026 Newbery Medal winner. Written by **Renée Watson**, the book is published by Bloomsbury Children's Books.

Sage's thirteenth birthday was supposed to be about movies and treats, staying up late with her best friend and watching the sunrise together. Instead, it was the day her best friend died.

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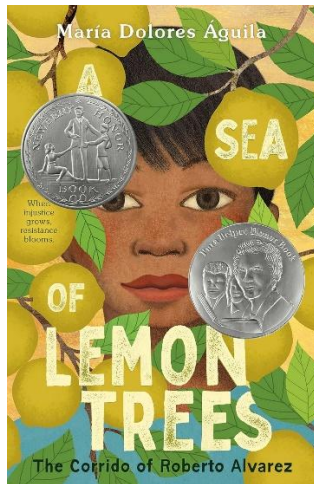
2026 Honor Books



The Nine Moons of Han Yu and Luli, written by Karina Yan Glaser, published by Allida.

When plague strikes Chang'An and financial crisis threatens Luli's family, Han Yu and Luli must each venture out into the larger world—and into danger-filled adventure—to save what they love most.

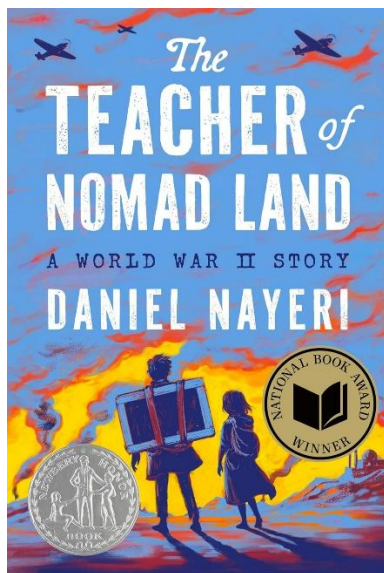
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A Sea of Lemon Trees, written by **María Dolores Águila**, published by Roaring Brook Press.

Based on the true story of Roberto Alvarez and the Lemon Grove Incident, this middle grade debut novel in verse is about one young child's courage to stand up for what is right, and the determination of the Mexican community.

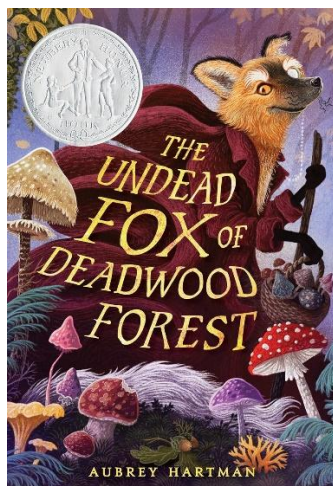
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The Teacher of Nomad Land : A World War II Story, written by **Daniel Nayeri** and published by Levine Querido.

Against the backdrop of World War II comes an epic adventure in the faraway places. Through the cacophony of soldiers, tanks, and planes, can young hearts of different creeds and nations learn to find a common language?

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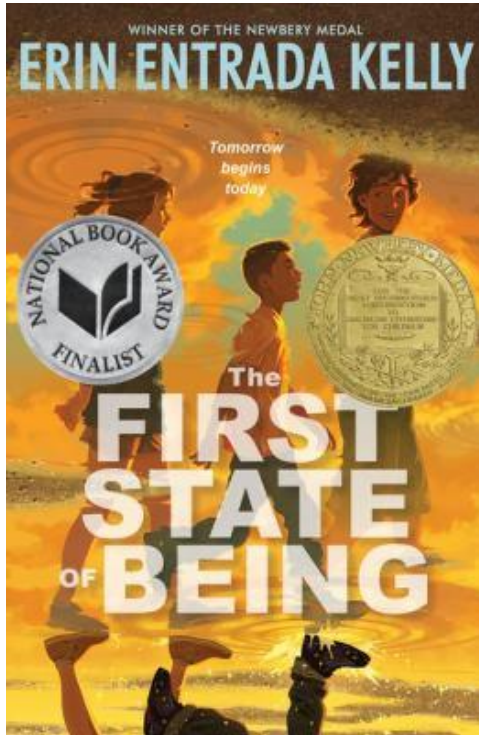


The Undead Fox of Deadwood Forest, by **Aubrey Hartman**, published by Little, Brown Books for Young Readers.

Long ago, Clare was struck by a car, and, hovering between life and death, he was given the choice to either cross into the Afterlife or become an Usher of wandering souls. Clare chose the latter: a solitary life of guiding souls to their final resting place.

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2025 Medal Winner

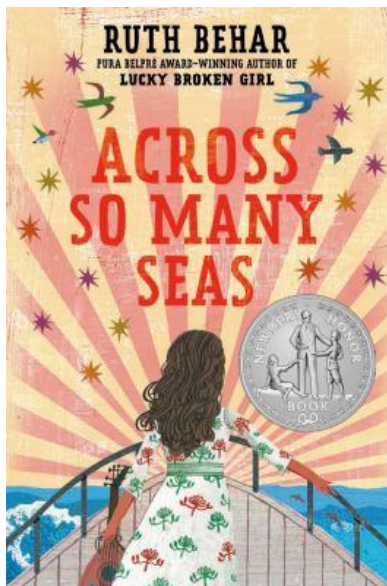


The First State of Being is the 2025 Newbery Medal winner. Written by **Erin Entrada Kelly**, the book is published by Greenwillow Books, an imprint of HarperCollins Publishers.

When twelve-year-old Michael Rosario meets a mysterious boy from the future, his life is changed forever.

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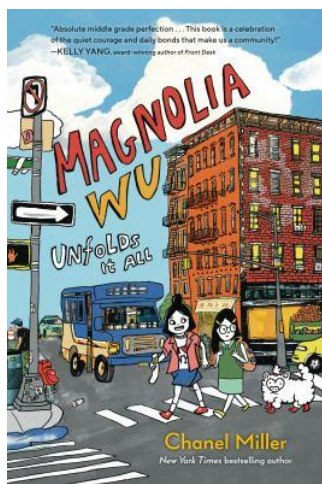
2025 Honor Books



Across So Many Seas, written by **Ruth Behar**, published by Nancy Paulsen Books.

Spanning over 500 years, Pura Belpré Award winner Ruth Behar's epic novel tells the stories of four girls from different generations of a Jewish family, many of them forced to leave their country and start a new life.

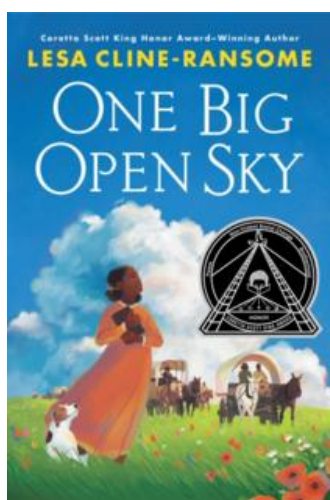
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Magnolia Wu Unfolds It All, written by **Chanel Miller**, published by Philomel.

A fun, funny, and poignant story of friendship and community starring Magnolia Wu, a ten-year-old sock detective bent on returning all the lonely only socks left behind in her parents' NYC laundromat.

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One Big Open Sky, written by **Lesa Cline-Ransome** and published by Holiday House.

In the 1870s, a Black family undertakes a perilous wagon journey westward for a tenuous shot at freedom in Nebraska.

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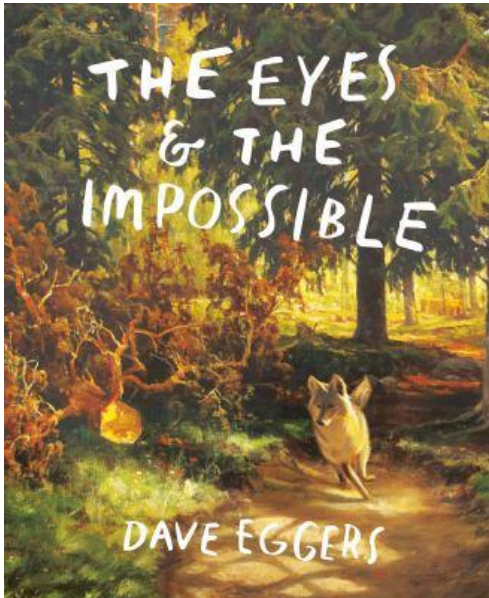


The Wrong Way Home, by **Kate O'Shaughnessy**, published by Alfred A. Knopf.

Twelve-year-old Fern believes she's living a noble life--but what if everything she's been told is a lie? This is a huge-hearted story about a girl learning to question everything--and to trust in herself.

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2024 Medal Winner



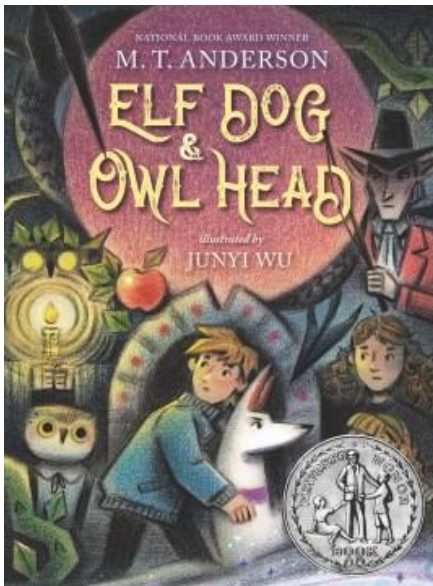
The Eyes & the Impossible is the 2024 Newbery Medal winner. Written by **Dave Eggers**, the book is published by Alfred a Knopf Inc.

Johannes, a free dog, lives in an urban park by the sea. His job is to be the Eyes—to see everything that happens within the park and report back to the park’s elders, three ancient Bison. His friends—a seagull, a raccoon, a squirrel, and a pelican—work with him as the Assistant Eyes, observing the humans and other animals who share the park and making sure the Equilibrium is in balance.

But changes are afoot. More humans, including Trouble Travelers, arrive in the park. A new building, containing mysterious and hypnotic rectangles, goes up. And then there are the goats—an actual boatload of goats—who appear, along with a shocking revelation that changes Johannes’s view of the world.

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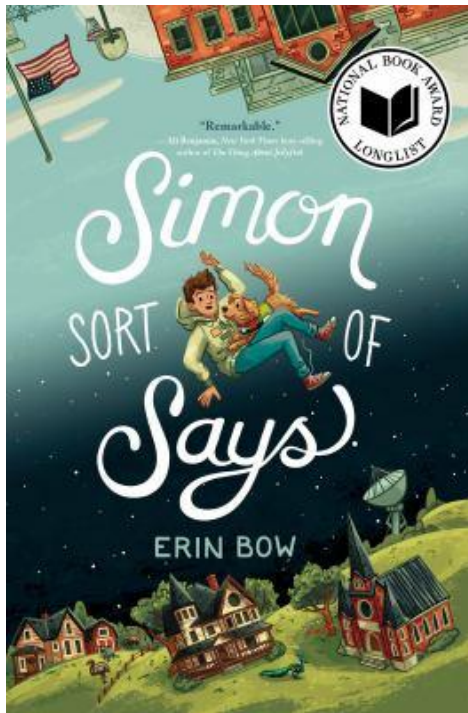
2024 Honor Books



Elf Dog and Owl Head, written by M. T. Anderson, published by Candlewick Press.

A magical adventure about a boy and his dog--or a dog and her boy--and a forest of wonders hidden in plain sight.

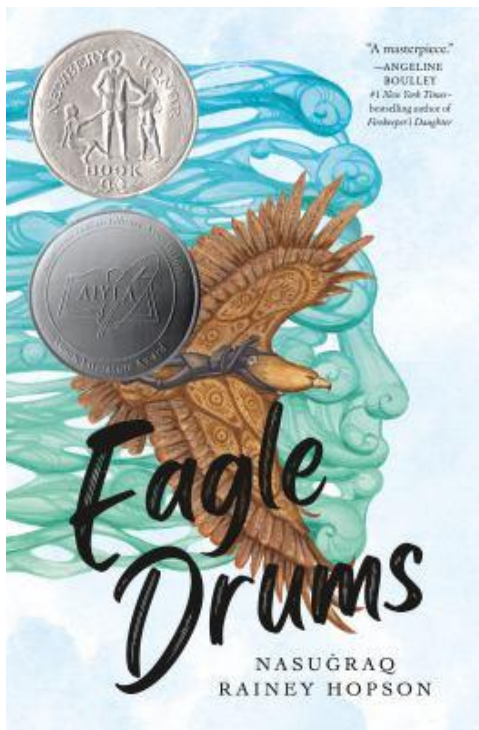
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Simon Sort of Says, written by **Erin Bow**, published by Disney-Hyperion.

Simon is the only kid in his class who survived a school shooting. Two years after the infamous event, Simon and his family move to the National Quiet Zone - the only place in America where the internet is banned. This is a breath-taking testament to the lasting echoes of trauma, the redemptive power of humour, and the courage it takes to move forward without forgetting the past.

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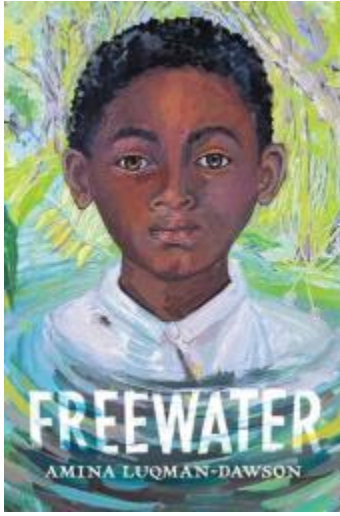


Eagle Drums, written by **Nasugraq Rainey Hopson**, published by Roaring Brook.

An origin story of the Iñupiaq Messenger Feast, a Native Alaskan tradition. As his family prepares for winter, a young, skilled hunter must travel up the mountain to collect obsidian for knapping--the same mountain where his two older brothers died. When he reaches the mountaintop, he is immediately confronted by a terrifying eagle god named Savik. Savik gives the boy a choice: follow me or die like your brothers.

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2023 Medal Winner



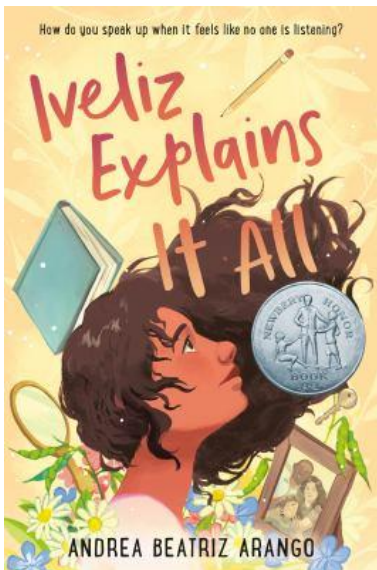
Freewater is the 2023 Newbery Medal winner. Written by **Amina Luqman-Dawson**, the book is published by JIMMY Patterson/Little, Brown Books for Young Readers.

After an entire young life of enslavement, twelve-year-old Homer escapes Southerland Plantation with his little sister Ada, leaving his beloved mother behind. Through tangled vines, secret doorways, and over a sky bridge, the two find a secret community called Freewater, deep in the recesses of the swamp.

In this new, free society made up of escaped slaves and some born-free children, Homer cautiously embraces a set of spirited friends, almost forgetting where he came from. But when he learns of a threat that could destroy Freewater, he hatches a plan to return to Southerland plantation, overcome his own cautious nature, and free his mother from enslavement. Loosely based on a little-mined but important piece of history, this is an inspiring and deeply empowering story of survival, love, and courage.

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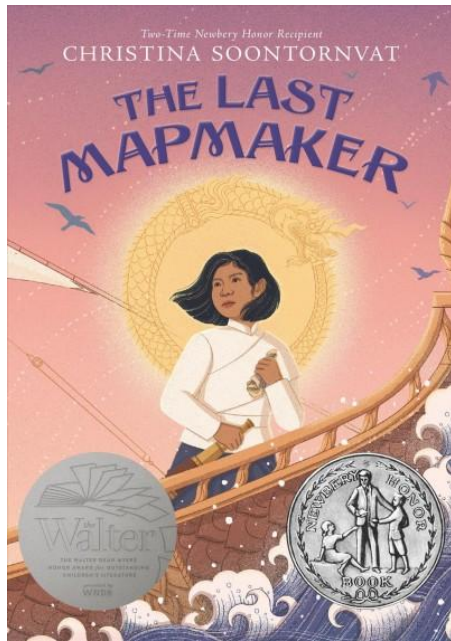


Iveliz Explains It All, written by Andrea Beatriz Arango, published by Random House Books for Young Readers.

How do you speak up when it feels like no one is listening? In this moving novel in verse, one girl takes on seventh grade while facing mental health challenges, and must find her voice to advocate for the help and understanding she deserves.

Twelve-year-old Iveliz is trying to manage her mental health and advocate for the help and understanding she deserves, but in the meantime her new friend calls her crazy and her abuela Mimi dismisses the therapy and medicine Iveliz needs to feel like herself.

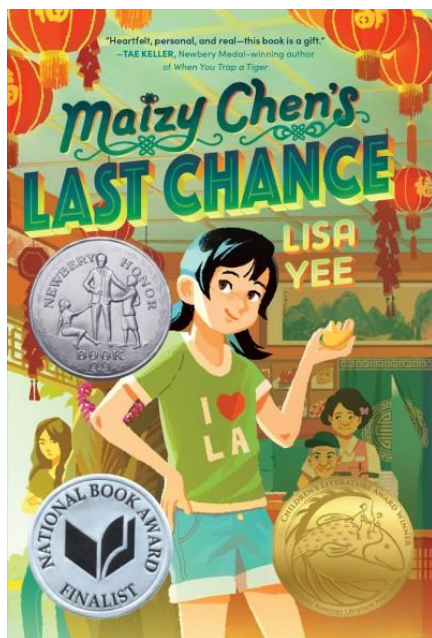
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The Last Mapmaker, written by **Christina Soontornvat**, published by Candlewick.

As assistant to Mangkon's most celebrated mapmaker, twelve-year-old Sai plays the part of a well-bred young lady with a glittering future. In reality, her father is a conman and in a kingdom where the status of ones ancestors dictates their social position, the truth could ruin her. Sai seizes the chance to join an expedition to chart the southern seas, but she isn't the only one aboard with secrets. When Sai learns that the ship might be heading for the fabled Sunderlandsa land of dragons, dangers, and riches beyond imagining she must weigh the cost of her dreams. Vivid, suspenseful, and thought-provoking, this tale of identity and integrity is as beautiful and intricate as the maps of old.

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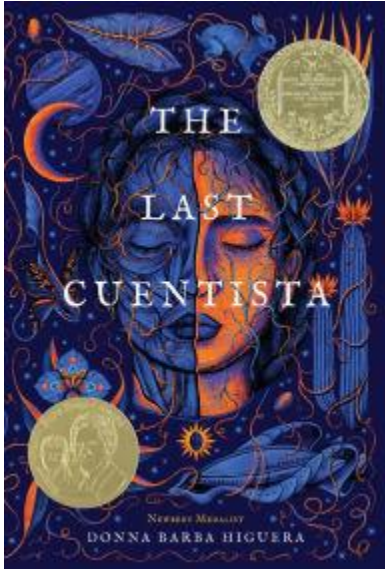


Maizy Chen's Last Chance, by Lisa Yee, published by Random House Books for Young Readers.

Twelve year-old Maizy discovers her family's Chinese restaurant is full of secrets in this irresistible novel that celebrates food, fortune, and family. Welcome to the Golden Palace! Maizy has never been to Last Chance, Minnesota . . . until now. Her mom's plan is just to stay for a couple weeks, until her grandfather gets better. But plans change, and as Maizy spends more time in Last Chance and at the Golden Palace--the restaurant that's been in her family for generations--she makes some discoveries.

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2022 Medal Winner

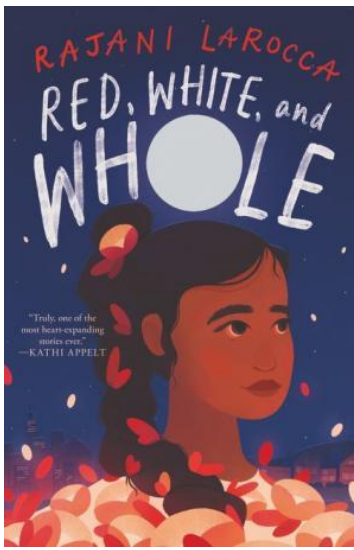


The Last Cuentista, written by Donna Barba Higuera, published by Levine Querido.

A mesmerizing science fiction tale for the ages, sprinkled with Mexican folklore. Petra Pena’s journey through space and time is a stunning reminder of the power of stories, and how those stories shape both our past and future.

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2022 Honor Books



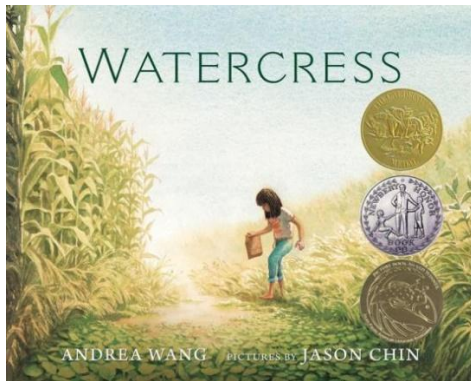
Red, White, and Whole, written by Rajani LaRocca, published by Quill Tree Books, an imprint of HarperCollins Publishers.

Reha feels torn between two worlds: school, where she’s the only Indian American student, and home, with her family’s traditions and holidays. But Reha’s parents don’t understand why she’s conflicted—they only notice when Reha doesn’t meet their strict expectations. Reha feels disconnected from her mother, or Amma, although their names are linked—Reha means “star” and Punam means “moon”—but they are a universe apart.

Then Reha finds out that her Amma is sick. Really sick.

Reha, who dreams of becoming a doctor even though she can’t stomach the sight of blood, is determined to make her Amma well again. She’ll be the perfect daughter, if it means saving her Amma’s life.

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Watercress, illustrated by Jason Chin, written by Andrea Wang, and published by Neal Porter Books/Holiday House.

Simply stunning. Andrea Wang and Jason Chin's *Watercress* is the thought-provoking, gorgeously illustrated story of a first-generation girl coming to terms with, and ultimately celebrating, her Chinese heritage. There is so much to glean from *Watercress* that you'll want to read it over and over.

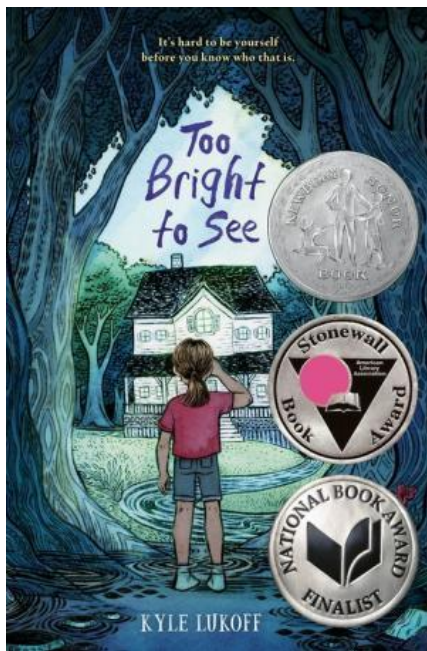
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A Snake Falls to Earth, written by Darcie Little Badger, and published by Levine Querido.

Nina is a Lipan girl in our world. She's always felt there was something more out there. She still believes in the old stories. Oli is a cottonmouth kid, from the land of spirits and monsters. Like all cottonmouths, he's been cast from home. He's found a new one on the banks of the bottomless lake. Nina and Oli have no idea the other exists. But a catastrophic event on Earth, and a strange sickness that befalls Oli's best friend, will drive their worlds together in ways they haven't been in centuries. And there are some who will kill to keep them apart.

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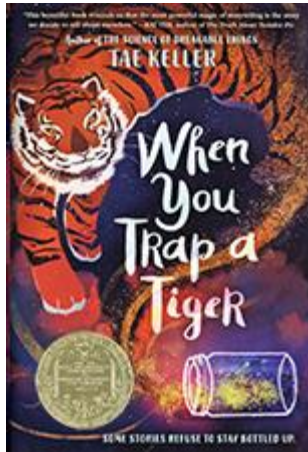


Too Bright to See, written by Kyle Lukoff, and published by Dial Books for Young Readers.

It's the summer before middle school and eleven-year-old Bug's best friend Moira has decided the two of them need to use the next few months to prepare. For Moira, this means figuring out the right clothes to wear, learning how to put on makeup, and deciding which boys are cuter in their yearbook photos than in real life. But none of this is all that appealing to Bug, who doesn't particularly want to spend more time trying to understand how to be a girl. Besides, there's something more important to worry about: a ghost is haunting Bug's eerie old house in rural Vermont...and maybe haunting Bug in particular. As Bug begins to untangle the mystery of who this ghost is and what they're trying to say, an altogether different truth comes to light--Bug is transgender.

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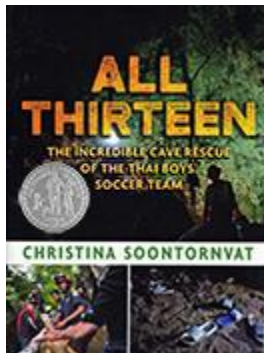
2021 Medal Winner



When You Trap a Tiger, written by **Tae Keller**, published by Random House Children's Books, a division of Penguin Random House.

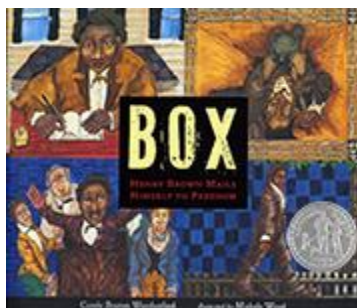
This masterpiece of magical realism is an evocative story of love, loss, and hope that brings Korean folklore to life. Through her halmoni's tales, Lily learns that with stories we can share our past and shape our future. **I KEL**

2021 Honor Books



All Thirteen: The Incredible Cave Rescue of the Thai Boys' Soccer Team, written by **Christina Soontornvat**, published by Candlewick Press.

Soontornvat skillfully describes the dramatic real-life rescue of the Thai Boys' soccer team in 2018 by highlighting the teamwork of the cave divers and the drilling and medical teams which were crucial for the survival of the coach and the twelve boys. All Thirteen exemplifies superb narrative nonfiction writing. **796.525 S**



BOX: Henry Brown Mails Himself to Freedom, written by **Carole Boston Weatherford**, illustrated by Michele Wood, and published by Candlewick Press.

Weatherford masterfully recounts the true story of Henry "Box" Brown, who shipped himself to freedom in a box. All 51 poems, with the exception of one, are sixains—representing the six sides of a box. The poems are filled with emotional intensity and have implications for the present day.



Fighting Words, written by **Kimberly Brubaker Bradley**, published by Dial Books for Young Readers, an imprint of Penguin Random House.

Della depends on her fierce older sister Suki, especially after escaping an abusive home. In foster care, though, Suki begins to unravel. Bradley creates a survival story that transcends—addressing the toughest of topics with honesty, hope, and humor. Della’s powerful voice lingers long after the last page is turned.

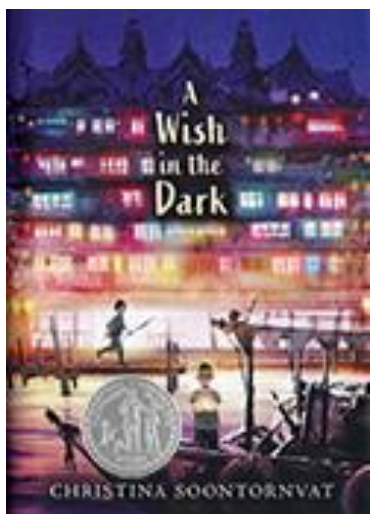
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We Dream of Space, written by **Erin Entrada Kelly**, illustrated by Erin Entrada Kelly and Celia Krampien, and published by Greenwillow Books, an imprint of HarperCollins Publishers.

In the days before the Space Shuttle Challenger disaster, the Thomas siblings navigate the dangerous space of middle school and the fractured constellation of their family. With a deftly constructed 80’s backdrop, Kelly’s realistically imperfect characters struggle to connect, only finding success when they abandon their own lonely orbits.

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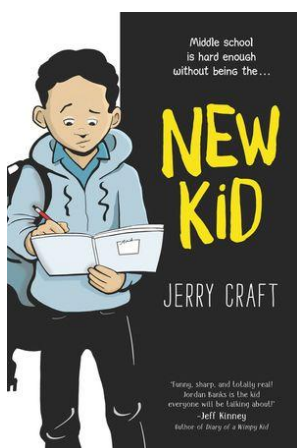


2020 Medal Winner

A Wish in the Dark, written by **Christina Soontornvat**, published by Candlewick Press.

Told in the alternating perspectives of two memorable characters, Pong and Nok, Soontornvat sets this story in the Thai-inspired world of Chattana, where light and dark symbolize contrasts between the rich and the poor. A timeless, yet timely, fantasy that highlights social disparities and the value of friendship and justice.

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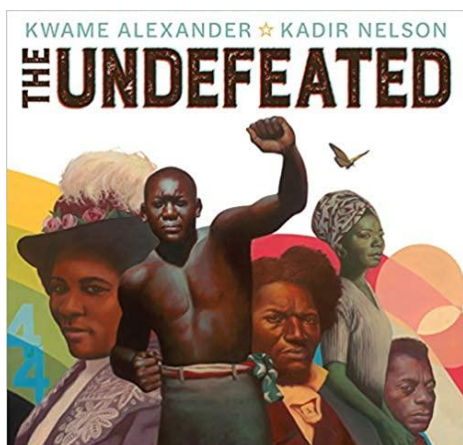


New Kid, written and illustrated by **Jerry Craft**, published by Harper, an imprint of HarperCollins Publishers.

Jordan Banks can't help seeing privilege when he transfers to Riverdale Academy Day School for seventh grade. As one of the few African American students in the school, he regularly deals with racism and microaggressions. Craft creates an intimate, relatable world inviting readers in, and holds them there.

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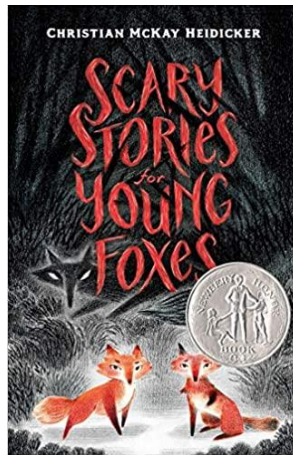
2020 Honor Books



The Undeclared, written by **Kwame Alexander**, illustrated by Kadir Nelson, and published by Versify, Houghton Mifflin Harcourt.

Written in sparse poetic verse, the contributions of African Americans are celebrated and explored. The reader is invited on a journey of dreaming, of persevering, and of bravery. The past intersects with the present, leaving readers forging their own paths of discovery. America, this is for you.

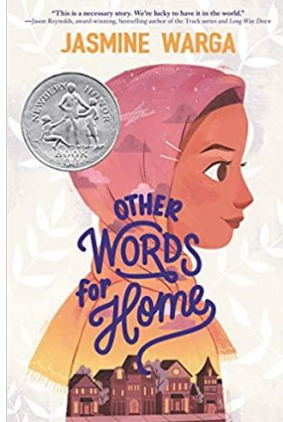
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Scary Stories for Young Foxes, written by **Christian McKay Heidicker**, illustrated by Junyi Wu, and published by Henry Holt Books for Young Readers, an imprint of Macmillan Children's Publishing Group.

Seven foxes, in the dark and twisted Antler Wood, want to hear scary stories. And, they will. Imagine a character with gooey eyes. Imagine trying to slink away from the Golgathursh's grin. And imagine Beatrix Potter as a villain. Adventure, survival, and humor all celebrate the importance of story... even scary ones.

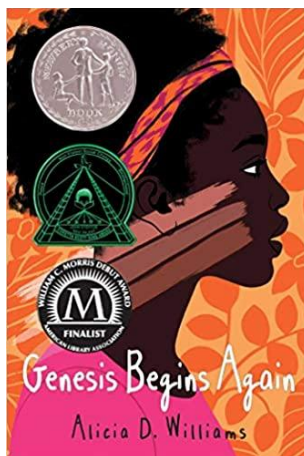
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Other Words from Home, written by **Jasmine Warga**, published by Balzer + Bray, an imprint of HarperCollins Publishers.

This book follows Jude and her mother, both Muslim, who flee war-torn Syria for a new life in America. This novel in verse is an inspiring story of resilience. It explores themes of family, prejudice, and what home truly means in a timely and honest manner.

I WAR



Genesis Begins Again, written by **Alicia D. Williams**, published by Caitlyn Dlouhy Books/Atheneum Books for Young Readers, an imprint of Simon & Schuster Children's Publishing.

This book tells the story of 13-year-old Genesis, struggling with colorism and self-loathing. Her dark skin is just one of the 96 things she does not like about herself. This powerful novel deals with family struggles and internalized racism. A hopeful ending will leave both Genesis and readers seeing the possibility of self-worth.

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Newbery Medal and Honor Books, 1922-Present

The 2000s

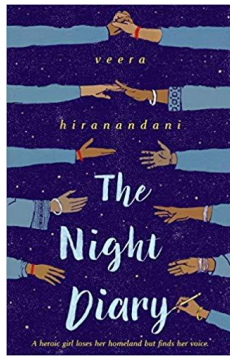
2019 Medal Winner



Merci Suárez Changes Gears, written by Meg Medina, published by Candlewick Press.

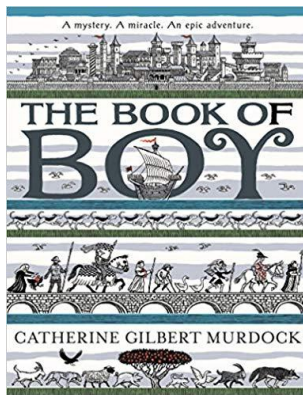
Using humor and grace, Merci, a charming and plucky protagonist, cycles through life's challenges with the support of her intergenerational family. This richly nuanced novel tackles the complexity of navigating a multicultural identity amidst changing family dynamics.

2019 Honor Books



The Night Diary, written by Veera Hiranandani and published by Kokila, an imprint of Penguin Young Readers, a division of Penguin Random House (originally published by Dial Books for Young Readers, an imprint of Penguin Random House).

Following introspective Nisha and her family as they flee their homeland for an uncertain future, Hiranandani illuminates the 1947 partition of India with unprecedented balance and sensitivity. Through spare evocative diary entries addressed to her late mother, Nisha discovers the complex beauty of her Hindu-Muslim identity.



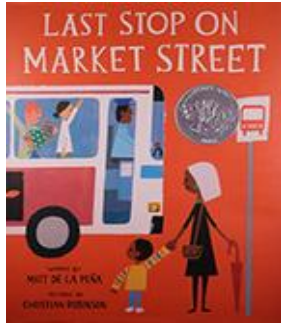
The Book of Boy, written by Catherine Gilbert Murdock, illustrated by Ian Schoenherr, and published by Greenwillow Books, an imprint of HarperCollins Publishers.

From Murdock's first line, readers are swept into an epic quest across Europe in 1350 with Boy and a mysterious pilgrim, adventuring to recover seven relics of St. Peter. Layered characters from goats to nuns, lyrical language, and multiple reveals combine to create this powerful story of redemption.

Newbery Medal and Honor Books, 1922-Present

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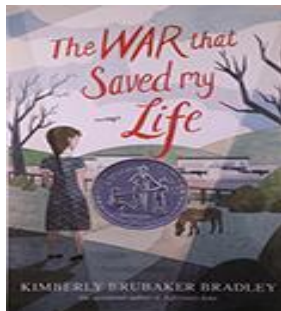
2016 Medal Winner



Last Stop on Market Street, written by Matt de la Peña, illustrated by Christian Robinson and published by G.P. Putnam's Sons, an imprint of Penguin Group (USA)

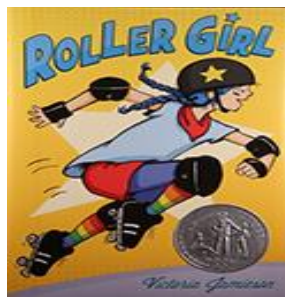
CJ's journey with his Nana is not just a simple bus ride; it is a multi-sensory experience through which he discovers that beautiful music, nature and people surround him. CJ's questions are familiar, and Nana answers him with gentle wisdom. Right up until their arrival at the last stop on Market Street, Nana guides CJ to become "a better witness for what's beautiful."

2016 Honor Books



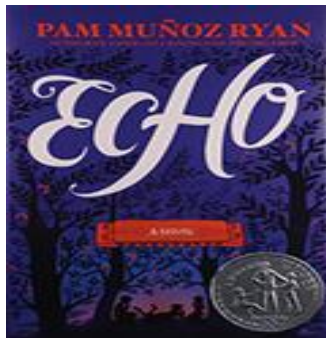
The War that Saved my Life, by Kimberly Brubaker Bradley and published by Dial Books for Young Readers, an imprint of Penguin Group (USA)

Bradley's powerful plot, remarkably drawn characters and sparse language are outstanding components of this novel about courage, community and conviction.



Roller Girl, written and illustrated by Victoria Jamieson and published by Dial Books for Young Readers, an imprint of Penguin Group (USA) LLC.

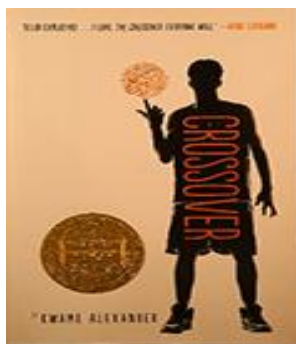
Astrid falls in love with roller derby and learns how to be tougher, stronger and fearless. Jamieson perfectly captures the highs and lows of growing up in this dynamic graphic novel.



Echo, by Pam Muñoz Ryan and published by Scholastic Press, an imprint of Scholastic Inc. Four stories, one harmonica.

This original fairytale intertwines with historical fiction to explore music and its power to save, heal and set free.

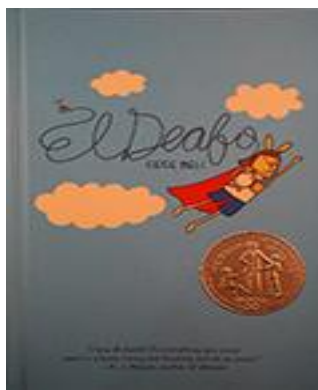
2015 Medal Winner



The Crossover, written by Kwame Alexander and published by Houghton Mifflin Harcourt

Twelve-year-old narrator Josh Bell uses the rhythms of a poetry jam to emulate the "moving & grooving/popping and rocking" of life on the basketball court with his twin brother, J.B. This powerful novel in verse paints an authentic portrait of a closely-knit family on the brink of crisis. Swish! This book is nothing but net!

2015 Honor Books



El Deafo, written by Cece Bell, illustrated by Cece Bell and published by Amulet Books.

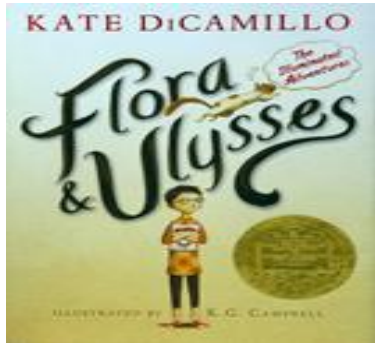
In this insightful and humorous graphic novel memoir, Cece Bell portrays growing up with a giant hearing aid strapped to her chest. Themes of navigating a new school, sleepovers, finding a true friend and a first crush make this book universal in appeal. Bell shows that our differences are gifts that "can be turned into something amazing."



Brown Girl Dreaming, written by Jacqueline Woodson and published by Nancy Paulsen Books.

Jacqueline Woodson's lyrical memoir chronicles the incidents and emotions she experienced as an African-American girl growing up in the 1960s and 1970s. Precise language magnifies moments and connects them to the larger historical narrative. Her elegant and evocative standalone poems weave a story about her development from a struggling reader and dreamer into a confident young woman and writer.

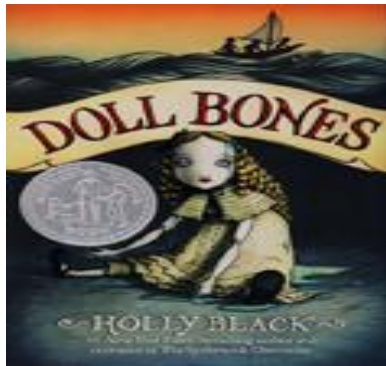
2014 Medal Winner



Flora & Ulysses: The Illuminated Adventures, written by Kate DiCamillo and published by Candlewick Press

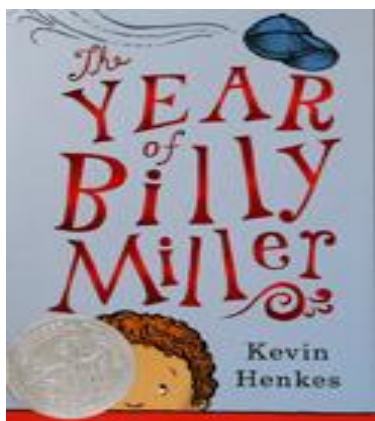
Comic book fan and natural-born cynic Flora Belle Buckman and Ulysses, a flying, superhero, poetry-writing squirrel, join forces to overcome Ulysses' arch-nemesis, Flora's mother and encounter a quirky cast of characters. Through poignant, laugh-out-loud episodes, this homage to comic books is a testament to the power of love.

2014 Honor Books



Doll Bones, written by Holly Black and published by Margaret K. McElderry Books, an imprint of Simon & Schuster Children's Publishing Division

In this distinctive coming-of-age tale, best friends Zach, Poppy and Alice set out on a life-altering quest driven by the presence of a sinister bone china doll who haunts their dreams and waking hours. Black explores complex questions of story-telling, imagination and changing friendships in this superbly haunting



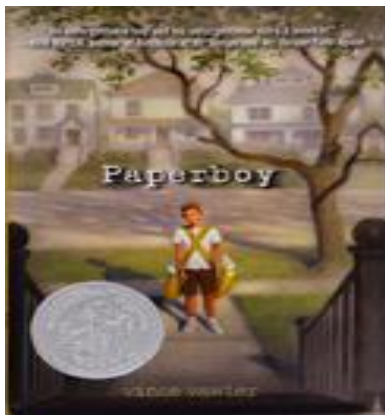
The Year of Billy Miller, written by Kevin Henkes and published by Greenwillow Books, an imprint of HarperCollins Publishers

Seven-year-old Billy Miller starts second grade with a bump on his head and a lot of worries, but during the year he develops better relationships with his teacher, his little sister, and his parents, and celebrates a quiet triumph of his own.



One Came Home, written by Amy Timberlake and published by Alfred A. Knopf, an imprint of Random House Children's Books, a division of Random House, Inc.

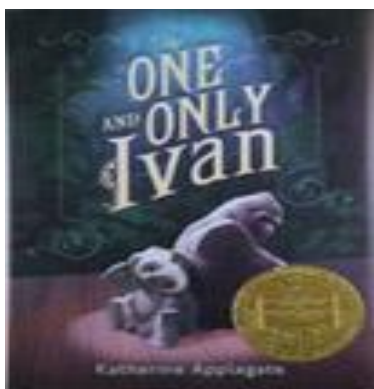
In 1871 Wisconsin, love, betrayal, grief and violence spur 13-year-old Georgie on a gripping adventure full of hardship, heartbreak and terror. As she tries to solve the mystery of her sister's disappearance, Georgie and her brash, humorous voice pull readers along on her journey of self-discovery.



Paperboy, written by Vince Vawter and published by Delacorte Press, an imprint of Random House Children's Books, a division of Random House, Inc.

Little Man, a sensitive and resilient 11-year-old boy who stutters, ventures beyond the familiar and finds his voice while taking over his best friend's paper route. Set in the summer heat of 1959 Memphis, "Paperboy" is a moving coming-of-age novel.

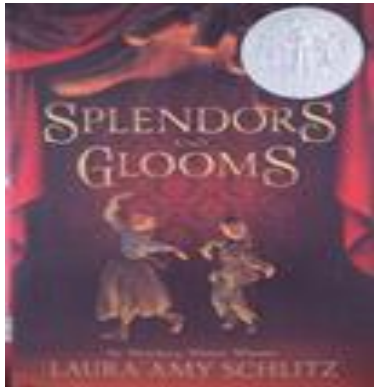
2013 Medal Winner



The 2013 Newbery Medal winner is *The One and Only Ivan* by Katherine Applegate, published by HarperCollins Children's Books, a division of HarperCollins Publishers

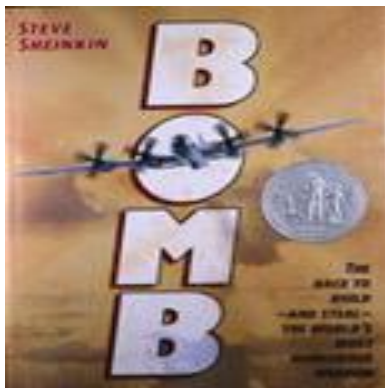
Ivan's transformative emergence from the "Ape at Exit 8" to "The One and Only Ivan, Mighty Silverback," comes to life through the gorilla's own distinct narrative voice, which is filled with wry humor, deep emotion and thought-provoking insights into the nature of friendship, hope and humanity.

2013 Honor Books



Splendors and Glooms by Laura Amy Schlitz, published by Candlewick Press

Lizzie Rose, Parsefall and Clara are caught in the clutches of a wicked puppeteer and a powerful witch in this deliciously dark and complex tale set in Dickensian England, where adventure and suspense are interwoven into nuanced explorations of good versus evil.



Bomb: The Race to Build—and Steal—the World's Most Dangerous Weapon by Steve Sheinkin, published by Flash Point, an imprint of Roaring Brook Press.

Balancing intersecting threads of scientific discovery, political intrigue and military strategy, “Bomb” is a riveting historical nonfiction drama. Sheinkin’s engaging narrative explores the complex series of events that led to the creation of the ultimate weapon and introduces many memorable personalities involved in the pursuit.

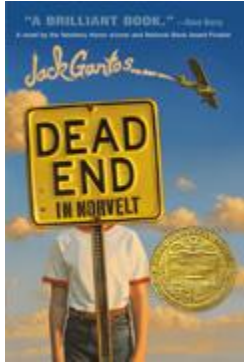


Three Times Lucky by Sheila Turnage, published by Dial Books for Young Readers, a division of Penguin Young Readers Group.

In the rich tradition of Southern storytelling, rising sixth-grader Mo LoBeau leads the eccentric residents of Tupelo Landing, North Carolina, on a rollicking journey of mystery, adventure and small-town intrigue as she investigates a murder and searches for her long-lost mother.

2012 Medal Winner

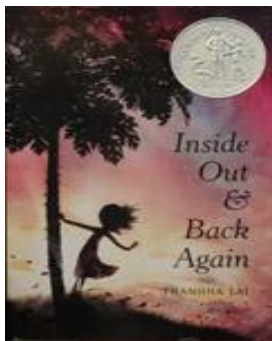
The 2012 Newbery Medal winner is *Dead End in Norvelt* by Jack Gantos, published by Farrar Straus Giroux



The importance of history and reading (so you don't do the same "stupid stuff" again) is at the heart of this achingly funny romp through a dying New Deal town.

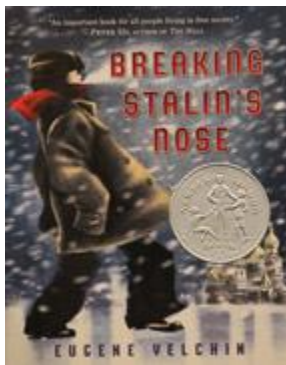
In the historic town of Norvelt, Pennsylvania, twelve-year-old Jack Gantos spends the summer of 1962 grounded for various offenses until he is assigned to help an elderly neighbor with a most unusual chore involving the newly dead, molten wax, twisted promises, Girl Scout cookies, underage driving, lessons from history, typewriting, and countless bloody noses.

2012 Honor Books



Inside Out & Back Again by Thanhha Lai, published by HarperCollins Children's Books, a division of HarperCollins Publishers

Hà and her family flee war-torn Vietnam for the American South. In spare yet vivid verse, she chronicles her year-long struggle to find her place in a new and shifting world.



Breaking Stalin's Nose by Eugene Yelchin, published by Henry Holt and Company, LLC.

On the eve of his induction into the Young Pioneers, Sasha's world is overturned when his father is arrested by Stalin's guard. Yelchin deftly crafts a stark and compelling story of a child's lost idealism.

2011 Medal Winner



Moon over Manifest by Clare Vanderpool, published by Delacorte Press, an imprint of Random House Children's Books.

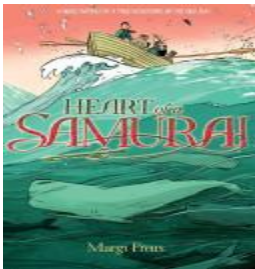
Twelve-year-old Abilene Tucker is the daughter of a drifter who, in the summer of 1936, sends her to stay with an old friend in Manifest, Kansas, where he grew up, and where she hopes to find out some things about his past.

2011 Honor Books:



Turtle in Paradise by Jennifer L. Holm, published by Random House Children's Books.

In 1935, when her mother gets a job housekeeping for a woman who does not like children, eleven-year-old Turtle is sent to stay with relatives she has never met in far-away Key West, Florida.



Heart of a Samurai by Margi Preus, published by Amulet Books, an imprint of Abrams.

In 1841, after he is rescued from a remote island by an American whaler, teenage Manjiro, who dreams of becoming a samurai, learns new laws and customs as he becomes the first Japanese person to set foot in the United States.



Dark Emperor and Other Poems of the Night by Joyce Kilmer, illustrated by Rick Allen, published by Houghton Mifflin Books for Children, Houghton Mifflin Harcourt.

A collection of poems that celebrates the wonder, mystery, and danger of the night and describes the many things that hide in the dark.



One Crazy Summer by Rita Williams-Garcia, published by Amistad, an imprint of HarperCollins.

After travelling from Brooklyn to Oakland, California, to spend a month with the mother they barely know, Delphine and her two sisters discover that their mother, a dedicated poet, wants them to attend a nearby Black Panther summer camp.

2010 Medal Winner:

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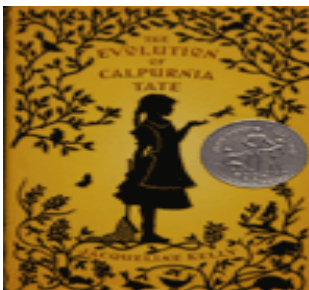


The 2010 Newbery Medal winner is ***When You Reach Me*** by Rebecca Stead, published by Wendy Lamb Books, an imprint of Random House Children's Books. Twelve-year-old Miranda encounters shifting friendships, a sudden punch, a strange homeless man and mysterious notes that hint at knowledge of the future. These and other seemingly random events converge in a brilliantly constructed plot.

Honor Books

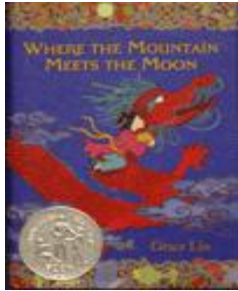


Claudette Colvin: Twice Toward Justice by Phillip Hoose published by Melanie Kroupa Books, Farrar, Straus and Giroux. Hoose reveals the true story of an unsung hero of the Montgomery bus boycott. Hoose's work stands out for its creative approach to narrative biography. Colvin's own recollections are merged seamlessly with the narrative voice, providing a uniquely personal view of Colvin and the Civil Rights Movement.



The Evolution of Calpurnia Tate by Jacqueline Kelly, published by Henry Holt and Company.

On the eve of the 20th century, 11-year-old Calpurnia awakens to new possibilities, and through her evolving relationship with her naturalist grandfather, learns to think like a scientist. Kelly's rich, evocative language captures Callie's distinctive voice and lively observations of the natural world.



Where the Mountain Meets the Moon by Grace Lin, published by Little, Brown and Company Books for Young Readers.

A rich tapestry of stories, both original and traditional, transports readers to a fantastic world where Dragon joins Minli on a fortune-changing quest.



The Mostly True Adventures of Homer P. Figg by Rodman Philbrick, published by The Blue Sky Press, an imprint of Scholastic, Inc.

This rollicking yarn, presented through the voice of 12-year-old Homer, uses humor and pluck to mitigate the horrors of the Civil War.

2009 Medal Winner:

The 2009 Newbery Medal winner is ***The Graveyard Book*** by Neil Gaiman, illustrated by Dave McKean, and published by HarperCollins Children's Books.

A delicious mix of murder, fantasy, humour and human longing, the tale of Nobody Owens is told in magical, haunting prose. A child, marked for death by an ancient league of assassins, escapes into an abandoned graveyard, where he is reared and protected by its spirit denizens.

Honor Books:

- ***The Underneath***, by Kathi Appelt, illus by David Small (Atheneum Books for Young Readers, an imprint of Simon & Schuster)
- ***The Surrender Tree: Poems of Cuba's Struggle for Freedom*** by Mararita Engle (Henry Holt)
- ***Savvy*** by Ingrid Law (Dial Books for Young Readers, a division of Penguin Young Readers Group in partnership with Walden Media)
- ***After Tupac & D Foster*** by Jacqueline Woodson (G.P. Putnam's Sons, a division of Penguin Books for Young Readers)

2008 Medal Winner:

- ***Good Masters! Sweet Ladies! Voices from a Medieval Village*** by Laura Amy Schlitz (Candlewick)

Honor Books:

- ***Elijah of Buxton*** by Christopher Paul Curtis (Scholastic)
- ***The Wednesday Wars*** by Gary D. Schmidt (Clarion)
- ***Feathers*** by Jacqueline Woodson (Putnam)

2007 Medal Winner: ***The Higher Power of Lucky*** by Susan Patron, illus. by Matt Phelan (Simon & Schuster/Richard Jackson)

Honor Books:

- ***Penny from Heaven*** by Jennifer L. Holm, (Random House)
- ***Hattie Big Sky*** by Kirby Larson (Delacorte Press)
- ***Rules*** by Cynthia Lord (Scholastic)

2006 Medal Winner: ***Criss Cross*** by Lynne Rae Perkins (Greenwillow Books/HarperCollins)

Honor Books:

- *Whittington* by Alan Armstrong, illustrated by S.D. Schindler (Random House)
- *Hitler Youth: Growing Up in Hitler's Shadow* by Susan Campbell Bartoletti (Scholastic)
- *Princess Academy* by Shannon Hale (Bloomsbury Children's Books)
- *Show Way* by Jacqueline Woodson, illustrated by Hudson Talbott (G.P. Putnam's Sons)

2005 Medal Winner: *Kira-Kira* by Cynthia Kadohata (Atheneum Books for Young Readers/Simon & Schuster)

Honor Books:

- *Al Capone Does My Shirts* by Gennifer Choldenko (G.P. Putnam's Sons/a division of Penguin Young Readers Group)
- *The Voice that Challenged a Nation: Marian Anderson and the Struggle for Equal Rights* by Russell Freedman (Clarion Books/Houghton Mifflin)
- *Lizzie Bright and the Buckminster Boy* by Gary D. Schmidt (Clarion Books/Houghton Mifflin)

2004 Medal Winner: *The Tale of Despereaux: Being the Story of a Mouse, a Princess, Some Soup, and a Spool of Thread* by Kate DiCamillo, illustrated by Timothy Basil Ering, (Candlewick Press)

Honor Books:

- *Olive's Ocean* by Kevin Henkes (Greenwillow Books)
- *An American Plague: The True and Terrifying Story of the Yellow Fever Epidemic of 1793* by Jim Murphy (Clarion Books)

2003 Medal Winner: *Crispin: The Cross of Lead* by Avi (Hyperion Books for Children)

Honor Books:

- *The House of the Scorpion* by Nancy Farmer (Atheneum)
- *Pictures of Hollis Woods* by Patricia Reilly Giff (Random House/Wendy Lamb Books)
- *Hoot* by Carl Hiaasen (Knopf)
- *A Corner of The Universe* by Ann M. Martin (Scholastic)
- *Surviving the Applewhites* by Stephanie S. Tolan (HarperCollins)

2002 Medal Winner: *A Single Shard* by Linda Sue Park (Clarion Books/Houghton Mifflin)

Honor Books:

- *Everything on a Waffle* by Polly Horvath (Farrar Straus Giroux)
- *Carver: A Life In Poems* by Marilyn Nelson (Front Street)

2001 Medal Winner: *A Year Down Yonder* by Richard Peck (Dial)

Honor Books:

- *Hope Was Here* by Joan Bauer (G.P. Putnam's Sons)
- *Because of Winn-Dixie* by Kate DiCamillo (Candlewick Press)
- *Joey Pigza Loses Control* by Jack Gantos (Farrar, Straus, and Giroux)
- *The Wanderer* by Sharon Creech (Joanna Cotler Books/HarperCollins)

2000 Medal Winner: *Bud, Not Buddy* by Christopher Paul Curtis (Delacorte)

Honor Books:

- *Getting Near to Baby* by Audrey Couloubis (Putnam)
- *Our Only May Amelia* by Jennifer L. Holm (HarperCollins)
- *26 Fairmount Avenue* by Tomie dePaola (Putnam)

The 1990s

1999 Medal Winner: *Holes* by Louis Sachar (Frances Foster)

Honor Book:

- *A Long Way from Chicago* by Richard Peck (Dial)

1998 Medal Winner: *Out of the Dust* by Karen Hesse (Scholastic)

Honor Books:

- *Ella Enchanted* by Gail Carson Levine (HarperCollins)
- *Lily's Crossing* by Patricia Reilly Giff (Delacorte)
- *Wringer* by Jerry Spinelli (HarperCollins)

1997 Medal Winner: *The View from Saturday* by E.L. Konigsburg (Jean Karl/Atheneum)

Honor Books:

- *A Girl Named Disaster* by Nancy Farmer (Richard Jackson/Orchard Books)
- *Moorchild* by Eloise McGraw (Margaret McElderry/Simon & Schuster)
- *The Thief* by Megan Whalen Turner (Greenwillow/Morrow)
- *Belle Prater's Boy* by Ruth White (Farrar Straus Giroux)

1996 Medal Winner: *The Midwife's Apprentice* by Karen Cushman (Clarion)

Honor Books:

- *What Jamie Saw* by Carolyn Coman (Front Street)
- *The Watsons Go to Birmingham: 1963* by Christopher Paul Curtis (Delacorte)
- *Yolonda's Genius* by Carol Fenner (Margaret K. McElderry/Simon & Schuster)
- *The Great Fire* by Jim Murphy (Scholastic)

1995 Medal Winner: *Walk Two Moons* by Sharon Creech (HarperCollins)

Honor Books:

- *Catherine, Called Birdy* by Karen Cushman (Clarion)
- *The Ear, the Eye and the Arm* by Nancy Farmer (Jackson/Orchard)

1994 Medal Winner: *The Giver* by Lois Lowry (Houghton)

Honor Books:

- *Crazy Lady* by Jane Leslie Conly (HarperCollins)
- *Dragon's Gate* by Laurence Yep (HarperCollins)
- *Eleanor Roosevelt: A Life of Discovery* by Russell Freedman (Clarion Books)

1993 Medal Winner: *Missing May* by Cynthia Rylant (Jackson/Orchard)

Honor Books:

- *What Hearts* by Bruce Brooks (A Laura Geringer Book, a HarperCollins imprint)
- *The Dark-thirty: Southern Tales of the Supernatural* by Patricia McKissack (Knopf)
- *Somewhere in the Darkness* by Walter Dean Myers (Scholastic Hardcover)

1992 Medal Winner: *Shiloh* by Phyllis Reynolds Naylor (Atheneum)

Honor Books:

- *Nothing But The Truth: a Documentary Novel* by Avi (Jackson/Orchard)
- *The Wright Brothers: How They Invented the Airplane* by Russell Freedman (Holiday House)

1991 Medal Winner: *Maniac Magee* by Jerry Spinelli (Little, Brown)

Honor Book:

- *The True Confessions of Charlotte Doyle* by Avi (Jackson/Orchard)

1990 Medal Winner: *Number the Stars* by Lois Lowry (Houghton)

Honor Books:

- *Afternoon of the Elves* by Janet Taylor Lisle (Jackson/Orchard)
- *Shabanu, Daughter of the Wind* by Suzanne Fisher Staples (Knopf)
- *The Winter Room* by Gary Paulsen (Jackson/Orchard)

The 1980s

1989 Medal Winner: *Joyful Noise: Poems for Two Voices* by Paul Fleischman (Harper)

Honor Books:

- *In The Beginning: Creation Stories from Around the World* by Virginia Hamilton (Harcourt)
- *Scorpions* by Walter Dean Myers (Harper)

1988 Medal Winner: *Lincoln: A Photobiography* by Russell Freedman (Clarion)

Honor Books:

- *After The Rain* by Norma Fox Mazer (Morrow)
- *Hatchet* by Gary Paulsen (Bradbury)

1987 Medal Winner: *The Whipping Boy* by Sid Fleischman (Greenwillow)

Honor Books:

- *A Fine White Dust* by Cynthia Rylant (Bradbury)
- *On My Honor* by Marion Dane Bauer (Clarion)
- *Volcano: The Eruption and Healing of Mount St. Helens* by Patricia Lauber (Bradbury)

1986 Medal Winner: *Sarah, Plain and Tall* by Patricia MacLachlan (Harper)

Honor Books:

- *Commodore Perry In the Land of the Shogun* by Rhoda Blumberg (Lothrop)
- *Dogsong* by Gary Paulsen (Bradbury)

1985 Medal Winner: *The Hero and the Crown* by Robin McKinley (Greenwillow)

Honor Books:

- *Like Jake and Me* by Mavis Jukes (Knopf)
- *The Moves Make the Man* by Bruce Brooks (Harper)
- *One-Eyed Cat* by Paula Fox (Bradbury)

1984 Medal Winner: *Dear Mr. Henshaw* by Beverly Cleary (Morrow)

Honor Books:

- *The Sign of the Beaver* by Elizabeth George Speare (Houghton)

- *A Solitary Blue* by Cynthia Voigt (Atheneum)
- *Sugaring Time* by Kathryn Lasky (Macmillan)
- *The Wish Giver: Three Tales of Coven Tree* by Bill Brittain (Harper)

1983 Medal Winner: *Dicey's Song* by Cynthia Voigt (Atheneum)

Honor Books:

- *The Blue Sword* by Robin McKinley (Greenwillow)
- *Doctor DeSoto* by William Steig (Farrar)
- *Graven Images* by Paul Fleischman (Harper)
- *Homesick: My Own Story* by Jean Fritz (Putnam)
- *Sweet Whispers, Brother Rush* by Virginia Hamilton (Philomel)

1982 Medal Winner: *A Visit to William Blake's Inn: Poems for Innocent and Experienced Travelers* by Nancy Willard (Harcourt)

Honor Books:

- *Ramona Quimby, Age 8* by Beverly Cleary (Morrow)
- *Upon the Head of the Goat: A Childhood in Hungary 1939-1944* by Aranka Siegal (Farrar)

1981 Medal Winner: *Jacob Have I Loved* by Katherine Paterson (Crowell)

Honor Books:

- *The Fledgling* by Jane Langton (Harper)
- *A Ring of Endless Light* by Madeleine L'Engle (Farrar)

1980 Medal Winner: *A Gathering of Days: A New England Girl's Journal, 1830-1832* by Joan W. Blos (Scribner)

Honor Book:

- *The Road from Home: The Story of an Armenian Girl* by David Kherdian (Greenwillow)

The 1970s

- **1979 Medal Winner:** *The Westing Game* by Ellen Raskin (Dutton)
Honor Book:
 - *The Great Gilly Hopkins* by Katherine Paterson (Crowell)
- **1978 Medal Winner:** *Bridge to Terabithia* by Katherine Paterson (Crowell)
Honor Books:
 - *Ramona and Her Father* by Beverly Cleary (Morrow)
 - *Anpao: An American Indian Odyssey* by Jamake Highwater (Lippincott)
- **1977 Medal Winner:** *Roll of Thunder, Hear My Cry* by Mildred D. Taylor (Dial)
Honor Books:
 - *Abel's Island* by William Steig (Farrar)
 - *A String in the Harp* by Nancy Bond (Atheneum)
- **1976 Medal Winner:** *The Grey King* by Susan Cooper (McElderry/Atheneum)
Honor Books:
 - *The Hundred Penny Box* by Sharon Bell Mathis (Viking)
 - *Dragonwings* by Laurence Yep (Harper)
- **1975 Medal Winner:** *M. C. Higgins, the Great* by Virginia Hamilton (Macmillan)
Honor Books:
 - *Figgs & Phantoms* by Ellen Raskin (Dutton)
 - *My Brother Sam is Dead* by James Lincoln Collier & Christopher Collier (Four Winds)
 - *The Perilous Gard* by Elizabeth Marie Pope (Houghton)
 - *Philip Hall Likes Me, I Reckon Maybe* by Bette Greene (Dial)
- **1974 Medal Winner:** *The Slave Dancer* by Paula Fox (Bradbury)
Honor Book:
 - *The Dark Is Rising* by Susan Cooper (McElderry/Atheneum)

- **1973 Medal Winner:** *Julie of the Wolves* by Jean Craighead George (Harper)
Honor Books:
 - *Frog and Toad Together* by Arnold Lobel (Harper)
 - *The Upstairs Room* by Johanna Reiss (Crowell)
 - *The Witches of Worm* by Zilpha Keatley Snyder (Atheneum)

- **1972 Medal Winner:** *Mrs. Frisby and the Rats of NIMH* by Robert C. O'Brien (Atheneum)
Honor Books:
 - *Incident At Hawk's Hill* by Allan W. Eckert (Little, Brown)
 - *The Planet of Junior Brown* by Virginia Hamilton (Macmillan)
 - *The Tombs of Atuan* by Ursula K. LeGuin (Atheneum)
 - *Annie and the Old One* by Miska Miles (Little, Brown)
 - *The Headless Cupid* by Zilpha Keatley Snyder (Atheneum)

- **1971 Medal Winner:** *Summer of the Swans* by Betsy Byars (Viking)
Honor Books:
 - *Knee Knock Rise* by Natalie Babbitt (Farrar)
 - *Enchantress From the Stars* by Sylvia Louise Engdahl (Atheneum)
 - *Sing Down the Moon* by Scott O'Dell (Houghton)

- **1970 Medal Winner:** *Souder* by William H. Armstrong (Harper)
Honor Books:
 - *Our Eddie* by Sulamith Ish-Kishor (Pantheon)
 - *The Many Ways of Seeing: An Introduction to the Pleasures of Art* by Janet Gaylord Moore (World)
 - *Journey Outside* by Mary Q. Steele (Viking)

The 1960s

- **1969 Medal Winner:** *The High King* by Lloyd Alexander (Holt)
Honor Books:
 - *To Be a Slave* by Julius Lester (Dial)
 - *When Shlemiel Went to Warsaw and Other Stories* by Isaac Bashevis Singer (Farrar)

- **1968 Medal Winner:** *From the Mixed-Up Files of Mrs. Basil E. Frankweiler* by E. L. Konigsburg (Atheneum)
Honor Books:
 - *Jennifer, Hecate, Macbeth, William McKinley, and Me, Elizabeth* by E. L. Konigsburg (Atheneum)
 - *The Black Pearl* by Scott O'Dell (Houghton)
 - *The Fearsome Inn* by Isaac Bashevis Singer (Scribner)
 - *The Egypt Game* by Zilpha Keatley Snyder (Atheneum)

- **1967 Medal Winner:** *Up a Road Slowly* by Irene Hunt (Follett)
Honor Books:
 - *The King's Fifth* by Scott O'Dell (Houghton)
 - *Zlateh The Goat and Other Stories* by Isaac Bashevis Singer (Harper)
 - *The Jazz Man* by Mary Hays Weik (Atheneum)

- **1966 Medal Winner:** *I, Juan de Pareja* by Elizabeth Borton de Trevino (Farrar)
Honor Books:
 - *The Black Cauldron* by Lloyd Alexander (Holt)
 - *The Animal Family* by Randall Jarrell (Pantheon)
 - *The Noonday Friends* by Mary Stolz (Harper)

- **1965 Medal Winner:** *Shadow of a Bull* by Maia Wojciechowska (Atheneum)
Honor Book:
 - *Across Five Aprils* by Irene Hunt (Follett)

- **1964 Medal Winner:** *It's Like This, Cat* by Emily Neville (Harper)
Honor Books:
 - *Rascal: A Memoir of a Better Era* by Sterling North (Dutton)
 - *The Loner* by Ester Wier (McKay)

- **1963 Medal Winner:** *A Wrinkle in Time* by Madeleine L'Engle (Farrar)
Honor Books:
 - *Thistle and Thyme: Tales and Legends from Scotland* by Sorche Nic Leodhas, pseud. (Leclair Alger) (Holt)

- *Men of Athens* by Olivia Coolidge (Houghton)

- **1962 Medal Winner: *The Bronze Bow*** by Elizabeth George Speare (Houghton)
Honor Books:
 - *Frontier Living* by Edwin Tunis (World)
 - *The Golden Goblet* by Eloise Jarvis McGraw (Coward)
 - *Belling The Tiger* by Mary Stolz (Harper)

- **1961 Medal Winner: *Island of the Blue Dolphins*** by Scott O'Dell (Houghton)
Honor Books:
 - *America Moves Forward: A History for Peter* by Gerald W. Johnson (Morrow)
 - *Old Ramon* by Jack Schaefer (Houghton)
 - *The Cricket In Times Square* by George Selden, pseud. (George Thompson) (Farrar)

- **1960 Medal Winner: *Onion John*** by Joseph Krumgold (Crowell)
Honor Books:
 - *My Side of the Mountain* by Jean Craighead George (Dutton)
 - *America Is Born: A History for Peter* by Gerald W. Johnson (Morrow)
 - *The Gammage Cup* by Carol Kendall (Harcourt)

The 1950s

- **1959 Medal Winner: *The Witch of Blackbird Pond*** by Elizabeth George Speare (Houghton)
Honor Books:
 - *The Family Under The Bridge* by Natalie Savage Carlson (Harper)
 - *Along Came A Dog* by Meindert Dejong (Harper)
 - *Chucaro: Wild Pony of the Pampa* by Francis Kalnay (Harcourt)
 - *The Perilous Road* by William O. Steele (Harcourt)

- **1958 Medal Winner: *Rifles for Watie*** by Harold Keith (Crowell)
Honor Books:
 - *The Horsecatcher* by Mari Sandoz (Westminster)
 - *Gone-Away Lake* by Elizabeth Enright (Harcourt)

- *The Great Wheel* by Robert Lawson (Viking)
 - *Tom Paine, Freedom's Apostle* by Leo Gurko (Crowell)
- **1957 Medal Winner: *Miracles on Maple Hill*** by Virginia Sorensen (Harcourt)
Honor Books:
 - *Old Yeller* by Fred Gipson (Harper)
 - *The House of Sixty Fathers* by Meindert DeJong (Harper)
 - *Mr. Justice Holmes* by Clara Ingram Judson (Follett)
 - *The Corn Grows Ripe* by Dorothy Rhoads (Viking)
 - *Black Fox of Lorne* by Marguerite de Angeli (Doubleday)

- **1956 Medal Winner: *Carry On, Mr. Bowditch*** by Jean Lee Latham (Houghton)
Honor Books:
 - *The Secret River* by Marjorie Kinnan Rawlings (Scribner)
 - *The Golden Name Day* by Jennie Lindquist (Harper)
 - *Men, Microscopes, and Living Things* by Katherine Shippen (Viking)

- **1955 Medal Winner: *The Wheel on the School*** by Meindert DeJong (Harper)
Honor Books:
 - *Courage of Sarah Noble* by Alice Dalgliesh (Scribner)
 - *Banner In The Sky* by James Ullman (Lippincott)

- **1954 Medal Winner: *...And Now Miguel*** by Joseph Krumgold (Crowell)
Honor Books:
 - *All Alone* by Claire Huchet Bishop (Viking)
 - *Shadrach* by Meindert DeJong (Harper)
 - *Hurry Home, Candy* by Meindert DeJong (Harper)
 - *Theodore Roosevelt, Fighting Patriot* by Clara Ingram Judson (Follett)
 - *Magic Maize* by Mary & Conrad Buff (Houghton)

- **1953 Medal Winner: *Secret of the Andes*** by Ann Nolan Clark (Viking)
Honor Books:
 - *Charlotte's Web* by E. B. White (Harper)
 - *Moccasin Trail* by Eloise Jarvis McGraw (Coward)
 - *Red Sails to Capri* by Ann Weil (Viking)
 - *The Bears on Hemlock Mountain* by Alice Dalgliesh (Scribner)
 - *Birthdays of Freedom, Vol. 1* by Genevieve Foster (Scribner)

- **1952 Medal Winner: *Ginger Pye*** by Eleanor Estes (Harcourt)
Honor Books:
 - *Americans Before Columbus* by Elizabeth Baity (Viking)
 - *Minn of the Mississippi* by Holling C. Holling (Houghton)
 - *The Defender* by Nicholas Kalashnikoff (Scribner)
 - *The Light at Tern Rock* by Julia Sauer (Viking)
 - *The Apple and the Arrow* by Mary & Conrad Buff (Houghton)

- **1951 Medal Winner: *Amos Fortune, Free Man*** by Elizabeth Yates (Dutton)
Honor Books:
 - *Better Known as Johnny Appleseed* by Mabel Leigh Hunt (Lippincott)
 - *Gandhi, Fighter Without a Sword* by Jeanette Eaton (Morrow)
 - *Abraham Lincoln, Friend of the People* by Clara Ingram Judson (Follett)
 - *The Story of Appleby Capple* by Anne Parrish (Harper)

- **1950 Medal Winner: *The Door in the Wall*** by Marguerite de Angeli (Doubleday)
Honor Books:
 - *Tree of Freedom* by Rebecca Caudill (Viking)
 - *The Blue Cat of Castle Town* by Catherine Coblenz (Longmans)
 - *Kildee House* by Rutherford Montgomery (Doubleday)
 - *George Washington* by Genevieve Foster (Scribner)
 - *Song of The Pines: A Story of Norwegian Lumbering in Wisconsin* by Walter & Marion Havighurst (Winston)

The 1940s

1949 Medal Winner: *King of the Wind* **by Marguerite Henry (Rand McNally)**

Honor Books:

- *Seabird* by Holling C. Holling (Houghton)
- *Daughter of the Mountains* by Louise Rankin (Viking)
- *My Father's Dragon* by Ruth S. Gannett (Random House)
- *Story of the Negro* by Arna Bontemps (Knopf)

- **1948 Medal Winner: *The Twenty-One Balloons*** by William Pène du Bois (Viking)
Honor Books:
 - *Pancakes-Paris* by Claire Huchet Bishop (Viking)
 - *Li Lun, Lad of Courage* by Carolyn Treffinger (Abingdon)
 - *The Quaint and Curious Quest of Johnny Longfoot* by Catherine Besterman (Bobbs-Merrill)
 - *The Cow-Tail Switch, and Other West African Stories* by Harold Courlander (Holt)
 - *Misty of Chincoteague* by Marguerite Henry (Rand McNally)

- **1947 Medal Winner: *Miss Hickory*** by Carolyn Sherwin Bailey (Viking)
Honor Books:
 - *Wonderful Year* by Nancy Barnes (Messner)
 - *Big Tree* by Mary & Conrad Buff (Viking)
 - *The Heavenly Tenants* by William Maxwell (Harper)
 - *The Avion My Uncle Flew* by Cyrus Fisher, pseud. (Darwin L. Teilhet) (Appleton)
 - *The Hidden Treasure of Glaston* by Eleanor Jewett (Viking)

- **1946 Medal Winner: *Strawberry Girl*** by Lois Lenski (Lippincott)
Honor Books:
 - *Justin Morgan Had a Horse* by Marguerite Henry (Rand McNally)
 - *The Moved-Outers* by Florence Crannell Means (Houghton)
 - *Bhimsa, the Dancing Bear* by Christine Weston (Scribner)
 - *New Found World* by Katherine Shippen (Viking)

- **1945 Medal Winner: *Rabbit Hill*** by Robert Lawson (Viking)
Honor Books:
 - *The Hundred Dresses* by Eleanor Estes (Harcourt)
 - *The Silver Pencil* by Alice Dalgliesh (Scribner)
 - *Abraham Lincoln's World* by Genevieve Foster (Scribner)
 - *Lone Journey: The Life of Roger Williams* by Jeanetter Eaton (Harcourt)

- **1944 Medal Winner: *Johnny Tremain*** by Esther Forbes (Houghton)
Honor Books:
 - *These Happy Golden Years* by Laura Ingalls Wilder (Harper)
 - *Fog Magic* by Julia Sauer (Viking)

- *Rufus M.* by Eleanor Estes (Harcourt)
- *Mountain Born* by Elizabeth Yates (Coward)

- **1943 Medal Winner: *Adam of the Road*** by Elizabeth Janet Gray (Viking)
Honor Books:
 - *The Middle Moffat* by Eleanor Estes (Harcourt)
 - *Have You Seen Tom Thumb?* by Mabel Leigh Hunt (Lippincott)

- **1942 Medal Winner: *The Matchlock Gun*** by Walter Edmonds (Dodd)
Honor Books:
 - *Little Town on the Prairie* by Laura Ingalls Wilder (Harper)
 - *George Washington's World* by Genevieve Foster (Scribner)
 - *Indian Captive: The Story of Mary Jemison* by Lois Lenski (Lippincott)
 - *Down Ryton Water* by Eva Roe Gaggin (Viking)

- **1941 Medal Winner: *Call It Courage*** by Armstrong Sperry (Macmillan)
Honor Books:
 - *Blue Willow* by Doris Gates (Viking)
 - *Young Mac of Fort Vancouver* by Mary Jane Carr (Crowell)
 - *The Long Winter* by Laura Ingalls Wilder (Harper)
 - *Nansen* by Anna Gertrude Hall (Viking)

- **1940 Medal Winner: *Daniel Boone*** by James Daugherty (Viking)
Honor Books:
 - *The Singing Tree* by Kate Seredy (Viking)
 - *Runner of the Mountain Tops: The Life of Louis Agassiz* by Mabel Robinson (Random House)
 - *By the Shores of Silver Lake* by Laura Ingalls Wilder (Harper)
 - *Boy with a Pack* by Stephen W. Meader (Harcourt)

The 1930s

1939 Medal Winner: *Thimble Summer* **by Elizabeth Enright (Rinehart)**

Honor Books:

- *Nino* by Valenti Angelo (Viking)
 - *Mr. Popper's Penguins* by Richard & Florence Atwater (Little, Brown)
 - *Hello the Boat!* by Phyllis Crawford (Holt)
 - *Leader By Destiny: George Washington, Man and Patriot* by Jeanette Eaton (Harcourt)
 - *Penn* by Elizabeth Janet Gray (Viking)
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- **1938 Medal Winner: *The White Stag*** by Kate Seredy (Viking)
Honor Books:
 - *Pecos Bill* by James Cloyd Bowman (Little, Brown)
 - *Bright Island* by Mabel Robinson (Random House)
 - *On the Banks of Plum Creek* by Laura Ingalls Wilder (Harper)
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- **1937 Medal Winner: *Roller Skates*** by Ruth Sawyer (Viking)
Honor Books:
 - *Phebe Fairchild: Her Book* by Lois Lenski (Stokes)
 - *Whistler's Van* by Idwal Jones (Viking)
 - *The Golden Basket* by Ludwig Bemelmans (Viking)
 - *Winterbound* by Margery Bianco (Viking)
 - *The Codfish Musket* by Agnes Hewes (Doubleday)
 - *Audubon* by Constance Rourke (Harcourt)
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- **1936 Medal Winner: *Caddie Woodlawn*** by Carol Ryrie Brink (Macmillan)
Honor Books:
 - *Honk, the Moose* by Phil Stong (Dodd)
 - *The Good Master* by Kate Seredy (Viking)
 - *Young Walter Scott* by Elizabeth Janet Gray (Viking)
 - *All Sail Set: A Romance of the Flying Cloud* by Armstrong Sperry (Winston)
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- **1935 Medal Winner: *Dobry*** by Monica Shannon (Viking)
Honor Books:
 - *Pageant of Chinese History* by Elizabeth Seeger (Longmans)
 - *Davy Crockett* by Constance Rourke (Harcourt)
 - *Day On Skates: The Story of a Dutch Picnic* by Hilda Von Stockum (Harper)

- **1934 Medal Winner: *Invincible Louisa: The Story of the Author of Little Women*** by Cornelia Meigs (Little, Brown)

Honor Books:

- *The Forgotten Daughter* by Caroline Snedeker (Doubleday)
- *Swords of Steel* by Elsie Singmaster (Houghton)
- *ABC Bunny* by Wanda Gág (Coward)
- *Winged Girl of Knossos* by Erik Berry, pseud. (Allena Best) (Appleton)
- *New Land* by Sarah Schmidt (McBride)
- *Big Tree of Bunlahy: Stories of My Own Countryside* by Padraic Colum (Macmillan)
- *Glory of the Seas* by Agnes Hewes (Knopf)
- *Apprentice of Florence* by Ann Kyle (Houghton)

- **1933 Medal Winner: *Young Fu of the Upper Yangtze*** by Elizabeth Lewis (Winston)

Honor Books:

- *Swift Rivers* by Cornelia Meigs (Little, Brown)
- *The Railroad To Freedom: A Story of the Civil War* by Hildegard Swift (Harcourt)
- *Children of the Soil: A Story of Scandinavia* by Nora Burglon (Doubleday)

- **1932 Medal Winner: *Waterless Mountain*** by Laura Adams Armer (Longmans)

Honor Books:

- *The Fairy Circus* by Dorothy P. Lathrop (Macmillan)
- *Calico Bush* by Rachel Field (Macmillan)
- *Boy of the South Seas* by Eunice Tietjens (Coward-McCann)
- *Out of the Flame* by Eloise Lowensbery (Longmans)
- *Jane's Island* by Marjorie Allee (Houghton)
- *Truce of the Wolf and Other Tales of Old Italy* by Mary Gould Davis (Harcourt)

- **1931 Medal Winner: *The Cat Who Went to Heaven*** by Elizabeth Coatsworth (Macmillan)

Honor Books:

- *Floating Island* by Anne Parrish (Harper)
- *The Dark Star of Itza: The Story of A Pagan Princess* by Alida Malkus (Harcourt)
- *Queer Person* by Ralph Hubbard (Doubleday)
- *Mountains are Free* by Julie Davis Adams (Dutton)

- *Spice and the Devil's Cave* by Agnes Hewes (Knopf)
 - *Meggy MacIntosh* by Elizabeth Janet Gray (Doubleday)
 - *Garram the Hunter: A Boy of the Hill Tribes* by Herbert Best (Doubleday)
 - *Ood-Le-Uk the Wanderer* by Alice Lide & Margaret Johansen (Little, Brown)
- **1930 Medal Winner: *Hitty, Her First Hundred Years* by Rachel Field (Macmillan)**
Honor Books:
 - *A Daughter of the Seine: The Life of Madame Roland* by Jeanette Eaton (Harper)
 - *Pran of Albania* by Elizabeth Miller (Doubleday)
 - *Jumping-Off Place* by Marion Hurd McNeely (Longmans)
 - *The Tangle-Coated Horse and Other Tales* by Ella Young (Longmans)
 - *Vaino* by Julia Davis Adams (Dutton)
 - *Little Blacknose* by Hildegard Swift (Harcourt)

The 1920s

1929 Medal Winner: *The Trumpeter of Krakow* **by Eric P. Kelly (Macmillan)**

Honor Books:

- *Pigtail of Ah Lee Ben Loo* by John Bennett (Longmans)
 - *Millions of Cats* by Wanda Gág (Coward)
 - *The Boy Who Was* by Grace Hallock (Dutton)
 - *Clearing Weather* by Cornelia Meigs (Little, Brown)
 - *Runaway Papoose* by Grace Moon (Doubleday)
 - *Tod of the Fens* by Elinor Whitney (Macmillan)
- **1928 Medal Winner: *Gay Neck, the Story of a Pigeon* by Dhan Gopal Mukerji (Dutton)**
Honor Books:
 - *The Wonder Smith and His Son* by Ella Young (Longmans)
 - *Downright Dencey* by Caroline Snedeker (Doubleday)

- **1927 Medal Winner:** *Smoky, the Cowhorse* by Will James (Scribner)
Honor Books:
 - [None recorded]

- **1926 Medal Winner:** *Shen of the Sea* by Arthur Bowie Chrisman (Dutton)
Honor Book:
 - *The Voyagers: Being Legends and Romances of Atlantic Discovery* by Padraic Colum (Macmillan)

- **1925 Medal Winner:** *Tales from Silver Lands* by Charles Finger (Doubleday)
Honor Books:
 - *Nicholas: A Manhattan Christmas Story* by Annie Carroll Moore (Putnam)
 - *The Dream Coach* by Anne Parrish (Macmillan)

- **1924 Medal Winner:** *The Dark Frigate* by Charles Hawes (Little, Brown)
Honor Books:
 - [None recorded]

- **1923 Medal Winner:** *The Voyages of Doctor Dolittle* by Hugh Lofting (Stokes)
Honor Books:
 - [None recorded]

- **1922 Medal Winner:** *The Story of Mankind* by Hendrik Willem van Loon (Liveright)
Honor Books:
 - *The Great Quest* by Charles Hawes (Little, Brown)
 - *Cedric the Forester* by Bernard Marshall (Appleton)
 - *The Old Tobacco Shop: A True Account of What Befell a Little Boy in Search of Adventure* by William Bowen (Macmillan)
 - *The Golden Fleece and The Heroes Who Lived Before Achilles* by Padraic Colum (Macmillan)
 - *The Windy Hill* by Cornelia Meigs (Macmillan)